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## PRESS STATEMENT

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## JKR ROAD UPGRADING PROJECT: 12-HOUR SCHEDULED WATER SUPPLY INTERRUPTION FROM BATU MAUNG TO PERMATANG TEPI LAUT ON 3/3/2018.

Time/Date: 9.00am – 9.00pm on SATURDAY, 3/3/2018.

Affected: 40,000 people.

Reason: Diversion of existing 600mm water supply pipeline

to facilitate JKR's "P10 Road Upgrading Project from

Batu Maung to Jalan Sultan Azlan Shah".

PENANG, Monday (26/2/2018): An existing 600mm MS (mild steel) water supply pipeline will be diverted away from a JKR road widening site at Lebuhraya Tun Dr. Lim Chong Eu (in front of the Nippon Express Sdn Bhd office) this Saturday.

This water pipeline diversion is required to accommodate the JKR's "P10 Road Upgrading Project from Batu Maung to Jalan Sultan Azlan Shah".

To enable the diversion works, Perbadanan Bekalan Air Pulau Pinang Sdn Bhd (PBAPP) has to temporarily "shut down" the 600mm pipeline.

The pipeline shutdown will cause a scheduled 12-hour water supply interruption that will affect about 40,000 water consumers in Batu Maung, Permatang Damar Laut and Permatang Tepi Laut.

As such, domestic and trade water consumers in the following areas are kindly advised to store sufficient water for use from 9.00am to 9.00pm on Saturday, 3/3/2018:



1	Solok Bayan Lepas	14	Jalan Permatang Damar Laut
2	Jalan Batu Maung	15	Solok Batu Maung
3	Akuarium Batu Maung	16	Jalan Kekabu
4	Restoran Pen Mutiara	17	Rumah Murah Fasa 1 & 2
			Permatang Damar Laut
5	Pelabuhan LKIM Batu Maung	18	Kampung Permatang Tepi Laut
6	Taman Desa Batu Maung	19	Taman Seri Bayan
7	Kampung Batu Maung	20	Kawasan Perindustrian Diamond
			Valley
8	Taman Sunway Mutiara	21	Taman Sri Mewah
9	Taman Bidara	22	Taman Iping
10	Taman Sunway Tunas Jaya	23	Lebuh Batu Maung 1
11	Taman Sunway Cassia	24	Lebuhraya Batu Maung
12	Taman Desa Wangsa	25	National Instrument (M) Sdn Bhd
13	Kampung Permatang Damar	26	Kompleks Kargo MAS Batu
	Laut		Maung

Please refer to the map in 'Appendix A' that shows all the affected areas.

However, water supply to the Penang International Airport and the Bayan Lepas Free Trade Zone areas will not be affected.

PBAPP deeply regrets any inconvenience caused. Kindly note that the pipe diversion is required to accommodate a JKR project. PBAPP's water supply pipeline must be safely diverted to prevent mishaps and ensure continuous good water supply.

Thank You.

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## **APPENDIX A**

