

PM Press Sec's Admin Assistant Dies Of Uterine Cancer
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PUTRAJAYA, May 16 (Bernama)-- Sumiyah Sumadi, who is the administrative assistant to the Prime Minister's Press Secretary, Datuk Tengku Sariffuddin Tengku Ahmad, died at the Kuala Lumpur Hospital today of complications from uterine cancer.

She was 56.

Sumiyah had been battling the cancer for about a year.

Sumiyah, who was single, had served with Tengku Sariffuddin, who is also the director of the Media Division in the Prime Minister's Office, since they were in the Ministry of Education in 1997.

She began serving as administrative assistant to Tengku Sariffuddin since he was at the Deputy Prime Minister's office in 2004, until now.

Tengku Sariffuddin described Sumiyah as a very dedicated, trustworthy and responsible employee.

"She was very dedicated to her work. As long I was still in the office, she would not return home. Her work hours were long," he said.

Her remains were taken to her family's home at No 89, Jalan Datuk Abdullah Yassin, Kampung Baru, Kuala Lumpur.

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