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RESIDENTS PROTEST AGAINST GLOVE FACTORY OVER POLLUTING DISCHARGE

RESIDENTS of Taman Suria in Batang Berjuntai held a demonstration against a glove manufacturing company situated just 22m from their homes, complaining that it was discharging fumes which caused health complications, Malaysia Nanban reported.

PKR public complaints bureau committe member Ahmad Bungsu Hamid Tuah said in an independent laboratory test on drain water samples and water samples taken around Taman Suria revealed dangerous level of pollutants.

The factory's deputy manging director, Kuan Mun Leong, dismissed the claims, saying his company had always complied with DOE standard on health safety.

Kapar MP S.Manickavasagam, who was at the demonstration with district council members P.Thenarasu and S.Thirumurthi, said he and his legal team will take up the case.

" 100 % Environmental Compliance To DOE Industrial Effluent Standard B"

"If fail, subject to Max Fine of RM 100,000 and Max Imprisonment of 5 years or Both"

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DOE Standard B:

- * COD = 200 mg/l
- * BOD = 50 mg/l
- * Zinc = 2 mg/l
- * O&G = 10 mg/l
- * pH = 5.5 9.0
- * TSS = 100 mg/l

Environmental Quote:

You can make a lot of speeches, but the real thing is when you dig a hole, plant a tree, give it water and make it survive. That's what makes the difference.



Please minimize water usage in production and compounding to reduce burden in IETS & reduce water wastage.

