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DR MAHATHIR ATTENDS RAIS' DAUGHTER'S WEDDING

KUALA LUMPUR, June 30 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad tonight attended the wedding reception of the daughter of the Minister in the Prime Minister's Department, Datuk Dr Rais Yatim, here.

The ceremony, which was held at the Kuala Lumpur Hilton, was also attended by the prime minister's wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali.

Dr Mahathir and Dr Siti Hasmah sprinkled the "air mawar" to bless the newlyweds Malini Rais, 23 and Dr Raja Badrul Hisham Raja Zazman Shah, 32.

Other dignitaries who were also present were the Yang Dipertuan Besar Negeri Sembilan Tuanku Jaa'far and Tuanku Ampuan Tuanku Najihah, Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi and wife Datin Seri Hendon Mahmood and cabinet ministers and members of the Negeri Sembilan royal family.

Malini, an administration executive with a legal firm here, is the eldest of Rais' four children.

Dr Raja Badrul Hisham is a surgeon with the Hospital Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (HUKM), Cheras.

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