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CUEPACS HOPES NEW SALARY STRUCTURE BE IMPLEMENTED THIS YEAR

KOTA KINABALU, July 6 (Bernama) -- Cuepacs today hoped that the new salary structure for government employees could be implemented this year, its president Mohamad Mat Jid said today.

For this, he said the comparative study on salaries in the public and private sectors, carried out by the Public Services Department (PSD), should be completed as soon as possible.

He said Cuepacs was waiting for the outcome of the study before meeting Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad to discuss the new salary structure.

"We hope to resolve this within this year," he told reporters after meeting government employees here.

Dr Mahathir had on May 16 announced the study, the result of which would be the basis for formulating new salary structure for government employees in future.

Mohamad said Cuepacs had also submitted its proposal to the government for a two-month bonus for government employees this year.

"The decision is up to the government but we believe that with the present favourable economy and greater commitment shown by government employees, the government will consider the proposal," he said.

On complaints of employees of not being properly graded in their performance assessment, Mohamad said they should write to Cuepacs.

"We will forward the matter to the PSD. So far, none has done so. What we hear is just talk," he said.

He said such dissatisfaction was common in the education and health ministries because of the large number of employees. -- BERNAMA

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