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DR M: GOVT TO HONOUR PROMISES MADE TO ARMED FORCES

SIK, Jan 26 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad said today the government would fulfil its promises to provide better facilities for members of the armed forces.

Among the facilities are better living quarters for soldiers and officers as well as their welfare needs, he said.

"Several improved facilities were announced to the armed forces but some of the things promised have not been implemented.

"I don't know how the delay could happen. We do not want the servicemen to think that the government did not honour its promises," he told a media conference after attending an Aidilfitri gathering at the Gubir Camp here.

Dr Mahathir said the Defence Ministry had been asked to seriously look into the matters that have not been delivered.

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