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MAHATHIR ADDRESSES SEMERAK RALLY TOMORROW

PASIR PUTEH, Aug 28 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad is scheduled to address about some 20,000 people at a rally at Sekolah Menengah Cherang Ruku, Semerak here tomorrow.

There Dr Mahathir will also receive a declaration adopted by the Kelantan Umno convention held in Kota Baharu today, said an Information Department statement on the prime minister's itinerary.

Dr Mahathir will be accompanied by his wife Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali.

Among those also scheduled to speak at the rally is the newly-elected Semerak Assemblyman Kamaruddin Mohd Noor.

In a three-cornered fight in last Aug 11 by-election, Kamaruddin beat PAS' Wan Mohd Fauzi Wan Hussain and Angkatan Keadilan Insan Malaysia's (AKIM) candidate Mohd Din Nizam Din.-- BERNAMA

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