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## MOU SIGNING PRO BONO PUBLICO AND NUJ ADVISOR

September 19, 2025 - The National Union of Journalists of Peninsular Malaysia (NUJ) today signed two MOUs during a dinner event at OjoLali Kinrara, 10 Jalan BK 2/7, Puchong, Selangor to further strengthen its operations, safeguard its members, and at the same time bring about assistance to the union concerning publicity.

NUJ executive council members who attended the dinner were President Low Boon Tat, Vice President Mark Mathen, General Secretary Teh Athira Yusof, Dep General Secretary Fong Tze Hong and NUJ-Nanyang Secretary Lee Wen Jiang.

**1.** NUJ expresses its sincere thanks and appreciation to **Ybhg. Dato' Khon Sze Hooi,** Founder, 9 Kopitiam Sdn Bhd for her generosity and effort in hosting this special occasion.

**Dato' Theng Book** *DIMP, PMP, J.P, PPjKR* of **Ling & Theng Book (LTB)** was appointed as NUJ's legal advisor and as a Pro Bono Publico effective 1<sup>st</sup> July 2025 in recognition of his unwavering commitment to the cause of human rights and social justice.

The NUJ is deeply grateful for his voluntary commitment to this role and eagerly anticipate his dedicated advisory and legal aid. NUJ looks forward to judicious guidance and recommendations to strengthen the Union's initiatives for Industrial legal process for the benefit of its members.

2. NUJ has appointed **Datuk Seri Michael Chong PJN SMW DSIS SMS JP Head of MCA Public Service and Complaints Department** as the Union's Advisor effective 1<sup>st</sup> July 2025 in view of his unwavering commitment to the cause of human rights and social justice. NUJ appreciates and is grateful for his role that will encompass providing guidance and recommendations to strengthen NUJ's initiatives for Union's betterment.

The NUJ thanks Datuk Seri for his voluntary commitment to this role and anticipate his dedicated assistance.

**3.** During an earlier event on 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025, the NUJ and 9 Kopitiam signed an MOU that offers a 10 percent (10%) discount on food & refreshment to members of NUJM through identification with a media pass issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs or the NUJ-IFJ Press Card as credentials to indulge the privilege of the discount(s) at any 9 Kopitiam outlets.

Also present at the dinner were Datuk Seri Dr. Chai Kee Kan, founder and CEO of KK Mart, Assistant to Datuk Seri Michael Chong, NUJ executive secretary Dr. Richard Phillips and event management officer Wicky Mok.

On behalf of the Executive Council,

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LOW BOON TAT President NUJ

