

**Cuepacs-MTUC To Put Forward Four Demands To PM**  
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KUALA LUMPUR, May 17 (Bernama) -- Cuepacs and the Malaysian Trade Union Congress (MTUC) will put forward four demands to Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak, aimed at ensuring the welfare of staff at seven government agencies, when they retire.

The four demands - to include them under the Pension Scheme, give Housing Allowance just like civil servants, gratuity and increase employers share of contribution to the Employees Provident Fund (EPF) - will be submitted to Najib soon.

Cuepacs President Datuk Omar Osman said the agencies involved are Pertubuhan Keselamatan Sosial (Perkeso), Employees Provident Fund (KWSP), Inland Revenue Board (LHDN), Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN), Lembaga Tabung Haji (TH), Lembaga Tabung Angkatan Tentera (LTAT) and Perbadanan Hal Ehwal Bekas Angkatan Tentera (Perhebat).

"The seven agencies were under the purview of the civil service but after 1992, they were given autonomy.

"However, we urge the government to review the welfare of the staff so that they will not suffer when they retire," he told reporters after attending a Labour Day celebration involving the seven agencies at the Perkeso headquarters here Thursday.

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