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THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF SARAWAK

ASSIGNMENT OF PORTFOLIOS

It is notified for general information that in pursuance of Article 9(1) of the Constitution of the State of Sarawak, the Yang di-Pertua Negeri, Sarawak, has, in accordance with the advice of the Chief Minister, directed that the persons named in column (1) of the Schedule shall, with effect from the 1st day of August, 2008:

(a) have the styles of offices and titles of Ministers as specified in the corresponding column (2);

(b) be charged with the responsibility for the ministries, departments or agencies and subjects specified in the corresponding columns (3) and (4) respectively; and

(c) be assisted by the persons whose names appear in the corresponding column (1) and assigned to their respective ministries and who shall have—

(i) the styles and titles of offices of Assistant Ministers as specified in the corresponding column (2); and

(ii) the duties and responsibilities specified in the corresponding column (4).

2. *Gazette* Notification No. 3158 dated 25th September, 2004, is revoked.

*SCHEDULE*

<i>No.</i>	<i>(1)</i> <i>Persons</i>	<i>(2)</i> <i>Styles and Titles</i>	<i>(3)</i> <i>Ministry/Department/Agency</i>	<i>(4)</i> <i>Subjects</i>
1.	Pelim Sri Haji Abdul Taib Mahmud Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Dr. George Chan Hong Nam Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri (Dr.) Alfred Jabu anak Numpang	Chief Minister Deputy Chief Minister (I) Deputy Chief Minister (II)	Chief Minister's Department	Such responsibilities as may be assigned by the Chief Minister from time to time. Such responsibilities as may be assigned by the Chief Minister from time to time.
				<i>Section I - General</i>
				Overall Policy Formulation. General Administration of the State. All State Investments. Privatization and Corporatization of State Agencies.
				State Immigration Control.
				<i>Section II - Economic Planning and Development</i>
				State Economic and Development Planning. Project Implementation and Monitoring.
				Development of Sarawak Corridor of Renewal Energy ("SCORE"), including Planning, Implementation of all Decisions relating to SCORE. Co-ordination of all relevant Government agencies (STATE and FEDERAL) in SCORE. Promotion and Marketing of Investments in SCORE.
				Minor Rural Projects.
				Co-ordination of Scientific Research, Research and Development Activities and Biotechnology.
				All Planning and Development Functions of BDA other than its Local Authority Responsibilities.
				Immigration Department (relating to entry into Sarawak)
				State Planning Unit State Implementation and Monitoring Unit
				Regional Development Corridor Authority
				State Development Department
				State Science Research and Biotechnology Council
				Bintulu Development Authority

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			<i>Section III - City Administration</i>	
			Dewan Bandaraya Kuching Utara	All matters relating to Administration of DBKU and MBKS, Urban Drainage, Wastes
			Majlis Bandaraya Kuching Selatan	Management, Sewerage, Local Authority Services and Traffic Control within the City of Kuching.
				<i>Section IV - Security and management of natural disasters and reliefs</i>
			State Security Council	State Security.
			State Disaster Relief Committee	Border Control and Security.
			RELA	Monitoring of Disasters and Management of Relief Operations.
				State Pardons Board.
				Watching brief over:
				(a) Police and Security Forces
				(b) Courts and Judicial System
				(c) Prisons Department.
				<i>Section V - Islamic Affairs</i>
			Majlis Islam	Islamic Affairs and Customs.
			Jabatan Agama Islam	Syriah Court System in Sarawak.
				Muslim Charitable Trusts.
				Islamic Religious Education in Sarawak.

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				<i>Section VI - Human Resource Development and Training</i>
	Yayasan Sarawak			Scholarships, Loans and Awards.
	Sarawak Higher Education Fund			Human Resource Planning and Development, including Education, Training, Labour, Employment and Industrial Training.
	Human Resource Council			
	Sarawak Skills Development Centre			<i>Watching brief over:</i>
				(a) Education
				(b) Information and Broadcasting
				(c) Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka.
				<i>Section VII - Native Affairs</i>
	Majlis Adat Istiadat			Native Court Systems
	Native Courts			Native Laws and Customs
				Penan Affairs
				<i>Section VIII - Information Technology and Research</i>
	Sarawak Information Technology and Resources Council			Promotion of Usage and Application of Information Technology.
	Pustaka Negeri Sarawak			Co-ordination of IT Development Activities. Improvement of IT Access to Rural Areas.
				<i>Section IX - Entrepreneur Development</i>
	Sarawak Economic Development Corporation			Development and Training of Bumiputera Entrepreneurs

