

A STUDY ON RIVER POLLUTION LAW IN MALAYSIA WITH REFERENCE TO
THE KLANG RIVER

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ABSTRACT

In Malaysia today, river pollution has become a serious issue debated everywhere, from coffee shops to the highest law enactment entity, the parliament. Since most of our rivers are highly polluted, the issue arises as to how pollution still takes place in a country where relevant steps have been taken in order to overcome river pollution. This research will provide every relevant detail regarding river pollution in Malaysia. The causes and effects of river pollution in Malaysia is also discussed in this project. Even though relevant law such as the Environmental Quality Act (EQA) 1974 has been enacted to regulate this matter, river pollution still happen in Malaysia. This will be the main discussion of this study in order to determine the weakness of the laws. All information are gathered through relevant literature reviews. Rivers are god's given treasure, it provide us with almost everything needed by human being. In addition, rivers also generate the Malaysian economy, as it attracts tourists. The aim of this research is to highlight the problems and give suggestions on the best solutions to overcome this problem.

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