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TENAGA NASIONAL HOSTS INTERNATIONAL POWER SUPPLY CONFERENCE

KUALA LUMPUR, Oct 8 (Bernama) -- Some 2,000 delegates from throughout the world are expected to attend the 11th Conference of Electricity Power Supply Industry (CEPSI) at Putra World Trade Centre here from Oct 21 to 25.

A total of 400 business papers covering 27 topics including environment-friendly technology, strategic planning and diversification, power system control, information technology and distribution automation would be tabled at the five-day conference themed "Electricity the Intelligent Choice for the Environment".

TNB executive chairman Datuk Dr Ahmad Tajuddin Ali said Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad will deliver a keynote address on "Privatisation and Deregulation of Electricity Supply Industry - Future Direction and Options to meet Malaysia's Vision 2020".

Other speakers are Indonesian Minister of Research and Technology Dr B.J. Habibie, German electric-utility directors Prof Hlubeck and William E. Davis, he said.

Cepsi is a biennial conference organised by the Electricity Supply Industry of East Asia and Western Pacific for the benefit of its 16-member countries and other major players in the power supply industry in the region. -- BERNAMA

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