



J heads Melaka Yang di-Pertua Negeri's birthday honours list

MELAKA: The chief justice led the list of recipients of state awards and medals in conjunction with the 76th birthday of Melaka Yang di-Pertua Negeri Tun Mohd Ali Rustam at Seri Negeri yesterday.

Datuk Wan Ahmad Farid Wan Ileah was conferred the Darjah Gemilang Seri Melaka (DGSM), which carries the title of Datuk Utama.

Tourism, Arts, and Culture Minister Datuk Seri Tiong King Sing and Armed Forces chief General Tan Sri Mohd Nizam Jaffar were awarded the Darjah Gemilang Seri Melaka (DGSM), which carries the title of Datuk Seri.

The Darjah Cemerlang Seri Melaka (DCSM), with the Datuk Wira title, was awarded to Melaka state secretary Datuk Azhar Arshad, Customs Department director-general Datuk Aniz Rizana Mohd Zainudin, and National Defence University of Malaysia vice-chancellor Lieutenant-General Datuk Arman Rumaitzi Ahmad.

Other recipients included Badan Amal Kasih Ibu Putrajaya chairman Datuk Seri Anggraini Sentyiaki, Plaza Premium Lounge chief executive officer Song Hoi See, and SME Development Bank chief executive officer Datuk Mohammad Hardee S.N. Ibrahim.

The Darjah Mulia Seri Melaka

Melaka (DCSM), carrying the title of Datuk, was awarded to Court of Appeal judge Dr Shahnaz Sulaiman, Malaysia's ambassador to Russia Datuk Cheong Loon Lai, Kedah police chief Adzli Abu Shah, and Johor police chief Ab Rahman Arsyad.

Also receiving the award were Universiti Malaysia Pahang Al-Sultan Abdullah lecturer Prof Dr Mohd Shahrir Mohd Sani, Bank Muamalat Malaysia Bhd president and chief executive officer Datuk Khairul Kamardul, MSR Green Energy Sdn Bhd director Datuk Tarminder Singh and Datuk Burhanuddin Md Radzi, who is managing director of Les'

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Copaque Production Sdn Bhd. Among those awarded the Darjah Pangkuan Seri Melaka (DPSM), which carries the title of Datuk, were Malaysia's ambassador to Algeria Rizany Irwan Muhamad Mazlan, legal advisor to the Melaka government Khairul Azreem Mamat, Sungai Rambai assemblyman Siti Fairzah Abdul Azis, and Pantai Kundur assemblyman Tuminah Kadi @ Mohd Hashim.

Others included Prosecution Division III deputy head at the Attorney-General's Chambers, Kamal Baharin Omar, Melaka Football Club president K. Devan, international star and 2024 Melaka

Tourism ambassador Fan Bingbing, and Media Prima Bhd managing director Mohd Rafiq Mat Razali.

This year, Mohd Ali also conferred the Jaksa Pendamai (JP) on former Melaka state secretary Datuk Ismail Salleh, former state executive council member Datuk Ismail Othman, and former MP for Kota Melaka Datuk Wong Nai Chee. **Bernama**

Page 1 pic: Yang di-Pertua Negeri Tun Mohd Ali Rustam conferring the Darjah Utama Negeri Melaka on Chief Justice Datuk Wan Ahmad Farid Wan Salleh at Seri Negeri in Melaka yesterday.