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	Encik Larry Sng Wei Shien	Assistant Minister in Chief Minister's Office		To assist the Chief Minister on such subjects under Section II.
	Tuan Haji Daud bin Abdul Rahman	Assistant Minister for Islamic Affairs		To assist the Chief Minister on subjects under Section V.
	Datin Hajah Fatimah Abdullah	Assistant Minister for Human Resources and Training		To assist the Chief Minister on subjects under Section VI.
	Tuan Haji Bolhassan bin Haji Di	Assistant Minister for Information Technology		To assist the Chief Minister on subjects under Section VIII.
	Tuan Haji Mohd. Naroden bin Haji Majais	Assistant Minister for Entrepreneur Development		To assist the Chief Minister on subjects under Section IX.
2.	Pehin Sri Haji Abdul Taib Mahmud	Minister of Finance	Ministry of Finance	State Finance and Budgetary Functions. State Audit. State Financial Planning and Control. Management of State Investments. State Consolidated Fund. State Contingency and Trust Funds.
	Dato Sri Wong Soon Koh	Second Minister of Finance		Collection and protection of State Revenue. State Sales Tax. Accounts of State Government.
			State Treasury	Control of Tenders and Government Procurement. Registration of Contractors.
			State Tenders' Board	<i>Watching Brief on the following Federal Subjects:</i> (a) Customs, Inland Revenue and other Forms of Taxation; (b) Banking and Financial Institutions; and (c) Federal Finance, Statistics and Audit.

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3.	Pehin Sri Haji Abdul Taib Mahmud	Minister of Planning and Resource Management	Ministry of Planning and Resource Management	Planning and Management of Natural Resources.
				<i>Watching brief on the following Federal Subjects:</i>
				Mineral Resources Development (industrial aspects)
	Dato Sri Haji Awang Tengah Ali Hasan	Second Minister of Planning and Resource Management	Forests Department	Licensing and Regulatory Control of Forests, Establishment of Forest Reserves, Protected Forests and Planted Forests, Forestry Management.
			Sarawak Forestry Corporation	Game Protection. Silviculture, Flora and Fauna. National Parks and Nature Reserves.
			State Planning Authority	Town and Country Planning. Planning Control. Land Classification and Subdivision. Creation of Parks and Greens, and Recreational Parks.
			Land and Survey Department	Land Settlement. Land Use and Land Administration. State Immovable Property and Interests in Land. Mining and Mining Leases and Certificates. Prospecting Licences. Quarries. Control of Mining Operations and Production. Land Acquisition for Federal Purposes. Resettlement of Squatters. Cadastral and Topographical Surveys. Land Use and Land Administration, matters pertaining to State Planning Authority.

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			Land Custody and Development Authority	All activities of the Authority.
			Sarawak Timber Industry Development Corporation	All activities of the Corporation.
			Sarawak Water Resources Management Council	Protection, Conservation and Management of Water Resources, including Water Catchment Areas.
			Sarawak Biodiversity Council	Biodiversity - Conservation, Utilization and Research on Biological Resources.
			State Minerals Management Authority	Management of Minerals (other than petroleum) including prospecting and mining of such minerals.
	Tuan Haji Mohd. Naroden bin Haji Majais	Assistant Minister of Planning and Resource Management		Such responsibilities as may be assigned to him from time to time by the Minister of Planning and Resource Management.
4.	Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Dr. George Chan Hong Nam	Minister of Modernization of Agriculture	Ministry of Modernization of Agriculture Agriculture Department	Policy Formulation, Planning and Development of Agriculture and Food Industries. Research and Development in Agriculture and Food Industries. Marketing Intelligence for Agricultural Produce. Soil Survey. Rubber Fund Committee. Inland Fisheries and Animal Husbandry. Promotion of Veterinary Public Health. Control of Animal Diseases. Quarantine and Research. Licensing and Control of Abattoirs.
			State Veterinary Authority	
			State Farmers' Organization	Development of Farmers' Organization and Agro-based Co-operatives.

