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Musa-Mahathir

MUSA, DR MAHATHIR TO DISCUSS ISSUES IN SABAH

KOTA KINABALU, Aug 7 (Bernama) -- Chief Minister Datuk Musa Aman and Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad are expected to discuss Sabah's current issues during the latter's one-day working visit here tomorrow.

"We will discuss all that is good for the welfare of Sabah. I will personally brief the Prime Minister," he said without elaborating further.

He said this after opening a seminar on the "Thoughts of Dr Mahathir" by the Special Affairs Department here today.

The meeting is scheduled to be held soon after the arrival of the Prime Minister about 11am.

Sabah is due to hold its 10th State elections as the term of the current State Legislative Assembly ends in eight months, on April 12, next year.

Meanwhile, Musa, in his speech, encouraged youths, in particular, to learn to appreciate the thoughts of Dr Mahathir who brought rapid development to the nation.

Dr Mahathir's leadership, wisdom, affirmation and sharp thinking had contributed much to the international success and status of Malaysians, he said.

"What is important is that we have knowledge as well as more creativity," Musa said.

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