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SCHOOLS, SURAU INCITING HATRED AGAINST LEADERS MONITORED

KEPALA BATAS, Penang, Feb 9 (Bernama) -- The Penang Special Affairs Department (JHEK) is identifying and monitoring schools and surau where political speeches to incite hatred against the government are being given.

Its Director, Shahril Rejab, said the teachers at such schools were not focusing on imparting religious education instead were inciting the children to hate the government and its leaders.

He said officers from the department were identifying the schools and surau and monitoring the activities of the teachers and a full report would be submitted to the government soon.

He was speaking to reporters after attending a briefing on the Peoples Religious School (SAR) here.

He said that on Feb 16 morning, JHEK would organise a seminar on "Dr Mahathir's Thoughts" for university students, nurses and members of youth organisations at the Kompleks Masyarakat Penyayang in Georgetown.

At night, JHEK would hold a forum on Islam at Dataran Taman Perda, Bukit Mertajam.

On Feb 28 Feb JHEK will have a smart partnership programme with Puteri Unmo at Resort Golf Harvard, in Sungai Petani, Kedah.

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