

Felda Approves Construction of Racing Circuit in Jengka

Felda has approved the construction of a racing circuit in Jengka in a bid to produce a competitive second-generation of Felda settlers, as well as to enable them to enjoy recreational activity and interact with each other in a healthy environment. Chairman of Felda, Tan Sri Isa Samad said the racing circuit, which will be built at a cost of RM1.9 million, was expected to boost rural economy and increase the income of local residents, besides being a platform to search for new talents in motoring sport. He said that the circuit, covering an area of 5.3 hectare, would be used as the venue for drag race and sprint test, hence, combating social problems related to illegal racing among Felda youths. – BERNAMA

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