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			Sarawak Agropolis Advisory Council	Marketing and Distribution of Agricultural Products. Promotion and Development of Commercial Agriculture and Agro-based Industries. Modernization of Agriculture. Development of Bio Resources. Agriculture Education and Training. Development of Biotechnology for Agricultural Practices. Agriculture Extension and Home Economics.
	Datuk David Teng Lung Chi	Assistant Minister of Food Industries		<i>Watching Brief on the following Federal Agencies:</i> MARDI, Pepper Marketing Board, Cocoa Board, BERNAS, FAMA, Marine Fisheries Department, LKIM.
	Datuk Peter Nyarok anak Entrie	Assistant Minister of Agriculture (Farmers' Organization and Co-operatives)		To assist the Minister in regard to Development and Promotion of Food and Agro-based Industries.
	Datin Hajah Fatimah Abdullah	Assistant Minister of Agriculture (Home Economics and Training)		To assist the Minister in all matters relating to Farmers' Organization and Co-operatives.
	Encik Dublin Unting anak Ingkot	Assistant Minister of Agriculture (Research and Co-ordination)		To assist the Minister in Agriculture Education and Training, Home Economics and Related Activities.
5.	Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Dr. George Chan Hong Nam	Minister of Industrial Development	Ministry of Industrial Development	To assist the Minister in Co-ordination of Agricultural Research.  Formulating Policies on Trade, Investment and Industrial Development. Coordinating the Promotion of Trade and Investments, and Industrial Development Programmes. Development and Management of Industrial Estates and Free Trade Zones, Industrial Parks, Bio Valley.



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			Industrial Coordination Committee	<p>Liaising with Federal Ministries and Agencies relating with Industrial Development and Promotion.</p> <p>Approval of Licences and Permits for Industrial Development.</p> <p><i>Watching Brief on the following Federal Subjects:</i></p> <p>(a) Consumer Affairs and Domestic Trade; (b) International Trade; and (c) Investment Incentives.</p> <p>Such Responsibilities as may be assigned to him by the Minister for Promotion of Investment and Development of Industrial Estates.</p> <p>Planning and Investment Research.</p>
6.	Encik Larry Sng Wei Shien Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri (Dr.) Alfred Jabu anak Numpang	Assistant Minister of Industrial Development (Promotion and Development of Industrial Estates) Assistant Minister of Industrial Development (Planning) Minister of Infrastructure Development and Communications	Ministry of Infrastructure Development and Communications  Public Works Department  Sarawak Rivers Board  Marine Department (relating to State Matters)	<p>Policy Formulation, Planning and Development of Physical Infrastructures and Communications Facilities.</p> <p>State Public Works and Buildings. Control and Maintenance of State Roads and Bridges. Road Safety. Federal Public Works undertaken in Sarawak. Ferry Services. Wharves and Jetties. Regulation of Riverine and Coastal Traffic, and Provision and Maintenance of Public Facilities for Riverine and Coastal Transportation.</p> <p>Buoys and Lights. Waterways. Merchant Shipping Laws for Ships under 15 Tonnes.</p>

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			Port Authorities	Development and Management of Ports.
			Brooke Dockyard and Engineering Corporation	Management of Dockyard and Marine Engineering Services.
				<i>Watching Brief on the following Federal Subjects:</i>
				(a) Road, Air and Sea Transportation;
				(b) Airports and Airfields; and
				(c) Liaising with Federal Ministries and Agencies on matters relating to Infrastructure Development.
				(d) Telecommunications.
	Encik Lee Kim Shin	Assistant Minister of Infrastructure Development		Infrastructure Development.
	Tuan Haji Bolhassan bin Hâji Di	Assistant Minister of Communications		Ports, Wharves and Jetties.
7.	Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri (Dr.) Alfred Jabu anak Numpang	Minister of Rural Development	Ministry of Rural Development	Policy Formulation, Planning and Strategies for Rural Development. Rural Growth Centres. Marketing of Rural Products, including Establishment of Facilities for Sale of such Products.
			Irrigation and Drainage Department	Rural Drainage and Irrigation of Land for Farming and Development.
			Arts and Handicrafts Council	Development and Marketing of Traditional Arts and Crafts. Handicrafts and Cottage Industries.
	Datuk Ambrose Blikau anak Enturan	Assistant Minister of Rural Development		Such responsibilities as may be assigned to him by the Minister.

