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Majlis Peguam Bar Council Malaysia

Circular No 243/2014 Dated 30 Oct 2014

To Members of the Malaysian Bar

Sijil Annual 2015 Application Deadline Extended to 14 Nov 2014

We refer to Circular No 201/2014 dated 9 Sept 2014, where we asked Members to submit their Sijil Annual 2015 ("SA") application forms to the Bar Council Secretariat not later than 31 Oct 2014.

Please be informed that the deadline for submission of SA application forms has been extended to <u>14 Nov 2014 (Friday)</u>.

We wish to inform Members that as at 27 Oct 2014, the Bar Council Secretariat has received a total of 5,326 applications for SA. The number of applications processed is 3,193, of which 2,612 SAs have been issued to Members and 581 applications were found to be not in order.

Members are advised to forward their SA application forms with the relevant supporting documents to the Bar Council Secretariat as soon as possible so that their Sijil Annual and Practising Certificate 2015 may be issued expeditiously.

Members who have been notified that their SA applications are not in order are advised to regularise their applications on an urgent basis by providing the information or documents requested, to enable the Bar Council Secretariat to complete the processing of their applications in good time.

As at 24 Oct 2014, 1,944 firms have yet to submit their Professional Indemnity Insurance ("PII") Proposal Forms to the Scheme Broker, Jardine Lloyd Thompson ("JLT"), in order to obtain their PII Schedules. Members are encouraged to submit their 2015 Proposal Forms online at www.praktis.com.my. Kindly note that confirmation of PII cover is mandatory to process your SA application. For enquiries pertaining to PII, kindly contact JLT directly by telephone at 03-2723 3388 (Main) / 03-2723 3241 (dedicated for the Malaysian Bar).

For enquiries relating to SA application, please contact the Membership Department by telephone at 03-2050 2050, press (1) for the Membership Department and press (1) again for Sijil Annual enquiries.

Thank you.

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