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## ISU : PENDIDIKAN KESELAMATAN DI TADIKA

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1.	9 MEI 2017 (SELASA)	<b>BORNEO POST</b> Niosh mulls starting OSH education in kindergartens	<b>NIOSH</b>

### AKHBAR : BORNEO POST

#### Niosh mulls starting OSH education in kindergartens



**SIBU** : National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (Niosh) is mulling introducing rudimentary occupational safety and health (OSH) education in kindergartens. Niosh chairman Tan Sri Lee Lam Thye told The Borneo Post yesterday children should be taught OSH and it should start as early as at kindergartens. "We believe that for OSH to succeed, you must develop an OSH culture. "We are of the view that if young children were taught this basic safety concept, they will have a better understanding of OSH later," he said. He noted that OSH education in school is a very new subject. "In fact, even teachers themselves are not fully aware of OSH in school," he observed. "When you talk about safety in school what immediately comes to mind is food safety, keeping out food poisoning in school, drugs, crime, bully and gangsterism.

"But they never think about school environment must be safe or teaching and learning." As an example Lee said wiring in schools, especially old schools which might pose grave danger of short circuit or electrocution. "Teachers too must learn about OSH as when taking children for outings they must ensure that facilities that the children use must be safe. "For example, when carrying out activities like camping and jungle trekking, teachers must ensure that the routes are safe."

Niosh introduced OSH programme in schools a few years ago. "But, only lately, we managed to get Ministry of Education to support us," Lee said. In the past, Lee said that they were merely doing pilot projects. With the permission of the school head, they would do programmes to explain what OSH in school was about and impressed upon the teachers that it was not only meant for students as teachers must also be aware of the importance of OSH.

The programme has proven beneficial in raising safety awareness among school communities. According to Lee, the programme covers another dimension and views schools as a workplace, in accordance with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) 1994. A school or an education institution is considered as a place of work, therefore, according to OSHA, employers have to make schools safe and healthy places of work for teachers, students, administrative and support staff as well as visitors, he explained.

## ISU : PENGLIBATAN MASYARAKAT CINA DALAM ANJURAN PARLIMEN SERIAN

BIL.	TARIKH	AKHBAR & TAJUK BERITA	PIHAK TERLIBAT
1.	9 MEI 2017 (SELASA)	<b>BORNEO POST</b> Riot happy more Chinese women in BN events	<b>MENTERI SUMBER MANUSIA</b>

### AKHBAR : BORNEO POST

#### Riot happy more Chinese women in BN events



*Riot (seated, centre) in a group photograph with the organising committee members and officials of the Chung Hua Serian Alumni Association.*

**SERIAN:** Datuk Seri Richard Riot Jaem is confident more Chinese voters in Serian will rally behind Barisan Nasional (BN) in the coming 14th General Election (GE14) to be held anytime soon. The Human Resources Minister and six-term Serian MP said this confidence is based on the increased participation of Chinese women in many Barisan Nasional-linked political and social activities of late. He noted with interest the involvement of a growing number of Chinese women now heading working committees and organising events in the Serian parliamentary constituency, compared to the past when very few Chinese women turned up at functions let alone organised them.

“Chinese women are now heading working committees. Chinese women organising major social and political party-related functions, this to me is a happy development in the Chinese community in Serian,” he said at a dinner organised by Chung Hua School Serian Alumni Association at Dewan Masyarakat Serian recently. He said support for him during elections remained strong among Dayak voters because the women had been at the forefront of many social and political activities in the villages and longhouses. He said because of this it was only right that he helped the various women movements in the Serian parliamentary constituency. On another matter, he reminded the Chinese community, the majority of whom reside in and around Serian town, of the direct benefit coming their way from all the major development programmes now taking place in the town.

He said because of that the Chinese community in Serian should be supportive of the BN government. “Serian will be an economic hub. A new township, a convention centre, an industrial training institute, and a light rail train connecting here and Kuching are among developments that will bring Serian to a new socio-economic level,” he said. Riot announced RM15,000 financial grant to the association and called on Chinese parents to seriously consider sending their children for industrial training with any of the Industrial Training Institutes (ILPs) in the state both to help power the state towards attaining a high income economy and to be job market-competitive. Also present at the dinner were political secretary to the Human Resources Minister Major (r) Datuk Peter Runin, Serian District officer Lim Hock Meng and Pemasca Chai Min Lee.

