

Aged Voter Looks Forward To General Election
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DUNGUN, Sept 5 (Bernama) -- Halimah Muda may be 104 but she is looking forward to voting in the next general election.

"If my health permits, I will definitely go to the polls," said the mother of 12 children who has more than 30 grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Halimah, of Kampung Paya Balai Besar here, has voted in all the elections since the country achieved independence 55 years ago.

"All that I ask is for someone to take me to the polling station. I am old and cannot walk much. However, I will not miss the opportunity to fulfil my responsibility as a Malaysian citizen," she told Bernama at the home of second daughter Wan Rokiah Wan Nik, 62, where she lives.

Terengganu Umno strategic director Datuk Rosli Mat Hassan said records showed that Halimah was the oldest voter and the only one aged above 100 in Dungun, and could probably be the oldest living voter in the country.

She is registered as a voter in the Rantau Abang state constituency and Dungun parliamentary constituency.

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