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MENDAKI POLICY FORUM 01/13 – 'Singapore 2030: The Re-Strategising of the Malay/Muslim Community in our Global City State'

Our first MENDAKI Policy Forum of 2013 will host a discourse on how the White Paper and the National Policies following it will affect the various groups amongst the Malay/Muslim community in Singapore. It will also provide an insight on the future socio-economic challenges that the Malay/Muslim community will face and examine whether such changes will be inclusive for all segments of Singaporeans, especially for the Malay/Muslim Community.

Since 2002, the MENDAKI Policy Forum has been an effective platform for the organisation to engage community leaders and members of the community in valuable discussions on pertinent issues concerning the Malay/Muslim community.

The key speakers at the forum are Prof Tan Khee Giap (Asian Competitiveness Institute) and Dr Lai Ah Eng (Asian Research Institute) with Dr Mathew Mathews (Institute of Policy Studies) as the discussant. Dr Yaacob Ibrahim, Minister for Communications and Information and Minister-In-Charge of Muslim Affairs who is Chairman of MENDAKI will also be part of the panel for a discussion session.

We are pleased to invite you to the MENDAKI Policy Forum entitled 'Singapore 2030: The Re-Strategising of the Malay/Muslim Community in our Global City State' on 21 February 2013.



Please note that no audio recording will be allowed during the forum. Content of presentations as well as the questions and answers by participants are not for reporting. Photographers and cameramen will be allowed to capture some photographs/footages at the start of the proceedings to facilitate the coverage of the event. In addition to that, interview opportunities will be made upon request.

The Forum details are as follows:

Event:	MENDAKI POLICY FORUM 01/13 – 'Singapore 2030: The Re-Strategising of the Malay/Muslim Community in our Global City State'
Day, Date:	Thursday, 21 February 2013
Time:	7.00pm – 9.30pm
Venue:	Yayasan MENDAKI Wisma MENDAKI 51 Kee Sun Avenue Off Tay Lian Teck Road Singapore 457056



Details of the Forum are in Annex A.

We appreciate it if you could confirm your attendance by 6.00pm on Wednesday, 20 February 2013. Please do not hesitate to call or email me should you require further information on this matter. We look forward to your presence. Thanking you in advance and looking forward to your continued support of this community effort.



Annex A

**'Singapore 2030: The Re-Strategising of the Malay/Muslim Community in our
Global City State' MENDAKI**

POLICY FORUM Thursday,

21 February 2013

Yayasan MENDAKI

PROGRAMME

7.00pm	Registration
7.30pm	Opening remarks by CEO MENDAKI Madam Moliah
7.35pm	Video presentation
7.40pm	Presentation by Dr. Lai Ah Eng
8.00pm	Presentation by Professor Tan Khee Giap
8.20pm	Discussant by Dr Mathew Mathews
8.35pm	Q&A
9.30pm	End of Session