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PUTRAJAYA: Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim wants the Federal Government Electronic Receipt System (iPayment) to be rolled out across all federal ministries and departments by next month.

He stressed the importance of expediting the system's implementation to ensure that the public could quickly benefit from its improvements and streamlined services.

He said that this initiative was a vital part of the government's institutional reforms, aimed at simplifying processes for the public.

Consequently, he instructed the ministry to fast-track the full implementation of the system, advancing its rollout to early next month instead of the previously scheduled April date.

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"We must remember that the ultimate measure of success is how the majority of the people benefit from the reforms we are discussing.

"That is why I urge for the iPayment programme to be brought forward from the projected April timeline to early March," he said during the system's launch at the Finance Ministry's monthly assembly.

The Prime Minister also expressed his hopes for the system to be expanded to the state level in the near future.

He described the iPayment system as part of the government's push to foster a "cashless payment" culture and likened it to the success of the QR code system at Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KLIA).

The iPayment system is an integrated electronic collection platform developed by the Accountant General's Department of Malaysia, in line with the government's policy to advance digital transformation within the public sector and move towards a cashless society.


Previously, each government agency was required to establish its own individual cashless payment system.

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