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## **PRESS STATEMENT**

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### **WATER SUPPLY INTERRUPTION AT BATU MAUNG AND PERMATANG DAMAR LAUT ON 3/12/2016**

- **9.00am – 9.00pm supply interruption to enable pipe connections**
- **Pipe connections are to relocate water pipelines to make way for a JKR flyover construction project**
- **Affected areas: Junction of Solok Bayan Lepas until Sungai Tiram Bridge, Jalan Permatang Damar Laut, Solok Bayan Lepas, Jalan Batu Maung, MAS Cargo Complex 2 (Batu Maung), LKIM Fisheries Complex (Batu Maung), Diamond Valley Industrial Area (Batu Maung), Taman Iping, Taman Cassia, Sunway Mutiara, Taman Batu Nilam, Taman Bidara, Taman Jeliti, Taman Beringin, Taman Kekabu and Southbay.**

PENANG, Thursday (24/11/2016): A total of 6 underground water pipe connections will be carried out in Batu Maung on 3/12/2016.

These pipe connections are necessary to make way for the construction of a new flyover by the Public Works Department (JKR).

The connections will enable the diversion of water supply delivery systems away from piling and construction sites. The works will ensure that water supply in the area is not affected by road upgrading works.

Perbadanan Bekalan Air Pulau Pinang Sdn Bhd (PBAPP) must temporarily shut down an existing 600mm mild steel water pipeline to the area to carry out the connections.

This pipeline shutdown will cause a scheduled water supply interruption for 12 hours in the area, from 9.00am to 9.00pm, on Saturday, 3/12/2016.

This water supply interruption will affect about 39,000 people in the following areas (please refer to the map in 'Appendix A'):

- Junction of Solok Bayan Lepas until Sungai Tiram Bridge, Jalan Permatang Damar Laut
- Solok Bayan Lepas
- Jalan Batu Maung
- MAS Cargo Complex 2, Batu Maung
- LKIM Fisheries Complex, Batu Maung
- Diamond Valley Industrial Area, Batu Maung
- Taman Iping, Taman Cassia, Sunway Mutiara, Taman Batu Nilam, Taman Bidara, Taman Jeliti, Taman Beringin, Taman Kekabu and Southbay.

We would like to advise all affected consumers to kindly store sufficient water for use during the supply shutdown period.

Our connection works are scheduled to commence during daylight hours to ensure precise and timely completion within 12 hours. Pipe connections at all 6 locations will be conducted simultaneously to minimise the downtime.

Kindly note that the Bayan Lepas Free Trade Zone and the Penang International Airport will NOT be affected by this shutdown.



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We deeply regret any inconvenience caused. Please note that these water works are necessary to accommodate the JKR road upgrading works.

Thank You.

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