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SULTAN OF TERENGGANU PROCLAIMED ACTING YANG DI PERTUAN AGONG

KUALA LUMPUR, Oct 8 (Bernama) -- Sultan Mizan Zainal Abidin of Terengganu was today proclaimed the Acting Yang di-Pertuan Agong at a ceremony at Istana Terengganu here.

The 39-year old Sultan, who is the Timbalan Yang di-Pertuan Agong, signed the proclamation which was witnessed by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad.

Under Article 33 of the Federal Constitution, the Timbalan Yang di-Pertuan Agong will carry out the functions of the Yang di-Pertuan Agong if His Majesty is incapacitated, ill or outside of the Federation of Malaysia.

Also present at the ceremony were Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi, Chief Secretary to the Government Tan Sri Samsudin Osman and Terengganu Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Abdul Hadi Awang.

The Yang di-Pertuan Agong Sultan Salahudin Abdul Aziz Shah is recuperating after a surgery on Saturday at a Singapore hospital.

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