



STATE DISASTER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

MEDIA STATEMENT ON COVID-19 SITUATION IN SARAWAK **17 APRIL 2020**

1. DAILY UPDATE

Sarawak today **records 10 new Covid-19 positive cases**. These bring the total to 397 positive cases since the first one was detected on 13 March, 2020.

Of these 10, 7 are at the Sarawak General Hospital, 2 at Miri Hospital and one at Sibu Hospital.

Sarawak today recorded **119 New** Person Under Investigation(PUI) cases today bringing the cumulative total to **3,184 cases**.

Of these cumulative total, **2,687 cases** had tested negative while **100 are awaiting** laboratory test result.

NEW PUI STATISTICS BASED ON DISTRICTS.

BIL	DISTRICT	TOTAL
1	Kuching	79
2	Serian	13
3	Miri	10
4	Samarahan	7
5	Bau	2
6	Bintulu	2
7	Lundu	1
8	Asajaya	1
9	Simunjan	1
10	Sri Aman	1
11	Betong	1
12	Sarikei	1
TOTAL		119

2. MCO COMPLIANCE

Today, Sarawak's MCO compliance rate is at **97 per cent.**

Yesterday the police arrested 112 people for violation of the MCO and 36 of them had been charged in court.

Since the MCO was enforced on 18 March, a total of 887 people had been arrested and 520 of them had been charged in court.

The Followings Are Details of The Arrest Based On Districts(From 17.4.20 @ 8am)

BIL	DISTRICT	TOTAL
1	Kuching	36
2	Miri	15
3	Padawan	14
4	Serian	9
5	Simunjan	6
6	Bintulu	4
7	Meradong	4
8	Sarikei	4
9	Saratok	3
10	Sibu	2
11	Kota Samarahan	2
12	Bau	2
13	Kapit	2
14	Lubok Antu	2
15	Tatau	2
16	Lawas	2
17	Betong	1
18	Lundu	1
19	Dalat	1
GRAND TOTAL		112

3. DISINFECTION OPERATIONS BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES

- a) 870 personnel from the various local authorities had carried out disinfection operations covering 54,610 business premises state-wide.
- b) Today, the disinfection operations were carried out in 23 locations.

The Total Numbers Of Locations Disinfected To-Date At The Divisional Levels Are As Follow:

BIL	DIVISION	LOCATION
1	Kuching	81
2	Miri	57
3	Sarikei	18
4	Limbang	17
5	Bintulu	15
6	Samarahan	13
7	Sri Aman	10
8	Betong	5
9	Sibu	4
10	Serian	1
Jumlah		221

(Bil. Agencies Total Nos Of Workers Involved.)

BIL	AGENCIES	PERSON
1	JBPM	1,709
2	PBT	944

3	KKM	371
4	APM	199
5	RELA	136
6	PDRM	110
7	Pejabat Daerah	35
8	Lain-Lain	77
Jumlah		3,581

4. PLACEMENT OF SARAWAKIANS (FROM OVERSEAS, PENINSULAR MALAYSIA/ SABAH AND LABUAN) AT SURVEILLANCE QUARANTINE CENTRES.

Data until 17.04.2020 @ 8am

BIL	DIVISION	HOTEL	BILPUS
1	Kuching	Hock Lee	116
2		Rajah Court Dormani	83
3		Kuching Park	78
4		Pullman	254
5	Miri	Mega	112
6		Somerset	45
7		Ostay Inn	19
8		Cosy Inn	48
9		Imperial Palace	145
10		Eastwood Resort	25

11		Imperial	54
12	Limbang	Purnama	82
13	Bintulu	Wasan Inn	3
14		Park City Everly	230
TOTAL PUS			1,294

5. SUMMARY

With MCO compliance rate at 97 per cent, the situation in the state is still under control.

I hope ALL Sarawakians will continue to comply with all directives from in our efforts to cut off further transmission of the Covid-19.

(STAY AT HOME, STOP THE SPREAD AND SAVE LIFE)

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17th APRIL 2020

5.00 PM