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KUANTAN'S TENGKU AMPUAN AFZAN HOSPITAL WINS PRIME MINISTER'S AWARD

KUALA LUMPUR, Dec 18 (Bernama) -- Kuantan's Tengku Ampuan Afzan Hospital, Kuala Lumpur's Shangri-La Hotel and a youth association in a Felda scheme in Raub have won the Prime Minister's Quality Award for excellent management.

The hospital won the award under the public sector category, the hotel under the private sector and youth body in the socio economic sector.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad presented the award introduced in 1990, at the Putra World Trade Centre (PWTC) here. Each of the recipients received RM30,000, a trophy and a certificate.

The Prime Minister said their excellence should serve as an example to others for they had achieved success after going through lots of trials.

"From this experience, we not only learn from their strength but also from the mistakes that have been made," he said.

"This is true in all fields and relevant to all forms of organisations and also to any country," he said.

He said Japan for instance attained world economic heights because it relentlessly strove to improve its excellence based on the kaizen principle.

He said Japan's success provided many lessons and one of them was that one should learn from those who were successful. -- BERNAMA

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