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PETRON CONDUCTS COASTAL CLEAN-UP TO PROMOTE ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS

PORT DICKSON — More than 100 primary school students from Sekolah Kebangsaan Port Dickson, Sekolah Kebangsaan Panglima Adnan, and Sekolah Kebangsaan Kg Baru Si Rusa joined Petron employee-volunteers today to clean 2.5 kilometers of beach at Bagan Pinang, one of the country's holiday destinations. This is the latest in a series of nationwide initiatives that the oil company has organized to raise awareness on environmental preservation and protection.

The students, together with 100 Petron employees, collected various kinds of wastes and separated those that can be recycled. They also deposited some 300 mud balls made from dried mud and activated microbes. Mud balls have been very useful in cleaning bodies of water and waterways because these consume organic waste and reduce chemical content.

The clean-up coincided with the 50^{th} anniversary of the Petron Port Dickson Refinery (PDR), which is located near Bagan Pinang. The PDR anniversary centered on safety, security, health, and environment protection.

"This activity is a manifestation of our sustainability efforts, as the clean-up complements our ongoing organization-wide efforts to reduce our carbon footprint, conserve energy, and manage our wastes," said Cik Fadzilah Mohd Tahir, Petron Port Dickson Refinery Head.

"Equally important, this raises the level of awareness among our youth on the importance of caring for the environment and preserving beautiful destinations such as Bagan Pinang for future generations. By starting them at a very young age with simple but meaningful acts, they can serve as catalysts for positive change in creating healthier and safer communities," said Cik Fadzilah.

During the coastal clean-up, participants also attended an environmental awareness briefing conducted by Department of Environment (DOE). Petron earlier signed a Memorandum of

Understanding (MOU) with the DOE to joint promote environmental awareness through various activities.

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