

OIC Secretary-General Offers Condolences To Iran Quake Victims
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KUALA LUMPUR, Aug 13 (Bernama) -- The Secretary-General of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC), Ekmeleddin Ihsanoglu has expressed his condolences for the death of 250 persons during twin earthquakes that shook the cities of Tabriz and Varzaghan in Iran on the weekend.

He said that the large number of casualties from the quake have saddened him immensely.

"I offer my deepest sympathies and prayers for our Muslim brothers and sisters in Iran affected by this natural calamity," Ihsanoglu said in a statement.

"OIC is ready to be of any help to the Iranian people," he added.

He also praised the Iranian authorities for their quick response in the aftermath of the severe earthquakes.

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