

**Pertama Digital completes acquisition of larger majority stake in Dapat**  
Enhanced stake is timely with business expansion

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**PETALING JAYA, 8 September 2021 – Pertama Digital Berhad** has announced that its subsidiary, Television Airtime Services Sdn Bhd (TAS), has completed the acquisition of a further 24% of the total ordinary shares in govtech software company DAPAT Vista (M) Sdn Bhd (Dapat) from HeiTech Padu Berhad (HTP).

In Pertama Digital's earlier announcement on 23 July 2021, it was made known that TAS had exercised its contractual option to acquire that stake in addition to the 56% already held by TAS in Dapat. The acquisition was completed today, making TAS an 80% majority shareholder of Dapat. Through Pertama Digital's 51% equity interest in TAS, Pertama Digital has an effective interest of about 41% in Dapat.

Saify Akhtar, Pertama Digital's Director of Strategy, said, "Dapat's businesses are relentlessly growing during the COVID-19 pandemic that encourages digital touchpoints over physical contact. Pertama Digital's increased majority stake in Dapat enables a consolidation of larger contribution to the bottomline of Pertama Digital."

Amanda Sabri, Dapat's CEO, added: "We run eJamin, the world's first smartphone court bail payment solution that is live in courts all over Malaysia. On 19 July 2021, we piloted the eJamin+ feature to raise the bank transfer limit for court bail payment, from RM30,000 to RM500,000 in a single transaction. This feature will be available nationwide soon, increasing the pool of eJamin users. On 1 September 2021, Dapat revamped mySMS, the online platform that government agencies use to reach out to the rakyat via reliable short messaging service, such as for public hospital appointments, public university admissions and information on zakat. We expect mySMS' enhanced robustness and agility to drive higher usage."

Listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, Pertama Digital backs govtech and fintech initiatives that build impactful, inclusive solutions for Malaysians. Pertama Digital acquired a 51% stake in TAS in May 2020. Recently, Pertama Digital's consortium applied for a digital banking licence from Bank Negara Malaysia, focused on a collaborative approach with ecosystem players to provide ethical and productive financing for the financially underserved to fuel post-pandemic productivity.

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