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SPM RESULTS OUT TOMORROW

KUALA LUMPUR, March 6 (Bernama) -- All government and government-aided schools will release the 1995 Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) results tomorrow, Education Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak said today.

Candidates could get the results from their respective schools from 11am, he told reporters at his office here.

State Education Departments are to announce the results after Najib has released an analysis of the results.

He is scheduled to give the analysis at Sekolah Menengah Seri Puteri here at 9am.

As usual, private school and private candidates will get their results by post.

On the proposed Asia-Europe university programme, Najib said the Cabinet today directed the ministry to take the initiative to implement the proposal.

The proposal, mooted by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad at the Asia-Europe meeting in Bangkok last week, includes the setting up of European university branches in Asia.

"The Education Ministry is studying the matter," he said.

Najib said the European heads of government at the meeting were keen to see students from their continent study in Asia.

He said the cooperation could cover all fields of study.

On newspaper reports of teachers being involved in direct-selling in schools, Najib said he had directed the Schools Education Division to prepare a full report on the matter.

Such activities were not widespread but since the National Union of Teaching Profession had lodged an official complaint, the ministry would investigate, he said.

"In principle, these activities are banned in schools since they are for personal gains," he said. -- Bernama

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