

MASS LABOUR PROTEST AT CONSTITUTIONAL COURT, STATE PALACE, DPR/MPR BUILDING IN JAKARTA

20 July 2023

Members and supporters of the Labour Party and the Confederation of Indonesian Workers' Unions (KSPI) plan to hold a rally outside the Constitutional Court (MK) at Jl. Medan Merdeka Barat, the State Palace at Jl. Medan Merdeka Utara, and the House of Representatives (DPR/MPR RI) building at Jl. Gatot Subroto in Central Jakarta, at an unspecified time on Thursday 20 July, to denounce the Omnibus Health Draft Bill that was passed into law on 11 July. Local sources indicated that the number of participants may reach hundreds to thousands of workers from Greater Jakarta, Greater Bandung, Purwakarta, Subang, Serang, and Cilegon.



SECURITY MEASURES

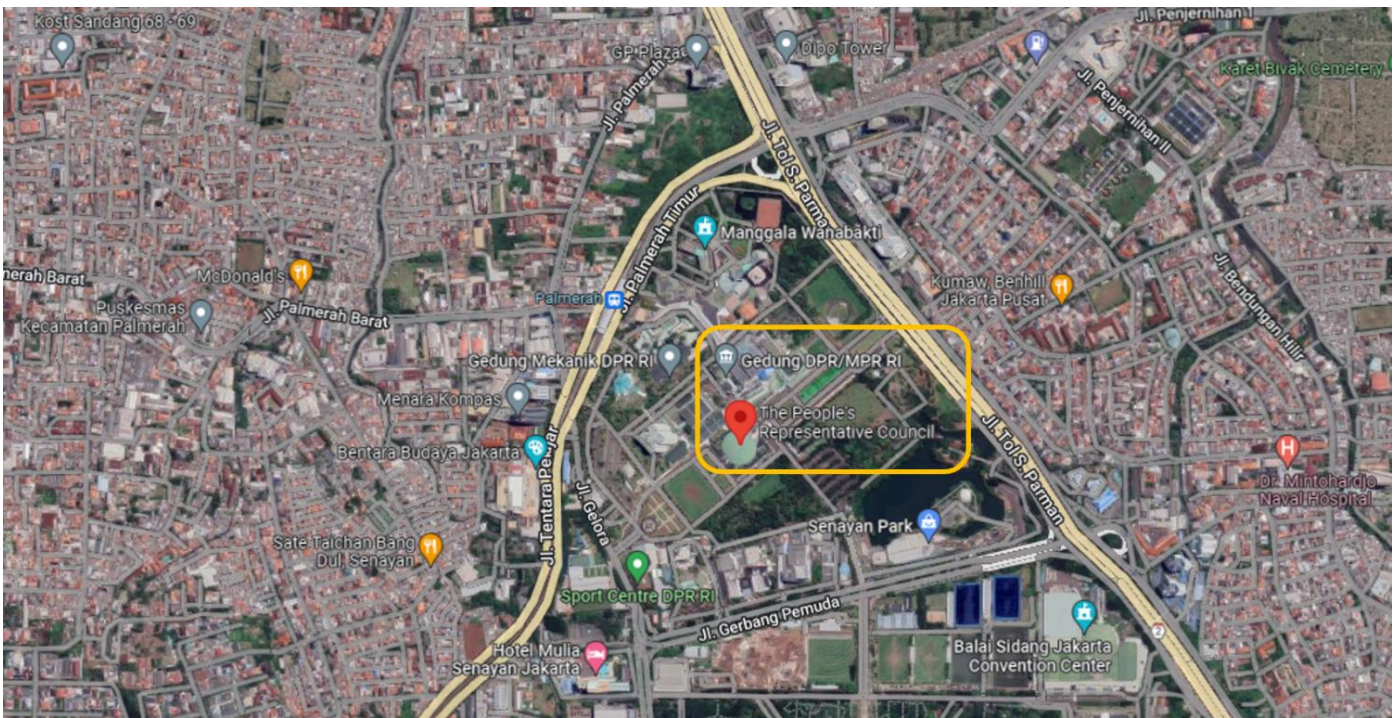
At least 800 police officers were deployed to and around the DPR/MPR RI building on Tuesday 11 July when thousands of healthcare workers demonstrated to protest against the Omnibus Health Draft Bill. Authorities may deploy additional personnel to safeguard the protest on Thursday 20 July, and set up security cordons including barbed wire barricades at the Arjuna Wiwaha Horse Statue Roundabout, near the State Palace, and in front of the DPR/MPR RI building. Clashes between protesters and police are possible. Officials may use tear gas and water cannons to break up crowds.

