

'MySejahtera info protected'

PUTRAJAYA: The MySejahtera mobile application is fully owned by the Health Ministry and supervised by the National Cyber Security Agency and National Security Council (NSC), said Senior Minister (Security Cluster) Datuk Seri Ismail Sabri Yaakob.

He said the public should not worry about claims that their personal information was being shared without permission.

"The app is regulated by the government, which means it is an offence to share the data with anyone. The level of security in this app follows international standards in protecting the safety and secrecy of the data.

"So people have nothing to worry about because the government will ensure that the data is protected," he said here yesterday.

On Nov 19, the Health Ministry said people had nothing to fear

over claims that their details in MySejahtera would be misused.

According to the ministry in a parliamentary reply last month, the data was managed based on the Prevention and Control of Infectious Diseases Act 1988 and the Medical Act 1971.

The ministry said the government ensured that the information collected was in line with the provisions in the Personal Data Protection Act 2010.

On the fight against Covid-19, Ismail Sabri said the government had formed the Pandemic Management Strategic Committee with 10 sub-committees for short-term, mid-term and long-term action plans.

He said the committee would address challenges in terms of balancing health, safety and economic impact on people.

"The draft of the action plans

was tabled during the special NSC meeting chaired by Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin on Nov 30.

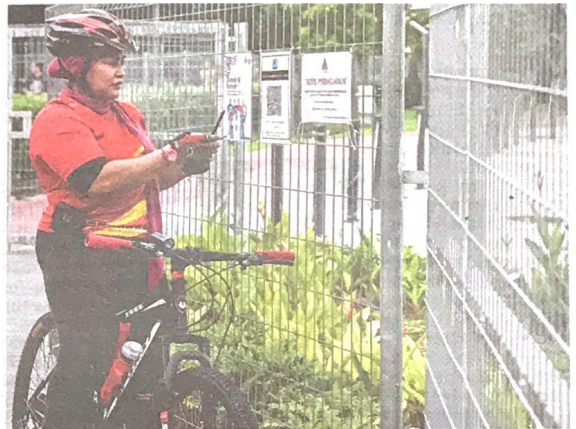
"The document will be used as a reference in facing the pandemic."

He said the government had enforced the Workers' Minimum Standards of Housing and Amenities Act 1990 (Act 446) against employers who failed to provide housing facilities for foreign workers.

"We have been informed by the Human Resources Ministry that inspections are being carried out nationwide.

"Twenty-one investigation papers have been opened."

He said the government had decided to extend the Enhanced Movement Control Order (EMCO) at Zone B and Zone C of Taman Meru 2C in Ipoh, Perak,



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for seven days starting tomorrow until Dec 10.

He said the EMCO at Seberang Perai Prison and the prison quarters in Penang ended yesterday.

The EMCO at the Tawau tem-

porary detention centre, Sandakan Prison, Sandakan's Taman

Wira prison quarters, Kampung Nahaba and Kampung Tegudon in Kota Belud would end today,

he added.