

"HIS MAJESTY THE YANG DI-PERTUAN AGONG: THE FOUNDATION OF PEACE AND STABILITY IN THE NATION"

اَلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ، اَلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الَّذِيْ أَمْرَنا بِالْإِسْتِجَابَةِ، وَحَثَّنَا عَلَى بُلُوْغِ الْفَضْلِ وَالْإِنَابَةِ، أَحْمَدُهُ سُبْحَانَهُ وَأَشْكُرُهُ عَلَى نِعْمَةِ التَّوْفِيْقِ وَطَرِيْقِ السَّعَادَةِ. أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لاَ إِلَهَ إِلاَّ اللهُ وَحْدَهُ لاَ شَرِيْكَ لَهُ، فِي النُّسُكِ وَالصَّلاَةِ وَالْعِبَادَةِ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ مُحَمَّداً عَبْدُهُ وَرَسُولُهُ عَلَمَنَا مَنْهَجَ الرَّشَادِ وَالْقِيَادَةِ، اَللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا وَرَسُولُهُ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا مُخَمَّدٍ خَاتَمِ الأَنْبِيَآءِ وَالْمُرْسَلِيْنَ وَعَلَى آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ أُولِي الْعَزْمِ وَالسِّيَادَةِ. فَقَدْ فَازَ أَمَّا الْمُسْلِمُونَ! إِتَّقُواْ اللَّهَ، أُوْصِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللهِ فَقَدْ فَازَ أَمَّا الْمُسْلِمُونَ! إِتَّقُواْ اللَّهَ، أُوْصِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللهِ فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُتُقُونَ، فَقَدْ أَمْرَنَا رَبُّنَا بِذَلِكَ فِيْ كِتَابِهِ الْكَرِيْمِ حَيْثُ قَالَ: يَتَأَيُّا اللَّذِينَ ءَامَنُواْ اتَقُواْ اللّهَ حَقَدْ قَالَ: يَتَأَيُّا اللّذِينَ ءَامَنُواْ اتَقُواْ اللّهَ حَقَّدُ قَالَ: يَتَأَيُّا اللّهِ وَالْمَوْنَ! إِنَّا بِذَلِكَ فِيْ كِتَابِهِ الْكَرِيْمِ حَيْثُ قَالَ: يَتَأَيُّا اللّهُ مَا أَلَذِينَ ءَامَنُواْ اتَقُواْ اللّهَ حَقَ تُقَالَ: يَتَأَيُّا اللّهُ مُسُلُمُونَ.

Dear blessed Muslims,

In conjunction with this noble day of Friday, I remind myself and call upon fellow beloved audience to altogether strive in increasing our *taqwa* of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* by diligently performing all of His Commands and avoiding all of His prohibitions. May we attain blessings in our lives in this world and the Hereafter. In conjunction with the official birthday of the 15th His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, Sultan Muhammad V, today's *khutbah* will elaborate on the topic: "HIS MAJESTY THE YANG DI-PERTUAN AGONG: THE FOUNDATION OF PEACE AND STABILITY IN THE NATION."

Blessed audience,

A nation necessitates leadership to perfect its administration so as to become organized and successful in all aspects. According to Islam, the position of a leader is truly noble and prominent for he has been entrusted with the very task of succeeding the role of the prophets in safeguarding the religion and administering the affairs of the Muslim ummah. Imaam al-Maawardi (الماوردي) mentioned in his book al-Ahkaam al-Sultaaniyyah (الأحكام السلطانية) that: "The role of the leader of the nation is to preserve the religious affairs and administer the worldly affairs."

In the context of Malaysia today, we are well informed of the provisions stated in Part IV, Chapter 1 of the Federal Constitution, which states that His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong is the Head of State for the Federation, elected through the consensus of the Conference of Rulers. The oath sworn by His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong encompasses the pledge of loyalty in ruling the government with justice according to the laws and the constitution, as well as safeguarding the religion of Islam.



Therefore, it must be reminded to all of us as fellow citizens upon the significance of allegiance towards the Ruler and the nation. Moreover, this coincides with one of the principles in the creed of *Ahl as-Sunnah wal-Jamaa'ah*, which is to obey and honor the Muslim leader for as long as he does not command acts disobedience. Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* mentions in verse 59 of soorah an-Nisaa':

"O you who have believed, obey Allah and obey the Messenger and those in authority among you. And if you disagree over anything, refer it to Allah and the Messenger, if you should believe in Allah and the Last Day. That is the best [way] and best in result."

