

Johore Ruler heads honours list

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KUALA TRENGGANU, Wed. — The Sultan of Johore heads the list of honours recipients awarded in conjunction with the Trengganu Sultan's 52nd birthday tomorrow.

A total of 259 people including Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, Saudi Arabian Ambassador Syed Muhamad Al Hamed Al Shubaili and the Chief of General Staff, Tan Sri Zain Mahmud, will be honoured by the Sultan.

The Sultan of Johore will be awarded Trengganu's highest award, the Darjah Kebesaran Kerabat Trengganu Yang Amat Mulia Darjah Yang Pertama (D.K.).

Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad will receive the Seri Setia Sultan Mahmud Trengganu (SSMT).

The Chief of General Staff and the Saudi Arabian Ambassador are among 19 people who will be awarded Trengganu's datukship.

Three of them will be awarded the Seri Paduka Mahkota Trengganu (SPMT), four the Datuk Setia Sultan Mahmud Trengganu (DSMT) and 12 others will receive the Datuk Paduka Mahkota Trengganu (DPMT).

The SPMT recipients are the younger brother of the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, Tengku Abdullah ibni Al-Marhum Sultan Abu Bakar, Saudi Arabian Ambassador Syed Muhamad Al Hamed Al Shubaili and Datuk Engku Muhsin Engku Abdul Kadir.

The State Secretary, Haji Khalid Nong, the Sultan's uncle Tengku Seri Setia Raja, Jen. Tan Sri Zain Mahmud and a specialist at the General

Hospital here Dr Kuljit Singh will be conferred the DSMT.

Among the DPMT recipients are three former State Assemblymen who did not contest in the recent election, Haji Mohamad Adib Omar (Merchang), Haji Abdul Rashid Mohamad (Jeram) and Encik Abdullah Jusoh (Bukit Kenak).

The Sultan will also confer the DPMT award on the State Economic Development Corporation general manager Encik Aziz Ibrahim, Municipal Council deputy president Haji Wan Mohamad Noor Endut, State Mufti Wan Abdul Manan bin Haji Wan Yaakub and the Sultan's private secretary Haji Mohamad Azahar bin Haji Osman.

The investiture ceremony will be held at Istana Maziah tomorrow.