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PUTRAJAYA, Sept 14 (Bernama) -- The GLOBAL2000-Langkawi International Dialogue (LID) hopes to instill Smart Partnership ethos in addressing global and economic issues, the Science Advisor to the Prime Minister, Tan Sri Dr Omar Abdul Rahman said today.

The dialogue will be held from Nov 19 to 22 at the Berjaya Langkawi Beach & Spa Resort in Langkawi and about 350 participants are expected to attend.

Discussions for this year's dialogue, which is also the fifth LID, will focus on the theme, "Global Trends and Emerging Economies".

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad is the host patron and advisor for GLOBAL2000-LID.

GLOBAL2000-LID is the second leg of GLOBAL2000 series of international Smart Partnership Dialogue, Dr Omar told a media conference and sponsors' cheque presentation ceremony here today.

The first leg, GLOBAL2000-SAID, which was held in Maputo, Mozambique last month, saw several issues which needed to be further discussed in Langkawi in November, he said.

Dr Omar, who is also the Joint-Dialogue Convenor of GLOBAL2000-LID, also announced that GLOBAL2000-LID would again be jointly organised by the Malaysian Industry-Government Group for High Technology (MIGHT) and Commonwealth Partnership for Technology Management (CPTM). -- BERNAMA

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