Blessed Muslims,

Lately, the royal institution that is supposed to be respected has been greatly challenged by irresponsible efforts to discredit it, especially in the social media. Various issues that are unverified of its authenticity had been raised, so what more with ones that are baseless, unfounded, and even without proofs. Such predicament not only causes harm and disrupts the wellbeing (*maslahah*) of the people, but at the same time it gives joy to those rejecting the constitutional monarchy system and Islam as the official religion.

In relation to that, let us all unite in distancing ourselves from getting ensnared and affected by these types of issues. As Muslims, it behoove us to firmly cling upon the principles of Islamic *Sharee'ah* that commands us to safeguard our tongue and restrain ourselves from writing or stating matters without sound proofs. This reminder had been clearly mentioned by Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* in verse 36 of soorah al-Israa':

"And do not pursue that of which you have no knowledge. Indeed, the hearing, the sight and the heart - about all those [one] will be questioned."

This matter was reminded by our beloved Prophet in a hadeeth narrated by ibn Mas'ood radivAllaahu 'anh:



"Adhere to truth, for truth leads to good deeds and good deeds lead to Paradise. Avoid falsehood, for falsehood leads to wickedness and wickedness leads to Hell."

(al-Bukhaari and Muslim)

With that, we are truly grateful to Allah for protecting this country from any threats. We supplicate to Allah for continue in bestowing istiqaamah (steadfastness) upon His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong with the traits of hikmah (wisdom), firmness, intelligence, just, equitable, and utmost capability while wading through all challenges with effectiveness. Moreover, we pray for the ranks of leaders and advisors of our nation including the 'ulamaa' (Muslim scholars) and Muslim intellectuals that they will aid and further solidify the status of His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong.

May Allah preserve the success of this nation such as the establishment of the Islamic University, *Tabung Haji* (Hajj Fund), and perhaps the best Islamic banking and financial management system, as well as being the leader of world-class *halaal* industry that clearly benefits the *ummah* overall. Indeed, the success that Allah has granted is the result of cooperative efforts from the minds of the *'ulamaa'* and *umaraa'* (leaders) whom aspires to see the nation thrives in attaining prosperity and wellbeing. With sound relationship between the *'ulamaa'* and *umaraa'*, may the nation continue to be blessed with grace and mercy.

Dear beloved Muslims,

Verily, the sovereignty of Islam and the nation's advancement are grounded in the strength of its leadership. Hence, His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong as the Head of State, whether in his personality or in executing his jurisdiction, while safeguarding the nation and the sanctity of Islam, must to be respected by all citizens. The citizens remain affectionate and revere His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong for his great concerns in upholding Islam, advancing the nation, and aiding the lives of the people so that they can live in peace and harmony, amidst the developments in current world affairs.

Let us always supplicate for continuous wellbeing upon the 15th His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, Sultan Muhammad V, in conjunction with the celebration of the official birthday of His Majesty, on the 9th of September 2018, which corresponds to Sunday, the 28th of Dhul Hijjah 1439 *Hijri*.

To end the *khutbah* for this week, I would like to conclude with several lessons and guidelines:

- 1. The Muslim *ummah* must have certainty that loyalty to the Ruler and loving the nation is part of *imaan* (belief).
- 2. The Muslim *ummah* must avoid causing and spreading *fitnah* for it can destroy the nation, its people, and the religion.



3. The Muslim *ummah* must always pray that His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong will always remain *istiqaamah* in exercising his jurisdiction to preserve the nation and the sanctity of Islam.

أَعُوذ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ ٱلشَّيَطَنِ ٱلرَّجِيمِ اللَّهِ مِنَ ٱلشَّيَطَنِ ٱلرَّجِيمِ اللَّهَ فِي ٱلْأَرْضِ أَقَامُواْ ٱلصَّلَوٰةَ وَءَاتَوُاْ ٱلزَّكُوٰةَ وَأَمَرُواْ بِٱلْمَعْرُوفِ وَنَهَوَاْ عَنِ ٱلْمُنكَرِ ۚ وَلِلَّهِ عَنِقِبَةُ ٱلْأُمُورِ ﴿
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"[And they are] those who, if We give them authority in the land, establish prayer and give zakaah and enjoin what is right and forbid what is wrong. And to Allah belongs the outcome of [all] matters."

