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DEPUTY MINISTER OF TRANSPORT II VISIT PTP

The Port of Tanjung Pelepas received YBM Dato? Seri Tengku Azlan Ibni Sultan Abu Bakar, the Deputy Minister of Transport II. The Deputy Minister who arrived via Senai Airport was received by the PTP Chairman Dato? Mohd Taufik Abdullah and senior members PTP management.

The Deputy Minister was given a briefing on the latest developments at PTP by Datuk Mohd Sidik Shaik Osman, PTP Chief Executive Officer and brought to the port viewing gallery for an overview of port operations. He was then brought for a port tour for a closer look at the operations on the wharf and the container yard. They then proceeded to the construction site of berths 7 and 8 of PTP Phase II where the minister was given a short briefing on the progress of construction.

The deputy minister then gave a short press conference at the port briefing room and which was followed by lunch. Also in attendance were the General Manager of the Johor Port Authority and the Marine Department Director for the Southern region.

Background Information

PTP, South East Asia?s fastest growing port is strategically located at the southwest shoulder of Johor with a minimum diversion time from the confluence of the main international shipping lanes. PTP?s strategic location presents significant geographical

advantages through its deep waters, sheltered bay and wide access channel. PTP offers 6 berths of 360 metres each totaling 2.16 km in length backed by one of the largest container yards in the region with a storage capacity of 110,000 TEUs.

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