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## **JAWATANKUASA PEGUAM PULAU PINANG PENANG BAR COMMITTEE**

Circular 6/20

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To Members of the Penang Bar,

### **Penang Bar Annual General Meeting 2020: Precautionary Measures for Covid-19 Epidemic**

We have received queries from some members of the Bar as to whether the Committee will be taking any precautionary or safety measures for the Penang Bar Annual General Meeting (AGM) which will be held on 28 Feb 2020 (Fri) at the Bayview Georgetown Hotel from 1:00 pm in view of the ongoing Covid-19 epidemic.

As it currently stands and unless we are otherwise directed by the Ministry of Health and/or the relevant authorities, the AGM will proceed as scheduled in accordance to the Legal Profession Act 1976 and the Committee can merely, out of an abundance of caution, advise members to take the following precautions:

- Anyone returning from China to Malaysia from 2 Feb 2020 onwards and anyone who has been in physical contact with patients infected with Covid-19 should not attend the AGM.
- Anyone with common flu, influenza or respiratory infection or other relevant suspected symptoms should get medical clearance and undergo a temperature check before attending the AGM.
- All members attending the AGM shall be mindful and considerate of others' concern in relation to the Covid-19 epidemic.

We appeal for members' understanding and cooperation in this regard.

**Lee Guan Tong**  
Chairman