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To Members of the Penang Bar,

UPDATE: Covid-19 Donation Drive for Face Masks for Penang Prisons

Further to our Circular Criminal Law 8/20, we wish to inform Members that the Penang Bar Committee, represented by the Chairman, Secretary and the undersigned, handed over more than 300 boxes of face masks to the Director of the Penang Prisons on 3 Nov 2020 for the inmates of the Penang Prisons in response to their plea for face masks following the outbreak of Covid-19 at the Penang Prisons since 5 Oct 2020.

We thank the Members who generously contributed face masks and cash donations towards this cause. The Director of the Penang Prisons has also conveyed his gratitude and appreciation to the Penang Bar Committee and Penang Bar Members for carrying out this Donation Drive for the inmates.

The Donation Drive for the Penang Prisons will remain open and any further donations and contributions received will be handed over to the Penang Prisons from time to time.

Members may choose to either give cash contributions or donate face masks through the Penang Bar Committee.

Cash contributions are to be made out to the PENANG BAR COMMITTEE, Account No Public Bank Berhad 3060545211. Proof of payment made via online banking/fund transfer must be submitted to secretariat@penangbar.org with the e-mail subject "Covid-19 Prisons Donation Drive".

For donations of face masks to the Penang Bar Secretariat, kindly contact the Secretariat at 04-261 5669 prior to delivery and indicate the number of face masks/boxes which will be donated, date and time of delivery together with the details of the donor.

We thank you again and look forward to your continuous support.

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