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DOA SELAMAT FOR BSJV PILGRIMS

BRUNEI Shell Petroleum (BSP) held its annual Doa Selamat ceremony for Haj pilgrims for the employees and families of the Brunei Joint Venture Companies: BSP, Brunei LNG and Brunei Shell Marketing, who will be performing their Haj this year including those under the BSP Haj Assistance Scheme.

A total of 32 staff with their spouses and family from BSP will leave for the pilgrimage before the end of this month to the holy cities of Mecca and Medina.

At the ceremony held at the Brunei Shell Recreational Club in Seria, Hj Kamaludin Hj Bungsu, Deputy Managing Director and Human Resource Director of BSP, who is also the guest of honour, presented the pilgrims with contributions in the form of Haj necessities.

As part of BSP's employee value proposition (EVP), a Haj assistance scheme is provided for its eligible Muslim staff who have completed at least 10 years of service at the end of the year preceding the pilgrimage. Additionally, any staff that did not claim the Haj assistance upon normal retirement is still eligible to apply for this scheme within five years of their retirement.

The event was also highlighted with a Tazkirah by a Counsellor from BSP's Junior Guidance and Counselling Support, Alassari Az Zuhri who touched on the importance of performing the Haj and also the path of obtaining a blessed Haj.

A Doa Selamat was then recited by Assistant Religious Counsellor at BSP, Hj Md Najmuddin Hj Md Said to bless the intending pilgrims.

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