

19 food items under price control scheme

KUALA LUMPUR : The Domestic Trade and Consumer Affairs Ministry has listed 19 items under the Christmas 2019 Maximum Price Control Scheme effective from Sunday to Dec 31. Deputy minister Chong Chieng Jen said the scheme would be implemented for 10 days compared with five days last year. He added that the scheme would be implemented under the Price Control and Anti-Profit Control Act 2011. "The ministry has identified an increase in food items involving red chilli, imported cabbage (from Indonesia and China, excluding Beijing cabbage) and imported potato (China). The items listed under the price control scheme comprise chicken, eggs, vegetables, mutton and pork," he said at the Parliament lobby here yesterday.