Significant traffic disruptions are possible along Jl. Gatot Subroto from Semanggi towards Slipi and on Jl. Gerbang Pemuda. The protesters may also pass along Jl. Jend. Sudirman and Jl. M.H. Thamrin. Motorists have been advised to seek alternative routes to avoid traffic disruption and demonstrations. The police are also preparing several arrangements to reroute the capital's traffic in anticipation of worsened congestion around venues to be used by protesters. The traffic diversions are as follows:

1. Traffic on Jl. MH. Thamrin heading towards Jl. Medan Merdeka Barat will be diverted to Jl. Budi Kemuliaan or Jl. Medan Merdeka Selatan
2. Traffic from Tugu Tani towards Jl. Medan Merdeka Selatan will be diverted to Jl. Perwira
3. Vehicles coming from Jl. Hayam Wuruk towards Jl. Majapahit will have to make a detour through Jl. Juanda or Jl. Suryopranoto
4. Traffic passing through Jl. Abdul Muis towards Jl. Gajah Mada will be directed to Jl. Tanah Abang Satu



1. Traffic flow from Jl. Gatot Subroto towards DPR/MPR RI building will be turned left to Jl. Gerbang Pemuda
2. Vehicles coming from Slipi towards Jl. Gerbang Pemuda will be closed and directed to Semanggi
3. Traffic from inner-city toll road wishing to take exit at Offramp Pulo Dua will be diverted to Tomang toll road
4. Vehicles coming from Jl. Gerbang Pemuda towards Jl. Gatot Subroto will be directed to make a U-turn back to Jl. Gerbang Pemuda
5. Traffic from Jl. Gerbang Pemuda towards Jl. Gelora will be diverted to Jl. Asia Afrika
6. Traffic flow from Jl. Palmerah Timur towards Jl. Gelora will be rerouted to Jl. Tentara Pelajar



PEGASUS ADVICE

- Clients are advised to avoid passing the Arjuna Wiwaha Horse Statue area in Central Jakarta as the area will be crowded by the protesters nor to be present in the vicinity of the DPR/MPR RI building during the event, not only because of the possibility that the rally may turn violent but the traffic will also be likely congested.
- Anticipate robust security and travel disruptions near the rally sites.
- Plot bypass routes as roads in the surrounding areas will be subject to closures and/or diversions, with little or no notice.
- Follow all security personnel instructions.
- Do not attempt to cross roadblocks, as protesters may react violently.
- Stay current with media coverage of local events, be aware of your surroundings, and practise personal security awareness at all times.
- Bear in mind that terrorists may use the situation to launch attacks at anytime and anywhere.
- Be advised that foreigners who join protests in Indonesia may be arrested and/or deported.

RELEVANT AUTHORITY CONTACTS

- Police / General Emergencies: 110 / 112 (SMS 1717)
- National Police Traffic Corps (NTMC): Call Centre 1500669 | SMS: 9119 | Twitter: @NTMCLantasPolri
- Jakarta Police (Polda Metro Jaya): 021-52960770 | Twitter: @TMCPoldaMetro
- Elshinta Radio Jakarta (90.0 MHz FM): Phone: 021-5869000 | SMS / WhatsApp: 0811 806 543 | Twitter: @RadioElshinta
- Sonora Radio Jakarta (92.0 MHz FM): SMS / WhatsApp: 0812 112 9200 | Twitter: @SonoraFM92

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