## ADVANCING POLICING PRACTICES IN MALAYSIA

## Tan Sri Mohd Bakri Mohd Zinin

Former Deputy Inspector-General of Police of Malaysia

Tan Sri Mohd Bakri Mohd Zinin has a distinguished career in law enforcement, marked by his commitment to public service and dedication to advancing policing practices in Malaysia.

Born on 7th September 1954 and raised in Kampong Likas, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, he embarks on an academic journey that lays the foundation for an illustrious career. He pursues criminal studies in Cambridge, London, where he gains invaluable insights into the intricacies of law enforcement and criminal justice.

Furthering his education, Tan Sri Bakri travels to Japan to study command systems, enhancing his understanding of organizational efficiency and operational effectiveness within policing. His studies continue in Singapore, where he focuses on high-profile policy development, equipping him with the skills to address complex societal issues through strategic planning and implementation. In Australia, he specializes in drug enforcement, deepening his expertise in combating drug-related crimes, a pressing issue for many communities. This diverse educational background contributes significantly to his professional development and equips him with a global perspective on policing.





## ICON OF COURAGE AND DEDICATION IN PUBLIC SECURITY ENFORCEMENT

With an impressive 40-year tenure in the Royal Malaysia Police (PDRM), Tan Sri Bakri rises through the ranks, ultimately serving as the longest-serving Criminal Investigation Department (CID) Director for six years. His leadership is characterized by a focus on enhancing investigative techniques and fostering collaboration among various law enforcement agencies.

In a historic achievement, Tan Sri Bakri retires as the first Sabahan to hold the position of Deputy Inspector General of Police, marking a significant milestone in the history of PDRM. He is widely regarded as an icon within the force and a role model to many, respected for his integrity, vision, and dedication to public safety. His legacy remains one of innovation and a steadfast commitment to safeguarding the community.

Throughout his career, Tan Sri Bakri has continued to mentor many, inspiring the next generation of law enforcement professionals to uphold the values of integrity, service, and excellence. His contributions to the field are recognized both nationally and internationally, and he remains a respected voice in discussions surrounding law enforcement and public safety.