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	Datuk Gramong Juna	Assistant Minister of Rural Development (Handicraft and Cottage Industries)		Development of Handicraft and Cottage Industries.
8.	Dato Sri Dr. James Jemut anak Masing	Minister of Land Development	Ministry of Land Development	Policy Formulation, Planning and Monitoring of Land Development Programmes. Poverty Eradication.
			Sarawak Land Development Board	Development of Plantations and Agriculture Estates.
			Sarawak Land Consolidation and Rehabilitation Authority	Development of Land held under Native Customary Rights.
				Provision and Management of Drainage and Irrigation Systems.
				<i>Watching Brief on the following Federal Agencies: FELDA and FELCRA.</i>
	Encik Francis Harden anak Hollis	Assistant Minister of Land Development		Such responsibilities as may be assigned to him by the Minister.
	Encik Sylvester Entri anak Muran	Assistant Minister of Land Development		Development of Peat Soil Regions and Wetland.
9	Dato Sri William Mawan anak Ikom	Minister of Social Development and Urbanization	Ministry of Social Development and Urbanization	Policy Formulation for Social Development. Promotion of Activities for National Integration. Research on Social Problems and Issues.
			Dewan Suarah Management Committees	Development and Management of Dewan Suarah. Promotion of Social Interaction.
			Department of Welfare	<i>Welfare and Women Affairs</i> Co-ordination of all Policies and Activities relating to Welfare Services. Charitable Trusts (excluding Muslim Charitable Trusts).

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				Care and Counselling Services for Juvenile Delinquents. Protection of Women and Young Girls. Protection and Welfare of Children and Young Persons in Need, and Prevention of Child Abuse. Adoption of Children. Rehabilitation and Welfare of Handicapped and Vagrants. Co-ordination and Supervision of Activities of Voluntary Organizations. Relief and Rehabilitation of Victims of Natural and Civil Disasters. Administration of Old Folk Homes. Supervision of Child Care Centres.
			Women's Bureau	Women Affairs. Culture Local Customs. Development of Culture and Cultural Activities. Religious Affairs (other than Islamic Affairs). Rehabilitation of Drugs Dependents.
			PEMADAM Sarawak Sports Council Sarawak Stadium Corporation	Sports Promotion and Development of Sports. Provision, Maintenance and Control of Sports Facilities.
			Youth Development Centres	Youths. Policies and Programmes for Youth Activities; Youth Organizations, Problems and Issues relating to Youths.
			Urbanization and Social Development Council	Social Development. Urbanization.
				Watching Brief on the following Federal Subjects: (a) Registration of Marriage, Divorce and Domestic Violence;

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				(b) National Registration of Births and Deaths; (c) Census. (d) SUHAKAM. (e) National Service Training Programme.
	Datuk Dublin Unting anak Ingkot	Assistant Minister of Sports		Welfare and Women Affairs.
	Tuan Haji Hamden bin Ahmad	Assistant Minister of Youth Affairs		Culture and Urbanization Issues.
10.	Dato Sri Abang Haji Abdul Rahman Zohari bin Tun Abang Haji Openg	Minister of Housing	Ministry of Housing	Promotion and Development of Sports. Youth Affairs and Activities.
				Formulation of Housing Policies. Coordination of Activities in the Provision of Houses by the Public and Private Sectors. Control of Housing Developers.
			Housing Development Corporation	Planning and Development of Housing Estates, Sites and Services, especially for Low Income Group. Coordination with Federal Authorities on Low Costs Housing matters.
	Datuk Dr. Soon Choon Teck	Assistant Minister of Housing		Such Responsibilities as may be assigned to him by the Minister of Housing.
11.	Dato Sri Wong Soon Koh	Minister of Environment and Public Health	Ministry of Environment and Public Health	Coordination and Monitoring all Activities and Programmes relating to Local Government and Public Health. Coordination with Federal Authorities on Local Government Policies and Issues.
			Local Authorities	<i>Local Government</i> Local Authorities Functions. Rating and Valuation. Libraries.

