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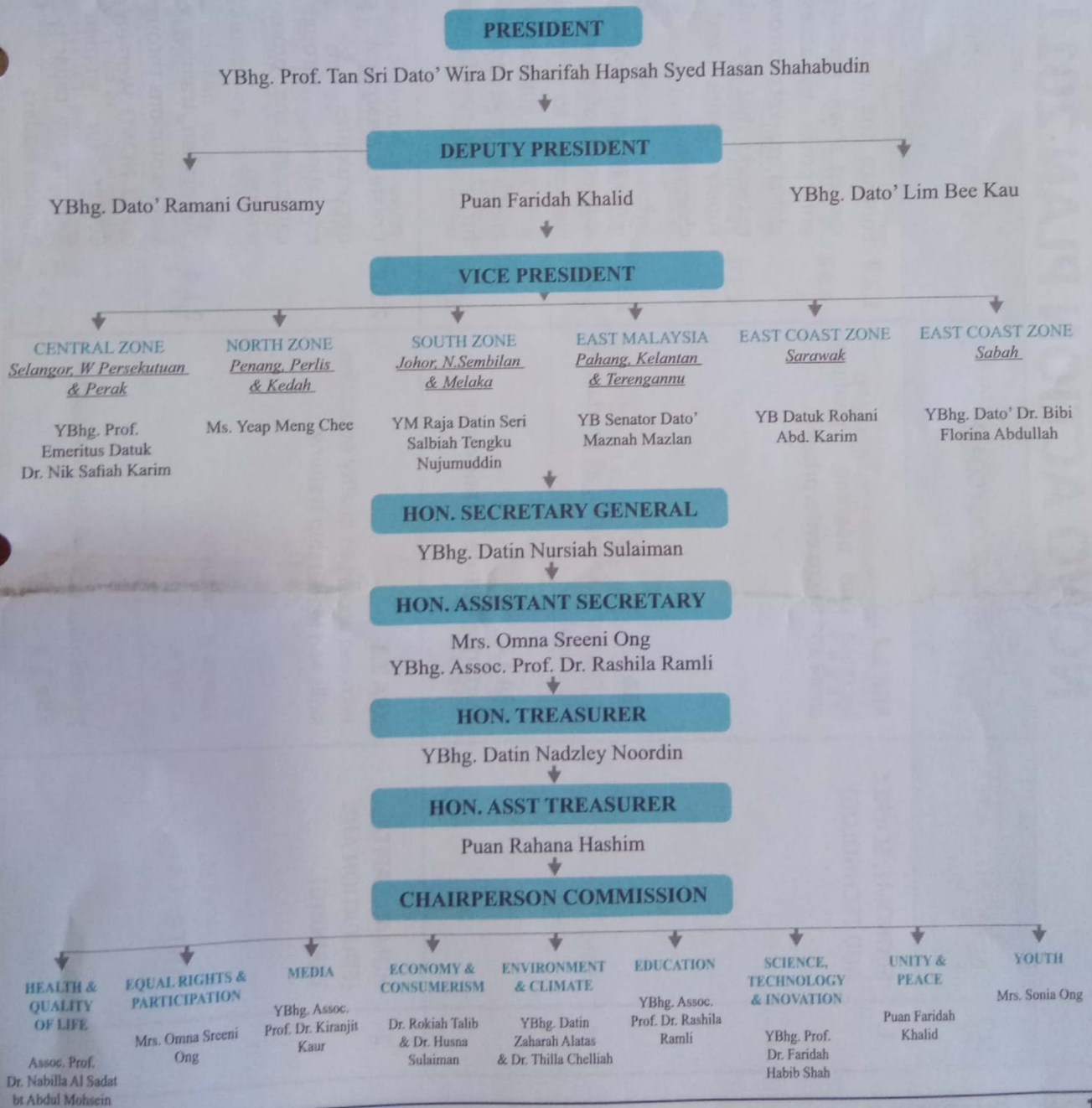
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The 22nd NCWO Biennial Delegates Conference was held in December 2010. During the Conference one of the items discussed was the NCWO PLAN OF ACTION 2011-2012. The PLAN OF ACTION and The NCWO's organisation chart are included in this quarterly.

