



# BRUNEI SECURITY ANALYSIS REPORT

## AI-Assisted Open Source Intelligence Assessment

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## Executive Summary

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## Key Developments

- Unable to generate a security analysis for Brunei at this time.
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## Outlook

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## ANNEX: COLLECTED ARTICLES BY SOURCE

### Source: The Scoop

- [Government unveils strategic priorities in \\$480M infrastructure push](#) (2026-03-15 15:41)

BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN – The government has earmarked \$480 million from the FY 2026/27 budget to drive critical infrastructure and socio-economic projects over the coming year. These funds are part of the broader 12th National Development Plan (RKN12), a \$4 billion roadmap comprising 305 projects through 2029, designed to support Brunei’s long-term economic goals. Following the budget readout at the Legislative Council on Saturday, we take a closer look at the government’s strategic priorities for the year ahead. Priority 1: Fiscal stability and governance With a \$22 million allocation, the first priority focuses on strengthening fiscal stability and financial governance. Key projects under this pillar include the development of Bru-HIMS 2.0 and a new national centre for vehicle inspection and automobile standards. Funding will also support several essential studies and master plans, including: Aerial imaging and 3D mapping for geospatial surveying. Coastal protection and sanitation/sewerage master plans. Non-revenue water management to secure the national water supply. Environmental and tourism initiatives are also featured under this bracket, with a focus on forest conservation, carbon trading, and upgrades to Kampong Ayer and the Pulau Selirong Forest Recreation Park. Priority 2: Economic transformation and innovation The second priority — empowering the economy through [...] This story 'Government unveils strategic priorities in \$480M infrastructure push' appeared first on The Scoop.

- [Sultan urges safeguards as Iran war jolts energy markets](#) (2026-03-13 11:40)

BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN – His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah has called for stronger action to address global economic uncertainty, while urging members of the Legislative Council to focus on key national priorities. The monarch opened the 22nd session of the Legislative Council in his first public appearance since undergoing knee replacement surgery in January. In his titah, His Majesty said Brunei must remain alert to international developments and the impact of global geopolitical tensions on the economy, particularly as fluctuations in energy commodity prices could affect the country’s main source of revenue. Oil prices have surged past \$100 per barrel as the US and Israel wage war against Iran, sending energy markets into a tailspin over fears of a prolonged conflict. The sultan stressed that Brunei is not immune to these global pressures and called on members of the Legislative Council to work together in addressing any uncertainties that may arise. Economic diversification remains key priority To bolster the government’s fiscal health, the monarch urged a sustained push into new sectors and strategic investments that accelerate economic diversification. “The need to develop new areas is no longer a choice but a necessity,” he said, adding that progress must also [...] This

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