

## **Najib Conveys Condolences To Family Of Tan Sri Aishah Ghani**

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KUALA LUMPUR, April 19 (Bernama) -- Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak has conveyed his condolences to the family of UMNO veteran Tan Sri Aishah Ghani who died Friday afternoon.

In his Twitter, the prime minister said the deeds of the late UMNO leader would always be remembered.

"Gave my condolences to the family of the late Tan Sri Aishah Ghani, a short while ago," said Najib.

Aishah, 90, passed away at 12.50pm at the Gleneagles Hospital in Kuala Lumpur after admission since last Friday, for frail health.

She was the first Malaysian woman to be appointed senator, and the second woman to be appointed minister after the country achieved independence.

In a statement, Najib described the demise of Aishah as a great loss to the nation.

He said the late Umno leader was highly regarded especially in championing issues on the people's welfare from all strata and groups.

In expressing his condolence to the family of the national figure, Najib said he deeply appreciated the contributions and deeds of the late leader to the nation and UMNO.

"For UMNO members, she should be made a model of true loyalty to the party for she sacrificed her entire life to the struggle of UMNO," he said.

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