## ISU : KESELAMATAN SEMASA BEKERJA DALAM KALANGAN MEDIA

BIL.	TARIKH	AKHBAR & TAJUK BERITA	PIHAK TERLIBAT
1.	9 MEI 2017 (SELASA)	<b>SINAR HARIAN</b> Prihatin keselamatan media	<b>NIOSH</b>

### AKHBAR : SINAR HARIAN

#### Prihatin keselamatan media



*Lam Thye (kiri) menyerahkan memorandum amalan kerja selamat untuk profesional media kepada Salleh Said di pejabatnya di Putrajaya, semalam.*

**SHAH ALAM** - Institut Keselamatan dan Kesihatan Pekerjaan Negara (Niosh) akan bekerjasama dengan Kementerian Komunikasi dan Multimedia untuk menganjurkan kempen kesedaran dan latihan berkaitan amalan kerja selamat bagi warga media pada tahun ini. Pengerusinya, Tan Sri Lee Lam Thye berkata, Menteri Komunikasi dan Multimedia, Datuk Seri Dr Salleh Said Keruak menyatakan persetujuan menyokong penuh program itu setelah memorandum inisiatif itu diserahkan kepadanya. "Beliau sedar akan risiko dan ancaman dihadapi pengamal media dan mengarahkan pegawai kementerian supaya menyokong program yang akan melibatkan organisasi media seluruh negara," katanya selepas mengadakan kunjungan hormat ke pejabat menteri itu, semalam.

Menurutnya, kes terbaru melibatkan pembunuhan warga asing berprofil tinggi menunjukkan kelemahan aspek keselamatan warga media apabila mereka terdedah kepada racun VX ketika membuat liputan. Beliau berkata, Niosh dan Jabatan Keselamatan dan Kesihatan Pekerjaan menerbitkan buku panduan keselamatan komprehensif bagi warga media apabila berlakunya kemalangan maut melibatkan jurukamera Bernama TV pada 2011. Di dalam insiden itu, Noramfaizul Mohd Nor terbunuh akibat terkena peluru sesat ketika membuat liputan misi bantuan kemanusiaan di Mogadishu, Somalia pada 2 September, 2011.

Katanya, walaupun insiden tersebut meragut nyawa, masih ada wartawan yang dihantar membuat liputan di tempat berisiko tinggi tanpa memakai peralatan perlindungan sesuai atau pengetahuan cukup mengenai bahaya yang bakal dihadapi. "Organisasi media tidak sepatutnya tunggu sehingga berlaku satu lagi kemalangan untuk mempraktikkan amalan kerja baik berdasarkan garis panduan dikeluarkan itu.

“Di bawah Akta Keselamatan dan Kesihatan Pekerjaan 1994, majikan wajib menyediakan persekitaran kerja selamat dan sihat untuk pekerja mereka,” katanya. Lam Thye berkata, pengamal media akan terdedah kepada penyakit dan ancaman alam sekitar yang lain semasa membuat liputan bencana alam atau wabak, manakala mereka yang dihantar ke zon perang dan kawasan konflik mungkin tercedera atau terbunuh.

Tegasnya, kempen kesedaran untuk profesional media sebahagian daripada inisiatif tanggungjawab sosial korporat Niosh dengan sokongan Kementerian Komunikasi dan Multimedia dan agensinya. Selain Kuala Lumpur, beliau berkata program yang sama akan diadakan di pejabat cawangan Niosh seluruh negara bagi membolehkan lebih ramai profesional media mendapat manfaat. Peserta akan mempelajari kaedah menilai risiko di tempat kejadian dan mencari cara terbaik mengurangkan atau elak kemalangan daripada berlaku semasa bertugas. “Peranan utama profesional media adalah mendapatkan berita, bukan jadi subjek berita. Mereka tidak akan dapat lapor berita jika cedera atau terbunuh ketika bertugas,”katanya.