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PM pledges to become an organ donor

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KUALA LUMPUR: Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak has pledged to become an organ donor to save lives.

In his Facebook post yesterday, he said he had pledged to become an organ donor in conjunction with Organ Donation Awareness Week.

"I hope more people will join in. I have pledged, when will you?" he asked.

An image of the organ donor pledge card, *Saya sudah berikrar*, was uploaded with his posting.

In conjunction with Grandparents Day today, Najib extended his best wishes to all grandparents. He said

blessings from grandparents would be passed down for generations.

"Happy Grandparents Day to all who have been blessed with grandchildren. You are the source of blessing that is being passed down each generation," he said on Twitter.

The government has endorsed the first Sunday of October as Grandparents Day and Malaysians will celebrate this special day today.

On Friday, Women, Family and Community Development Minister Datuk Seri Rohani Abdul Karim said this would be the first time that Malaysia is celebrating a day meant for grandparents.