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## Port Klang Free Zone To Have Directors

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PORT KLANG, July 3 (Bernama) -- Port Klang Free Zone Sdn Bhd, a company entrusted to run and manage Port Klang Free Zone in Pulau Indah here, will establish its own board of directors to drive development of the project to greater heights.

The proposal to appoint directors for the company has been submitted by Port Klang Authority (PKA), the owner of the company and Port Klang Free Zone project, to the Transport Ministry.

PKA chairman Datuk Yap Pian Hon told Bernama that it was up to the Transport Minister to decide on the composition of the company's board and those sitting on the board.

He said PKA had recommended a list of candidates for the director posts.

The directors might include representatives from relevant ministries, Yap said.

"Who will be the directors, including the chairman, is in the minister's hands now," he said.

Yap said the board of directors will provide direction and advice to Port Klang Free Zone Sdn Bhd's current management to move the project forward.

Currently, Port Klang Free Zone Sdn Bhd's management team is headed by its managing director Noel Gulliver.

Gulliver, armed with about 30 years' experience in the logistics business, has served in senior and regional management roles for multinational companies such as CF/Emery Worldwide, Maersk Logistics, Roadway, Schenker and Jardine Logistics.

Port Klang Free Zone, a 405-hectare international cargo distribution and consolidation centre adjacent to Westport, is designed and marketed by the Jebel Ali Free Zone Authority International (JAFZA), which has over 20 years of experience in port and free zone management.

JAFZA International also acts as the consultant for the PKFZ project.

Yap said Port Klang Free Zone Sdn Bhd was currently working together with JAFZA to promote Port Klang Free Zone.

He said Port Klang Free Zone Sdn Bhd would probably be paying for JAFZA's services in the future after the company was independently strong financially.

Currently, PKA is the paymaster of JAFZA.

"Maybe later on JAFZA will be paid by them (the company)," Yap said.

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