(al-Hajj 22:41)

بَارَكَ اللهُ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيْمِ، وَنَفَعَنِيْ وَإِيَّاكُمْ بِمَا فِيْهِ مِنَ الآيَاتِ وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيْمِ وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِيْ وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتَهُو، إِنَّهُو هُوَ السَّمِيْعُ الْعَلِيْمُ. وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيْمِ وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِيْ وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتَهُو، إِنَّهُو هُوَ السَّمِيْعُ الْعَلِيْمُ. أَقُولُ قَوْلِيْ هَذَا وَأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللهَ الْعَظِيْمَ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ وَلِسَآئِرِ الْمُسْلِمِيْنَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ، فَاسْتَغْفِرُ الْرَحِيْمُ. فَاسْتَغْفِرُوهُ إِنَّهُ وَهُو الْغَفُورُ الرَّحِيْمُ.

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THE SECOND KHUTBAH

اَلْحَمْدُلِلَّهِ الَّذِيْ جَعَلَنَا مِنَ الْمُسْلِمِيْنَ، وَرَزَقَنَا مِنَ الطَّيِّبَاتِ. أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَآ إِلَه إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُو لاَ شَرِيْكَ لَهُ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُو وَرَسُوْلُهُو. اَللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكُ عَلَىٰ سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَىٰ آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ وَمَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بِإِحْسَانٍ إِلَىٰ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكُ عَلَىٰ سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَىٰ آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ وَمَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بِإِحْسَانٍ إِلَىٰ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكُ عَلَىٰ سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَىٰ آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ وَمَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بِإِحْسَانٍ إِلَىٰ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكُ عَلَىٰ سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَىٰ آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ وَمَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بِإِحْسَانٍ إِلَىٰ يَوْمِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللهِ فَقَدْ يَوْمِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللهِ فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُثَقُونُ.

Sidang Jumaat yang dirahmati Allah SWT, Dear blessed audience,

Once again, I would like to remind all of us to always have the *taqwa* of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* and realize that Islam teaches us to remain moderate in every actions and deeds. As Muslims, we are to manifest noble *akhlaaq*, having utmost personality and attitude for Rasulullah was sent to perfect *akhlaaq* and as mercy for the entire mankind and the worlds. Therefore, let us always increase our *salawaat* and *salaam* upon our Prophet Muhammad

"Indeed, Allah confers blessing upon the Prophet, and His angels [ask Him to do so]. O you who have believed, ask [Allah to confer] blessing upon him and ask [Allah to grant him] peace."

(al-Ahzaab 33:56)

إِنَّ ٱللَّهَ وَمَلَتِهِكَ تَهُ مُ يُصَلُّونَ عَلَى ٱلنَّبِيِّ يَتَأَيُّا ٱلَّذِينَ ءَامَنُواْ صَلُّواْ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلِّمُواْ تَسْلِيمًا.

اَللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا وَمَوْلاَنَا مُحَمَّدٍ سَيِّدِ الْمُرْسَلِينَ وَارْضَ اللَّهُمَّ عَنْ أَصْحَابِهِ وَقَرَابَتِهِ وَأَرْوَاجِهِ وَذُرِيَّاتِهِ أَجْمَعِيْنَ.

اَللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرْ لِلْمُسْلِمِیْنَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ وَالْمُؤْمِنِیْنَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ الأَحْیَاءِ مِنْهُمْ وَالأَمْوَات، إِنَّكَ سَمِیْعٌ قَرِیْبٌ مُجِیْبُ الدَّعَوَاتِ وَیَا قَاضِيَ الْحَاجَاتِ. اَللَّهُمَّ أَعِزَّ اِلاِسْلَامَ وَالْمُسْلِمِیْنَ، وَأَهْلِكِ الْكَفَرَةَ وَالْمُسْلِمِ وَالْمُسْرِكِیْنَ وَدَمِّرْ اَعْدَاءَكَ اَعْدَاءَ الدِّیْن. وَانْصُرْنَا عَلَی الْقَوْم الْكَافِرِیْن.



