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PAC REPORT ON THE MANAGEMENT OF COVID-19 OUTBREAK: EXPIRED VACCINES, UNUSEABLE VENTILATOR EQUIPMENT AND EXCESS OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE) UNDER THE MALAYSIAN MINISTRY OF HEALTH (MoH)

- 1) The PAC today tabled the COVID-19 Outbreak Management Report: Expired Vaccines, Unusable Ventilator and Excess of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) under the Ministry of Health (MoH).
- 2) The PAC held 4 proceedings regarding this issue on 15 June 2023, 22 August 2023, 14 September 2023 and 21 September 2023. The witnesses present before the PAC were as follows:
 - i) From the Ministry of Health:
 - a) Dato' Sri Norazman bin Ayob, Deputy Secretary General (Finance)
 - b) Dato' Seri Chen Chaw Min, Former Secretary General
 - c) Dato' Sri Mohd Shafiq bin Abdullah, Former Secretary General
 - d) Tan Sri Dato' Sri Dr. Noor Hisham Abdullah, Former Director General
 - ii) From PHARMANIAGA Berhad:
 - a) Dato' Farshila Emran, Former Managing Director, PHARMANIAGA Berhad
 - b) Mr. Izaddeen bin Daud, Chairman of PHARMANIAGA; and
 - c) Mr. Mohamed Iqbal bin Abdul Rahman, Chief Officer of Operations PHARMANIAGA

iii) Datuk Seri Ir. Dr. Wee Kang Siong, Member of Parliament for Ayer Itam cum

former Minister of Transport; and

iv) Mr. Benjamin Low, Director of IDS Medical Systems (M) Sdn. Bhd.

3) The meeting to prepare this report was held on 16, 17 and 18 October 2023. Seven

PAC Ex-Officio members were also present: Attorney General's Chambers, Public Service

Department, Ministry of Finance, National Audit Department, Malaysian Anti-Corruption

Commission, Ministry of Economy and the Accountant General's Department. All Ex-Officio

members have agreed with the report, conclusion and recommendation discussed.

4) Members of the public who are interested to read the PAC Report on COVID-19

Outbreak Management Report: Expired Vaccines, Unusable Ventilator and Excess of

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) under the Ministry of Health (MoH) can download the

report from PAC's website at www.parlimen.gov.my/pac

Thank you.

Hon. Datuk Wira Mas Ermieyati Samsudin

Chairman of PAC

Parliament of Malaysia