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MAHATHIR TO ADDRESS GAMES VOLUNTEERS

BANGI, March 15 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad will address Commonwealth Games volunteers at a gathering at the football stadium in Cheras here on April 26.

Tengku Madziah Mokhtar, communications director for Games organisers Sukom Ninety Eight Bhd, said today that some 20,000 volunteers were expected to attend the gathering.

"It is expected that all volunteers from throughout the country will be present to hear the Prime Minister's message," she told reporters after presenting certificates to 200 volunteers who attended a two-day training at Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia here.

Tengku Madziah said since March 15 last year Sukom had trained 15,000 volunteers for the 16th Commonwealth Games from September 11 to 21. --

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