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PROHIBITIONS ON PUBLIC STATEMENTS

Regulation 18 (1) and Regulation 18 (2) of the Statutory Bodies (Discipline and Surcharge) Act 2000 (Act 605)

Rule 17 of the Universiti Putra Malaysia (Information and Communication Technology) Rules 2014

"Let Us be Wise on Social Media"

ALL UNIVERSITY STAFF AND STUDENTS ARE PROHIBITED FROM:

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Making any public statements or comments, including using social media that could be detrimental, divulging information that is classified as CONFIDENTIAL or causing embarrassment or adversely affecting the good name and reputation of the government / university / staff or students of the university.

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Any staff or student who violates this prohibition may be subject to disciplinary action.

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UPM staff and students are reminded to exercise good judgement when making any public statements whether verbally or in writing in the mass media, or when using social media facilities or other forms of interactional media on the internet. Examples of public statements and conducts that are prohibited are:

- Actions or behaviours expressed through views or comments on social and electronic media applications, wherein such comments may be regarded as showing disloyalty to the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, the Country and the Government;
- Jeopardising policies, plans or decisions made by the University or the Government;
- Causing embarrassment to the University or the Government, or damage the good reputation of the University or the Government;
- Highlighting the weaknesses of Policies, Plans or Decisions made by the University or the Government;
- Divulging information on the functions of the University or the Government;
- Providing explanations on any events or reports pertaining to the University or Government;
- Uploading minutes of meetings, letters of appointment, approval letters, and making public any information classified as CONFIDENTIAL;
- Posting comments or uploading images while viva sessions are in progress; and
- These public statements include statements made to the press, as well as public lectures, broadcast, publications, and others, including those delivered through social media.

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