

## Over RM1 million in goods seized by KPDNHEP Miri this year — Enforcement chief

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(Back row, from fifth left) Joe Azmi, Abdul Aziz, Jong, Sebi and Pulnama (back row, fifth right) in a photo call with media representatives.

**MIRI:** Continuous effort by the Miri office of the Domestic Trade and Consumer Affairs Ministry (KPDNHEP) has led to the seizure of goods worth over RM1 million from 132 offenders between Jan 1 and Aug 22 this year.

This was disclosed by KPDNHEP Miri enforcement chief Joe Azmi Jamil, who said the seizures were made over various trade offences, which also saw offenders issued with compounds totalling RM16,300.

"The 132 offenders were booked from a total of 8,111 premises inspected during the period, which included 7,366 premises in urban centres and 745 premises in rural areas," he said during an appreciation dinner with members of the media from Miri and Limbang, held here recently.

He said nine cases valued at over RM985,000 were recorded under the Supply Control Act 1961, followed by 39 cases under the Weights and Measures Act 1972 which involved seizures valued at RM20,840 and compounds of RM4,900.

The rest of the offences were under the Price Control and Anti-Profiteering Act 2011, Trade Description Act 2011 and Consumer Protection Act 1999, he added.

Joe Azmi also urged those wishing to make complaints to contact the ministry here via email at [aduan@kpdnhep.gov.my](mailto:aduan@kpdnhep.gov.my), the Ez ADU app, 019-2794317 (WhatsApp), 1-800-886-800 (hotline), or 085-412862 (KPDNHEP Miri office).

On the media appreciation night, he said it was one of the ministry's ways to thank the media for helping it deliver its services to the people.

Among those present were acting Miri Resident Abdul Aziz Mohd Yusuf, Limbang Deputy Resident Sebi Abang, KPDNHEP Limbang chief Pulnama Tarah and Sarawak Northern Journalist Association president Andy Jong.