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## 'Have special quota for employment of disabled'

**SEREMBAN:** Make it compulsory for employers to have an employment quota for the disabled, said parents with special children.

Ainol Amriz Ismail, 49, said such a move would help the disabled to lead a normal life and not be too dependent on Government and community assistance.

"The disabled have difficulty in finding jobs due to the mentality of employers who feel they cannot perform well.

"I salute companies participating in this carnival for setting aside prejudices and taking up the challenge of hiring the disabled," he said when met at the Seremban district-level Disabled Career Carnival here yesterday.

Ainol Amriz had accompanied his daughter, Anis Athirah, 21, to the carnival.

Ainol Amriz said through this carnival, his daughter, who has learning disabilities, managed to secure a job with AEON Seremban 2.

She reports for work this Thursday.

Another disabled visitor, Muhammad Iqbal Abu Latiffi, 23, who recently graduated in Computer Science from Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), said the disabled should not miss this golden opportunity to secure a job.

G. Kathirvan, 20, who lost a leg in a backhoe accident four years ago, said the same, praising job fairs like this as a big help to the disabled.

Over 150 job opportunities were offered to the disabled by 15 companies, including Parkson, Sushi King, McDonald's, SWM Environment, The Royale Bintang, Mydin and Toto Malaysia.

The one-day carnival was jointly organised by the Seremban Social Welfare Office, Nilai Municipal Council and JobsMalaysia. — Bernama

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## Govt urged to have hiring quota for disabled

**SEREMBAN** — The government has been urged to make it compulsory for every employer to have a special employment quota for people with disabilities.

Ainol Amriz Ismail, 49, who has a disabled daughter, said such a quota would help the disabled lead a normal life and not be too dependent on government and community assistance.

“There are employers who have no confidence in the capability of the disabled. They regard the disabled as second class in the employment sector,” he said when met at the district-level Disabled Career Carnival yesterday.

Ainol Amriz, who accompanied his daughter, Anis Athirah, 21, said the

disabled had difficulty in finding jobs due to the mentality of employers who felt the disabled could not perform well.

“They (employers) should instead provide opportunities for the disabled as they have various skills in accordance with their disabilities.

“I salute companies participating in today’s carnival for their willingness to disregard the misconception and take up the challenge of hiring them,” he said.

Ainol Amriz said through this carnival, his daughter, who had learning problems, managed to secure a job with AEON Seremban 2 and would report for work on Thursday.

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Iqbal Abu Latiffi, 23, who recently graduated in Computer Science from Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), said the disabled should not miss this golden opportunity to secure a job.

“This is a good programme which should be held regularly to assist people like me get a job,” he said.

G. Kathirvan, 20, who lost a leg in a backhoe accident four years ago, said this programme could help him find a suitable job considering his physical handicap.

Meanwhile, over 150 job opportunities were offered to the disabled by 15 companies, including Parkson Holdings Bhd, Sushi King, McDonald’s, Harold’s Bread, Mdec eRezeki, SWM Environment,

The Royale Bintang, Mydin, Sports Toto Malaysia, Klana Resort Seremban, Alfa Packaging, Favelle Favco Cranes, Sim Foo Enterprise and Masaero Sdn Bhd.

The one-day carnival, jointly organised by the Seremban Social Welfare Office, Nilai Municipal Council and JobsMalaysia, was opened by Paroi assemblyman Mohd Ghazali Abd Wahid.

In his speech, Mohd Ghazali said the disabled needed jobs with the accompanying benefits to be economically independent.

“However, society is still sceptical of the capability of the disabled due to prejudice towards this group, hence their difficulty in getting employed,” he said. — Bernama