LABUAN: Some 100 citizens of Universiti Malaysia Sabah, Labuan International Campus (UMS-KAL) attended a briefing by UMS vice-chancellor Prof Datuk Dr Mohd Harun Abdullah, recently.

Those present were officers, lecturers, staff and students who came to listen to the virtual briefing and conference held at the lecture hall of the campus which was connected with the vice-chancellor at the main UMS campus in Kota Kinabalu.

In his speech, Mohd Harun hoped that UMS-KAL citizens would work hard to uplift the image of the campus both at national and international levels.

“All UMS citizens are responsible to realize UMS’ vision and mission to be an innovative university with international standard. Many initiatives have been done and will be done to ensure UMS is still relevant and competitive to compete nationally and internationally,” he said, while reminding the students not to tarnish the image of UMS by committing something against the law.

He added that this year, UMS would upgrade its facilities at the campus for students such as to renovate their residential buildings and to provide better Internet and WiFi connection.

“I want to see UMS become an agent to spread knowledge and an agent for change in society to serve the nation,” he said in the briefing that started around 8.30am.

Currently, there are around 2,000 students and 284 officers, lecturers and staff at UMS-KAL.

Present were UMS-KAL director Assoc Prof Dr Murnizam Hj Halik, UMS-KAL deputy registrar Zamri Mohamad Tuah and the vice president of the campus student representative council (MPP), Amos Peter.