

Businessman ordered to settle GST

OVERDUE:

Textile company
owner owes
RM195,835 to
Customs Dept

SEREMBAN

THE Sessions Court here has ordered a businessman to pay RM195,835 in overdue Goods and Services Tax (GST) to the Royal Malaysian Customs Department.

Judge N. Kanageswari made the decision in chambers.

According to the facts of the case, the defendant, Wong Sing Fei, 35, the owner of a textile company, filed his GST-03 statement for the tax period October to November

last year to the plaintiff online, through the "TaxPayer Access Point" (TAP) portal.

As of Nov 9 last year, the defendant had still failed, refused or been negligent in paying the overdue tax for both tax periods, namely October and November last year.

The plaintiff has issued two bills of claims for the tax, amounting to RM195,835.65.

As of the date the writ and claims statement were filed, and despite various efforts made by the plaintiff, the defendant had still failed, refused or was negligent in paying the overdue GST, totalling RM195,835.65 for the tax period Sept 1 and Sept 30 last year and between Oct 1 and Oct 31 last year.

The charge was made by Negri Sembilan State Customs Civil Officer Amirul Syafiq Mahadi. **Berna-**
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