

# I will work for *Perak State* unity among the *Perak Royal House* *Perak - History* people: Sultan *Perak*

**KUALA KANGSAR, Mon.** — Sultan Azlan Muhibbuddin Shah of Perak in his installation address today pledged to work for greater peace and solidarity among the people so that social stability exists for them and the future generations to enjoy development in all fields.

He hoped his experience and knowledge would aid him in particular, and the State Government in general, to overcome the challenges and difficulties of the future.

The rights, powers and privileges vested in him as a constitutional Ruler are actually a form of trust and responsibility.

He invoked the assistance of God and hoped all other parties, including the Rajas, chieftains, the Government and the people would help him

carry out his duties and responsibilities satisfactorily and in accordance with the State Constitution.

Speaking in the Throne Room of the Istana Iskandariah before representatives of other Rulers, members of the Perak royal household, and about 1,300 local and foreign dignitaries, he said:

"To those who have the opportunity to or the role of advising me or giving me suggestions, I hope the advice they give will be appropriate, mature and well-considered and prompted in the interests of the people and the State."

The Raja Muda of Perak, who spoke on behalf of the Rajas and chiefs of Perak, hoped that Sultan Azlan Shah would have a successful, long and stable reign that upheld justice and fairness.

Perak Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Ramli Ngah Talib, pledged the undivided loyalty of the State Government and the people to their Royal Highnesses and wished them a long and just reign.

He said since Sultan Azlan Shah ascended the Perak throne on Feb 3 last year, the latter had visited several

parts of the State to get a first-hand account of development projects and the problems of the people.

The Ruler had also taken a keen interest in the development of sports.

Datu Seri Ramli said the security situation under Sultan Azlan Shah's rule was under control and this had fostered unity and solidarity among the people and had enabled the Government to implement development programmes on all fronts.

He said he would work to administer the State to greater heights of peace and prosperity and pledged to promote Sultan Azlan Shah's sovereignty as a constitutional Ruler.

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