



Adeline (fourth right) presenting a souvenir to Masidi.

Masidi suggests renewable energy projects for islands, villages

KOTA KINABALU: The Sabah Chapter of the Environmental Management and Research Association (ENSEARCH) of Malaysia has been asked to look into the feasibilities of renewable energy projects for islands and villages in Sabah and to achieve zero waste discharge for the islands.

Tourism, Culture and Environment Minister Datuk Masidi Manjun made the suggestion when the ENSEARCH Sabah committee members led by chairman Datuk Adeline Leong paid a courtesy call on him recently.

Adeline briefed Masidi that ENSEARCH is a non-profit association of organisations, professionals, students and people with interest in learning and promoting effective ways to manage the impacts of human activities on the environment.

The members of ENSEARCH believed that all were responsible for managing and mitigating the impacts of their corporate, professional and daily living activities on the environment.

She said one of the core activities of ENSEARCH was building national capacity in environmental

management through the training and education programmes and another cord activity was to promote and advance the practice of environmental professionalism by all professionals engaged in the provision of environmental management-related services, such as environmental impact assessments, environmental management systems, environmental audits and environmental technology.

"ENSEARCH is able to act as environmental think tank for the government on environmental issues," she added.

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