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BROGA RESIDENTS OPPOSE INCINERATOR IN THEIR AREA

KUALA LUMPUR, Dec 29 (Bernama) -- Like their counterparts in Kampung Bohol, the residents of Broga are also against move by the authorities to build a rubbish incinerator in their area.

Over 2,000 residents today held a peaceful demonstration at Taman Tasik Semenyih.

They hoped that the government would consider the interest of the younger generation who would be growing up amidst a polluted environment, chairman of the residents' action group Halil Hussain told reporters.

He said they would send hand a memorandum to Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and Selangor Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Dr Mohd Khir Toyo on the matter.

The project, costing RM1.5 billion, was initially planned for Kampung Bohol, Puchong but resited to Broga following opposition from the residents.

The incinerator could dispose 2,400 tonnes of rubbish per day from the Klang Valley.

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