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TNB seeks to ensure stable power supply at Prai, Bukit Minyak industrial parks

SEBERANG JAYA: Tenaga Nasional Bhd (TNB), which allocated RM106 million to spend on new infrastructure from last year till 2020, aims to ensure continuous and stable power supply to the Prai and Bukit Minyak industrial parks, here.

Senior general manager, operations region 2, Datuk Abdul Aziz Abdul Majid, said the group was committed to ensure that the power supply, especially industrial areas, was stable.

He said since last year, the group had spent RM30 million, or 40 per cent of the initial allocation, on new infrastructure such as sub-stations and associated cables.

"The RM106 million allocation is to build one 132kV sub-station and four 33kV sub-stations in the Prai and Bukit Minyak industrial parks.

"Work on these sub-stations is ongoing and they are on track to be completed by 2020, in order to meet the demand of residents and investors," he said after meeting Federation of Malaysian Manufacturers chairman Datuk Ooi Eng Hock, here, yesterday.

He said two of the four 33kV sub-stations — at Bukit Minyak Science Park and Jalan Perusahaan Prai — had been completed.

*Tenaga Nasional says it is **committed to ensuring stable power supply** to all, especially industrial areas.*

On the recent power failures at the Prai and Bukit Minyak industrial parks, Abdul Aziz said TNB had carried out its investigations to determine the cause.

"The incident was due to a breakdown of the switch gear and there is no negligence on our part," he said.

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