اَللَّهُمَّ إِنَّا نَسْأَلُكَ وَنَتَوَسَّلُ إِلَيْكَ بِنَبِيِّكَ الأَمِيْنِ، وَنَسْأَلُكَ بِأَسْمَآئِكَ الْحُسْنَىٰ، وَصِفَاتِكَ الْعُظْمَىٰ، أَنْ تَحْفَظَ بِعَيْنِ عِنَايَتِكَ الرَّبَّانِيَّةِ، وَبِحِفْظِ وِقَايَتِكَ الصَّمَدَانِيَّةِ، جَلاَلَةَ مَلِكِنَا الْمُعَظَّمِ، سُلْطَان سلاَعُور، سُلْطَان شَرَفُ الدِّين ادريس شاه الحاج، ابن المرحوم سُلْطَان صَلاَحُ الدِّين عبد العزيز شاه الحاج. اَللَّهُمَّ أَدِمِ الْعَوْنَ وَالْهِدَايَةَ وَالسَّلاَمَةَ مِنْكَ، لِوَلِيِّ عَهْدِ سلاَعُور، تَعْكُو أَمِير شَاه، ابْنِ وَالتَّوْفِيْقَ، وَالصِحَّةَ وَالسَّلاَمَةَ مِنْكَ، لِوَلِيِّ عَهْدِ سلاَعُور، تَعْكُو أَمِير شَاه، ابْنِ السُّلْطَان شَرَفُ الدِّين ادريس شاه الحاج، فِيْ أَمْنٍ وَصَلاَحٍ وَعَافِيَةٍ بِمَنِّكَ وَكَرَمِكَ السُّلْطَان شَرَفُ الدِّين ادريس شاه الحاج، فِيْ أَمْنٍ وَصَلاَحٍ وَعَافِيَةٍ بِمَنِّكَ وَكَرَمِكَ يَا ذَاالْجَلالِ وَالإِكْرَامِ. اَللَّهُمَّ أَطِلْ عُمْرَهُمَا، مُصْلِحَيْنِ لِلْمُوظَّفِيْنَ وَالرَّعِيَّةِ وَالْبِلادِ، وَلِلِّ عُمْرَهُمَا لِطَرِيق الْهُدَى وَالرَّعِيَّةِ وَالْبِلادِ،

O Allah, You are the Lord that is All Mighty, we are grateful to You for having bestowed upon us *rahmah* and *ni'mah*, that we are able to continue the effort in empowering the Muslim *ummah*, as an advanced state, prosperous and providing welfare, under the auspices and leadership of our Ruler as the Head of Islamic affairs in this state.

Hence, we sincerely beseech You, O Allah, strengthen our *imaan* and creed according to that of *Ahl as-Sunnah wal-Jamaa'ah*, accept our righteous deeds, cultivate our soul with good mannerisms, unite our hearts, bestow upon us *rizq* with blessings, enrich us with beneficial knowledge, protect us from disasters and save us from teachings that are outside the fold of Islam such as *Qadiyaani*, deviant teachings such as *Shee'ah*, and other teachings deemed as deviating from Islamic teachings or contradicting the creed of *Ahl as-Sunnah wal-Jamaa'ah*. O Allah, open up our hearts in performing the five daily prayers, fulfilling *zakaat* through *Lembaga Zakat Selangor* (Selangor *Zakaat* Board), making *waqf* and *infaaq* of our wealth to *Perbadanan Wakaf Negeri Selangor* (Selangor Waqf Corporation), and *Tabung Amanah Pembangunan Islam Selangor* (Islamic Development Trust Fund of Selangor).

رَبَّنَا هَبْ لَنَا مِنْ أَزُو ٰجِنَا وَذُرِّيَّتِنَا قُرَّةَ أَعْيُنِ وَٱجْعَلْنَا لِلْمُتَّقِينَ إِمَامًا. رَبَّنَا ءَاتِنَا فِي ٱلدُّنْيَا حَسَنَةً وَفِي ٱلْأَخِرَةِ حَسَنَةً وَقِنَا عَذَابَ ٱلنَّارِ فِي ٱللَّهُ يَأْمُرُ بِٱلْعَدَٰلِ وَٱلْإِحْسَنِ وَإِيتَآيٍ ذِى ٱلْقُرْبَىٰ وَيَنْهَىٰ عَنِ ٱلْفَحْشَآءِ وَالْمُنكَرِ وَٱلْبَغِي ۚ يَعِظُكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَذَكَّرُونَ ۚ ﴿ وَاللَّهُ مَنْ فَضْلِهِ عَلَى نِعَمِهِ عَنِ وَاسْأَلُوْهُ مِنْ فَضْلِهِ عَلَى الله الله الْعَظِيْمَ يَذْكُرُكُمْ وَاشْكُرُوْهُ عَلَى نِعَمِهِ عَنِ يَزِدْكُمْ، وَاسْأَلُوْهُ مِنْ فَضْلِهِ عَلَى عُمْ وَاسْتَعُونَ. يُعْطِكُمْ وَلَذَكُرُ اللهِ أَكْبَرُ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ مَا تَصْنَعُونَ.


