

18 SEP 1998

Games-Shooting

DR MAHATHIR CONGRATULATES ZAINAL ABIDIN FOR SILVER MEDAL WIN

LANGKAWI, Sept 18 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad today congratulated shooter Zainal Abidin Md Zain for winning the silver medal in the Full Bore Rifle individual event at the 16th Commonwealth Games here today,

Zainal Abidin scored 400 points, just two points from the gold medal winner, James Paton of Canada.

Dr Mahathir, accompanied by his wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali, also posed for a photo session with Zainal Abidin after Youth and Sports Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yasin had presented the medals to the winners.

-- BERNAMA

ZI/JM SHY