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PRESS STATEMENT

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OVERNIGHT SCHEDULED WATER SUPPLY INTERRUPTION ON 5/8/2017 AND 6/8/2017 TO REPLACE LEAKING 30-YEAR-OLD PIPE JOINT AT THE SUNGAI DUA WATER TREATMENT PLANT.

- **Water supply interruption from 10.00pm on 5/8/2017 - 10.00am on 6/8/2017 in 3 areas in Seberang Prai Utara (SPU).**
- **Affected areas: Taman Desa Murni, Taman Seri Murni and Persiaran Murni.**
- **Joint replacement work will stop water losses and prevent unscheduled water supply interruptions resulting from total joint failure.**

PENANG, Monday (31/7/2017): A 30-year-old 825mm pipe joint that is leaking will be replaced in the Sungai Dua Water Treatment Plant this weekend.

The pipe joint replacement work by Perbadanan Bekalan Air Pulau Pinang Sdn Bhd (PBAPP) requires the temporary shutdown of a 1,200mm mild steel (MS) pipeline that delivers treated water from the water treatment plant.

This pipeline shutdown will cause a 12-hour scheduled water supply interruption from 10.00pm on Saturday, 5/8/2017, to 10.00am on Sunday, 6/8/2017.

This scheduled supply interruption will affect about 9,200 water consumers in nearby areas.

Affected residents in the following areas are advised to store sufficient water for use over 12 hours, overnight:

1. **Taman Desa Murni, SPU;**
2. **Taman Seri Murni, SPU; and**
3. **Persiaran Murni, SPU.**

Kindly refer to Appendix 'A':

Affected Areas - Scheduled Water Supply Interruption at Sungai Dua WTP (SPU), from 10.00pm on 5/8/2017 to 10.00am on 6/8/2017.

PBAPP has scheduled for the pipe joint replacement work to be conducted overnight, and over a weekend, to minimise inconveniences for affected water consumers.

Please note that the joint needs to be replaced urgently as it is already leaking. The rectification works are targeted at stopping water losses and preventing a total joint failure that may result in an unscheduled water supply interruption in SPU.

PBAPP deeply regrets any inconvenience caused.

Thank You.

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**Sungai Dua
Water Treatment
Plant**

**LEAKING AT
825mm PIPE**

**Taman
Seri Murni**

**Taman
Desa Murni**

**Persiaran
Murni**

Appendix 'A':
**12-Hour Scheduled Water Supply
Interruption at Sungai Dua,
Seberang Prai Utara (SPU)
on 5/8/2017, 10.00pm to 6/8/2017,
10.00am.**

 **Affected Areas**

