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### **YAYASAN SABAH GROUP PLAYS ACTIVE ROLE IN STATE'S DEVELOPMENT**

**Kudat (Saturday)** – Chief Minister cum Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Yayasan Sabah, Tan Sri Datuk Seri Panglima Musa Haji Aman today officiated the Yayasan Sabah Bersama Rakyat (YSBR) Roadshow at Dewan Tun Mustapha, Kudat on 3 March 2018.

The Roadshow themed Career and Entrepreneurship aimed at sharing information to local communities and the public especially fresh school leavers, jobseekers and parents on job and career opportunities that are available in SICC. There were 60 booths during the Roadshow expo from various agencies and entrepreneurs.

Director of Yayasan Sabah, Datuk Sapawi Bin Haji Ahmad said in his speech, “Yayasan Sabah Group will also continue to focus on the development of human capital in rural and urban areas. Through its six zone offices, various programmes were implemented to improve the living standards of local people.”

Through its zone office in Kudat, programmes held by Yayasan Sabah Group in the West Coast North Zone from 2007 to 2017 have benefitted a total of more than 62,000 people at a cost of more than 4.2 million Ringgit.

Through the diversity of sectors and profits earned, Yayasan Sabah Group will continue to carry out programmes to improve the quality of life of Malaysians in Sabah.

“With the support of the Federal and State Government, the Group has developed the SICC which will become a hub of great minds and indirectly opens more than 10,000 job opportunities,” Datuk Sapawi added.

The SICC development, which is expected to be completed by the end of 2018, will impact all levels of society through business and employment opportunities.

He also explained, “In the process of meeting various demands, SICC will create opportunities for entrepreneurs as well as small and medium enterprises. SICC will also accelerate the involvement of entrepreneurs especially Bumiputera towards the end of the high-impact tourism chains.”

Through the concept of products from “farm to table”, culinary experts and local agricultural entrepreneurs, especially those under the Zone entrepreneurship programmes and training, will be given the opportunity to expand their business and potential.

“Having said that, hospitality and training programmes will also be organised by Kolej Teknikal Yayasan Sabah (KTYS) and University College Sabah Foundation (UCSF) in partnership with ACCOR Group (the operator for SICC). Selected participants will be given the opportunity to learn and improve their skills after which, further screening through interview will also be carried out to the potential participants in order for them to be employed at SICC,” said Datuk Sapawi too.

There were also a demonstration of fruits carving, napkins folding, mocktail making presentation, cupcakes decorating, photo editing and photography presentation, students work in fine arts and visual arts and many more by KTYS and UCSF students.

The public were also entertained with performances by artists namely *Kumpulan Zero Maharaja Lawak Mega* and local talents such as Mus Cili Padi, S. Welly, Rubisa Tiasin, Marlleynney Fane and Nurul Adha @ Lulu. *Kumpulan Zero Maharaja Lawak Mega* kept the atmosphere fun and exciting.

The roadshow continued to attract strong interest from the local communities there.

**Pix 1 :**

Crowds during the Roadshow.

**Pix 2 :**

Tan Sri Musa being welcomed by the local community.

**Pix 3 :**

The YSBR Roadshow (West Coast North Zone) officiated by Tan Sri Musa.

**Pix 4:**

Tan Sri Musa singing the 1 Malaysia song with the audience.

**Pix 5 & 6 :**

Tan Sri Musa visiting the exhibition.

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