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			<p>Markets and Hawker Centres. Licensing of Entertainment Establishments, Public Health, Cleanliness and Sanitation. Management of Wastes Collection. Maintenance of Public Sewerage System and Drains. Non-Muslim Burial Grounds and Crematoria.</p>	
		<p>Natural Resources and Environment Board</p>	<p>All matters relating to Environmental Control under the Natural Resources and Environment Ordinance, and the Natural Resources and Environment (Prescribed Activities) Order, 1994, but excluding matters concerning Planning and Management of Natural Resources.</p>	
			<p><i>Watching Brief on the following Federal Subjects:</i> Medical Services, Hospitals and Clinics, Environmental Matters (Federal List), Meteorological Services. Fire Fighting and Rescue Services.</p>	
	<p>Datuk David Teng Lung Chi</p>	<p>Assistant Minister of Local Government</p>		<p>All Matters Relating to Local Government.</p>
	<p>Dr. Abang Haji Abdul Rauf bin Abang Haji Zen</p>	<p>Assistant Minister of Environment</p>		<p>Environment and Environmental Quality Control.</p>
	<p>Datuk Dr. Soon Choon Teek</p>	<p>Assistant Minister of Public Health</p>		<p>All matters Relating to Public Health and Cleanliness and Disease Prevention.</p>
12.	<p>Datuk Michael Manyin anak Jawong</p>	<p>Minister of Urban Development and Tourism</p>	<p>Ministry of Urban Development and Tourism</p>	<p>Urban Development: Formulation of Plans and Policies for Urban Development and renewal. Traffic Systems and Public Transportation in Urban Areas. Urban Parks and Recreational Amenities. Integrated Wastes Management System. Public Sewerage System and Urban Drainage.</p>

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			Sarawak Tourism Board	<p><i>Tourism:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Policy Formulation and Planning for Tourism Industry.</li> <li>Development of Tourist Products and Infrastructure Facilities.</li> <li>Coordination with Federal and Private Sector Agencies in Tourist Promotion Efforts and Activities.</li> <li>Promotion of Hotels and Resorts.</li> <li>Improvement of Amenities and Services related to Tourism.</li> <li>Promotion of National Parks for Tourism.</li> </ul>
			Museum Department	<p><i>Heritage:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Administration of Sarawak Cultural Heritage Ordinance, 1994.</li> <li>Antiquities, including Licensing of Antique Dealers.</li> <li>Archaeology.</li> <li>Archives.</li> <li>Turtles Board.</li> <li>Collection, Exhibition and Study of Objects of Historical and Educational Interests.</li> <li>Historical Buildings and Sites.</li> </ul> <p>To assist the Minister on matters relating to urban development.</p> <p>To assist the Minister in regard to responsibilities relating to historical sites and buildings, and antiquities.</p>
	Tuan Haji Hamden bin Ahmad	Assistant Minister of Tourism		

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13.	Dato Sri Haji Awang Tengah Ali Hasan	Minister of Public Utilities	Ministry of Public Utilities Sarawak Electricity Supply Corporation Office of Director of Electricity Supply State Water Authority Water Supply Authorities Water Boards Statutory Water Companies	Electricity Generation, Transmission and Distribution (State Grid). Hydropower. Gas Distribution. Dams and Weirs Development. Water Supply and Distribution. Development of Water Works and Water Distribution System. Utilization of Subterranean Water. Water and Electricity Supplies for Rural Communities. Development of Telecommunication Facilities and Connections - SACOPA Sdn. Bhd.
	Datuk Ambrose Blikau anak Enturan	Assistant Minister for Public Utilities		To assist the Minister on subjects relating to Public Utilities.
	Encik Sylvester Entri anak Muran	Assistant Minister of Public Utilities (Water Supply)		To assist the Minister in regard to— (a) water supply and distribution system (b) rural water supply issues and (c) liaison with Water Resources Management Council.

Dated this 21st day of October, 2008.

By Command,

PEHIN SRI HAJI ABDUL TAIB MAHMUD,  
*Chief Minister, Sarawak*

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