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DVS Sabah Holds Event To Increase Animal Welfare Awareness In The State

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KOTA KINABALU: The Veterinary Services Department (DVS) in Sabah hopes to foster better work relations with animal welfare groups and non-governmental organisations (NGOs) to enhance animal welfare in the state.

DVS Sabah Chief Senior Assistant Director Dr Zul Bahar Abdul Rashid said awareness and collaboration between state and private sectors in protecting animal welfare is lacking.

He said this in a statement after a town hall session with

more than 60 participants from local government agencies, private veterinary clinics, animal welfare NGOs and pet shops from Kota Kinabalu, Tuaran, Penampang and Putatan on Friday (March 8).

The session, hosted at the DVS Kota Kinabalu regional office in Kepyayan, was held to gather feedback and provide information on the Animal Welfare Enactment 2015 and related topics.

Dr Zul said that attendees were also introduced to the DVS' online animal welfare

portal, where the public can report animal cruelty issues in Sabah.

“Today’s program also brought together local authorities around the districts of Kota Kinabalu, Penampang, Putatan and Tuaran to share their experience with other stakeholders on the management of stray animals essentially related to the Dog Ordinance 1960,” he said.

“To date, this is the first of such programs initiated in the west coast region and the third in Sabah, where two similar programs were done in Kudat and Tawau in 2023,” he added.-[THESTAR](#)

Bekalan Ayam, Daging Cukup Menjelang Ramadan Dan Aidilfitri

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Kota Kinabalu: Kementerian Pertanian dan Keterjaminan Makanan (KPKM) bersama kementerian dan agensi berkaitan memberi jaminan bahawa bekalan barangan asas seperti ayam dan daging mencukupi menjelang Ramadan serta sambutan Aidilfitri.

Menteri Pertanian dan Keterjaminan Makanan Datuk Seri Mohamad Sabu berkata bekalan ayam dan telur pada masa ini adalah stabil, namun berharap penternak melipatgandakan usaha meningkatkan keperluan.

"Sekiranya bekalan terjejas, kita boleh import kerana sudah jalinkan persefahaman dengan negara pengeksport seperti Thailand dan China," katanya kepada pemberita selepas merasmikan Expo Makanan Antarabangsa Sabah 2024 (SIFEX2024) di Pusat Konvensyen Antarabangsa Sabah (SICC) di sini hari ini.

Mohamad berkata tahun ini, kementerian menekankan kepada pembangunan empat industri iaitu padi dan beras; ayam, itik dan telur; bawang merah dan nanas dalam

memastikan kemajuan berterusan untuk menangani cabaran sekuriti makanan dan meningkatkan pertumbuhan ekonomi dalam sektor pertanian.

Mengenai bekalan beras negara, beliau berkata sasaran untuk mencapai 100 peratus kadar sara diri (SSR) perlu dilaksanakan bagi memastikan bekalan beras sentiasa mencukupi untuk rakyat.

"Purata pengeluaran beras negara masih tidak mencukupi dengan kadar SSR hanya 65 peratus pada masa ini ... namun, sasaran 100 peratus SSR itu boleh dicapai kerana kita masih mempunyai banyak kawasan tanah contohnya di Sabah, Sarawak dan Pahang.

"Kita juga boleh mempelajari kaedah menanam dan membaja dengan betul. Di negara lain, mereka boleh peroleh hingga lebih 10 tan beras dalam satu hektar, tetapi Malaysia hanya mampu mendapat tiga hingga lima tan beras dalam satu hektar," katanya.

Sementara itu, ditanya mengenai Pilihan Raya Negeri (PRN) Sabah, Mohamad yang juga Presiden Parti Amanah Negara (Amanah) berharap partinya diberi peluang

untuk meletakkan calon.-
MYMETRO

Sufficient Chicken, Meat Supply For Ramadan, Aidilfitri, Says Mohamad Sabu

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KOTA KINABALU: Agriculture and Food Security Minister Datuk Seri Mohamad Sabu has assured adequate chicken and meat supply to meet the demand for the month of Ramadan and during the Aidilfitri festive season.

He said the ministry, together with relevant ministries and agencies, will ensure that the supply of essential goods is sufficient.

"If the supply is inadequate, we can import goods as we have established agreements with exporting nations like Thailand and China," he told reporters after officiating the Sabah International Food Expo 2024 (SIFEX2024) at the Sabah International Convention Centre (SICC) here on Saturday (March 9).

Mohamad said that this year, the ministry is emphasising the development of four key industries, namely padi and rice; poultry and eggs; red onion; and pineapple, to ensure ongoing progress, address food security challenges, and enhance economic growth in the

agricultural sector.

"Currently, the country's chicken supply is stable, but we cannot solve the problem if our ringgit remains relatively low. Importing food from abroad in dollars can lead to an increase in import costs.

"As for the supply of eggs, it is sufficient, but we still import them, and we hope the breeders will ramp up their production efforts. For this festive season, the ministry will work with relevant agencies to ensure sufficient food supplies," he said.

Meanwhile, Mohamad emphasised the importance of achieving a 100% self-sufficiency ratio (SSR) for rice to secure an adequate rice supply for the people.

"Currently, the national SSR stands at 65%...but the goal of reaching 100% SSR can be achieved due to the ample land available, for example in Sabah, Sarawak, and Pahang.

"To ensure that we can

achieve 100% SSR, we can also learn how to properly plant and fertilise. Other nations can get up to more than 10 tonnes of rice in one hectare, but we in Malaysia can only get three to five tonnes of rice in one hectare," he said. - [BERNAMA](#)

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