NCWO Organisation Chart Office Bearers 2011-2012





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LAPORAN PROGRAM PENCEGAHAN JENAYAH: SEKATA (KESELAMATAN KELUARGA TANGGUNGJAWAB KITA)

Oleh Mariah Hussain

Program Pencegahan Jenayah: SEKATA merupakan inisiatif Kerajaan melalui Kementerian Pembangunan Wanita Keluarga dan Masyarakat (KPWKM). Objektifnya adalah untuk meningkatkan kesejahteraan sosial berasaskan pendekatan komuniti sejahtera. Program ini akan membabitkan penyediaan khidmat sokongan keluarga dan komuniti menikmati persekitaran kehidupan yang lebih berkualiti.

KPWKM melalui Lembaga Penduduk dan Pembangunan Keluarga (LPPKN) telah membuat ketetapan supaya pelbagai program kesedaran tentang Pencegahan Jenayah SEKATA termasuklah program-program latihan dan seminar dibuat dengan kerjasama Kerajaan Negeri, pertubuhan bukan kerajaan (NGO), agensi-agensi Kerajaan dan ahli masyarakat. Dalam hubungan ini, Majlis Kebangsaan Pertubuhan-Pertubuhan Wanita Malaysia (NCWO) telah diberi tanggungjawab untuk menjayakan program "Keeping Our Children Safe" di 6 buah negeri seperti di bawah yang dikendalikan oleh YBhg. Dato' Ramani Gurusamy.

Program di bawah NCWO Pusat

- Selangor & Wilayah Persekutuan
- Johor
- Pulau Pinang
- Pahang
- Negeri Sembilan – Dijalankan sepenuhnya oleh NCWO N. Sembilan

Antara senarai dan jumlah aktiviti SEKATA NCWO Pusat adalah:

| Bil. | Tajuk Projek | Jumlah Program |
|------|---|--|
| 1 | <i>What Kiddies Should Know</i> Training of Trainers (TOT) | 4 program bagi setiap negeri dan 1 TOT bagi kanak-kanak OKU (Di kendalikan oleh YBhg. Datin Paduka Khatijah Suleiman) |
| 2 | <i>What Kiddies Should Know</i> Awareness Program at Tadika/Pusat Asuhan Kanak-Kanak | 80 program di setiap negeri |
| 3 | <i>Legal Literacy / Violence Against Women (Non- Muslim)</i> <i>Legal Literacy / Violence Against Women (Muslim)</i> | 10 Seminar dikendalikan oleh Ahli Gabungan NCWO |
| 4 | <i>Moulding Future Leaders</i> Training of Trainers (TOT) | 4 program bagi 3 buah negeri (Dikendalikan oleh Suruhanjaya Belia, NCWO) |
| 5 | Modul SEKATA – Edisi Ibubapa | 6 program bulan Jan-Julai 2012 |
| 6 | Modul SEKATA – Edisi Remaja | 6 program bulan Jan-Julai 2012 |



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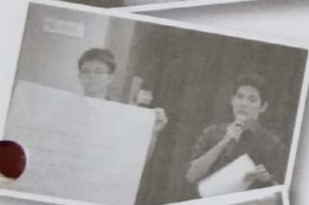
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MOULDING FUTURE LEADERS



The Youth Commission of NCWO and the Baha'i Office for the Advancement of Women took to the road to conduct the MOULDING FUTURE LEADERS TOT in Johor, Penang and the Klang Valley. The TOT trained young adults to conduct specially developed empowerment programmes for youth:

“Stand Up For Change”, “Empower” and “Meet the Mentors”. The very spirited participants were totally engaged in the interactive programme; sharing experiences and ideas and planning as a team to run the newly learned workshops for youth in their community. Detailed and instructive manuals were given to each participant.

Please write to mouldingfutureleaders@gmail.com if you want to know more about this programme.

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