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PUTERI UMNO IS CONFIDENT OF BEING ACCEPTED

KUALA LUMPUR, May 10 (Bernama) -- Puteri Umno pro tem head Azalina Othman is confident that more young Muslim women will join the movement in view of the overwhelming response it has received so far.

"I see no problem for Puteri Umno to get many new members in view of the response so far," she said after chairing the second meeting of the Puteri Umno Pro Tem Committee here.

She said four vans (mobile registration office) would be going round the states to recruit new members.

Azalina said registration would be focused in areas with a large concentration of young Malay women such as industries and education centres.

The Puteri Umno Movement would be officially launched by Umno President Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad in August or September, she said.

She said Puteri Umno would help the Election Commission in its voter registration exercise this month.

Azalina said a special Puteri Umno Work Camp would be organised soon to strengthen links between the Central Puteri Umno Pro Tem Committee and state pro tem committees.

"Some 200 women are expected to attend. It will be on for three days and two nights for four days and three nights so that everyone will get to know each other," she said.

She said State Pro Tem heads had been appointed for every state except Johor.

"Johor's present pro tem head Hazlina Jalil will be replaced as she is still serving the state government," she added.

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