

## **Electricity Tariff Rebates Remain Despite Rising Cost**

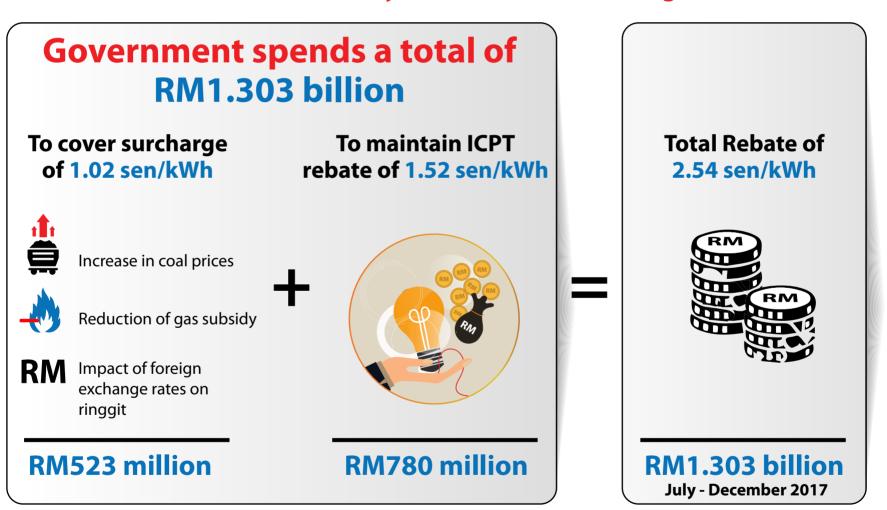
The Rakyat will continue to enjoy the Imbalanced Cost Pass Through (ICPT) rebate until December 31, 2017 despite the increase in fuel prices for electricity generation in the last six months.

The Government, taking into consideration the rising cost of living, has decided to maintain the rebate of 1.52 sen/kWh in electricity tariff in Peninsular Malaysia from July 1 to December 31, 2017.

This will cost the Government RM1.303 billion (total rebate of 2.54 sen/kWh) comprising:

- RM523 million to cover the increase in coal prices and reduction of gas subsidy for electricity generation.
- RM780 million to maintain the current ICPT rebate.

## Reasons for electricity tariff to remain unchanged:



No increase in electricity tariff from July to December 2017

