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## MEDIA STATEMENT

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### **MINISTER OF STATE, MR ZAQY MOHAMAD TO BE APPOINTED AS DEPUTY CHAIRMAN TO YAYASAN MENDAKI BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

1. Yayasan MENDAKI is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr Zaqy Mohamad as its Deputy Chairman. The new appointment will see Mr Zaqy filling the vacated position left by the current Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs, Mr Masagos Zulkifli who has taken over as Chairman since 1 May 2018.
2. Commenting on the new appointment, Mr Masagos Zulkifli, Chairman of Yayasan MENDAKI said:

“I am pleased to appoint MOS Zaqy as Deputy Chairman. He has served as the GPC Chairman for the Ministry of Communications and Information; been involved in the Committee for Future Economy and now the Minister of State for National Development and Manpower. His knowledge and experience would deepen MENDAKI’s role in enhancing awareness and preparing the community for the challenges in the future economy.
3. CEO MENDAKI, Mdm Rahayu Buang welcomed the appointment and look forward to work with MOS Zaqy, stating that MOS Zaqy’s involvement in the advisory panel to MESRA can also help MENDAKI to widen its outreach efforts to assist more within the community. Mr Zaqy has been involved in MENDAKI’s initiatives in the past including as the co-chairman of the Youth Development Network of the Community Leaders Forum (CLF) since its inception in 2004.

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