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SABAH AGRICULTURE PARK CAN ATTRACT TOURISTS

TENOM, Jan 12 (Bernama) -- The Sabah Agriculture Park requires wide exposure, including promotions abroad, to showcase the place as a tourist destination.

"I'm convinced that through aggressive promotion, the Park's rich natural habitat, wide range of tropical plants, flora and fauna, can become a major tourist attraction," Sabah's Minister for Agriculture and Food Industry, Datuk Abdul Rahim Ismail, said after visiting the Park.

He added that the Park, situated about 96kms from Kota Kinabalu, could also become an institution to nature lovers.

An additional feature of the 200-hectare Park, opened by former Prime Minister Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad on Mac 20, 2000, is the presence of about 400 species of orchids.

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