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YAYASAN SABAH GROUP SIGNS MoU WITH DBP

KOTA KINABALU, Friday – Yayasan Sabah Group signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Institute of Language and Literature (Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka - DBP) on the Publication of Books on 20 October 2017 at Tun Hamdan Theatre, Menara Tun Mustapha.

Signing on behalf of Yayasan Sabah Group was the Director, Datuk Sapawi Bin Haji Ahmad while DBP was represented by its Chief Director, Datuk Haji Abdul Adzis Bin Abas.

“Yayasan Sabah Group has been working closely with DBP for multiple publication projects that encompass children’s book, education, research and ethnography as well as flora and fauna through its Child Development Division (CDD), Conservation and Environmental Management Division (CEMD) as well as Research and Economic Development Division (R&D),” said Datuk Sapawi.

Yayasan Sabah Group’s collaboration with DBP goes back to 18 years ago when Yayasan Sabah Group, through CDD, published a series of books entitled “Siri Riang Ria” which comprised of 26 titles. Currently, CDD has prepared 16 children’s books to be improvised and published through DBP. “Yayasan Sabah Group and DBP also jointly organised writing workshops and seminars to improve the writing skills of staff in an effort to produce high-quality publication,” said Datuk Sapawi.

“Through this MoU, Yayasan Sabah Group and DBP will work together in research, publications, long-term programs, writing competitions and sharing of information, to name a few,” explained Datuk Sapawi.

He added, “I hope that through this MoU, it will be a platform for writers of Yayasan Sabah Group to contribute ideas, research inputs and their experiences to be documented in books and shared with the public.”

Also in attendance were Deputy Director of Yayasan Sabah, Datuk Hajah Rosmawati Haji Lasuki, Director of DBP Sabah, Puan Hajah Asmiah Haji Ajamain as well as officials from DBP and Yayasan Sabah Group.

PIX 1 : *Datuk Sapawi (second, right) and Datuk Haji Abdul Adzis (second, left) signing the MoU with witnesses, Encik Ramlan Goddos, Secretary, Yayasan Sabah Board of Trustees (right) and Tuan Haji Abd. Khalik Sulaiman, Director, Publication Department, DBP (left).*

PIX 2 : *Datuk Sapawi (third, right) showing the documents with Datuk Haji Abdul Adzis (third, left). Also in the picture are Puan Hajah Asmiah (left), Tuan Haji Abd. Khalik Sulaiman (second, left), Datuk Hajah Rosmawati (second, right) and Encik Ramlan (right).*

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