

# BAHÁ'Í COMMUNITY OF SARAWAK

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## **Dato' Paduka Abdul Kadir bin Haji Sheikh Fadzir**

Menteri Penerangan Malaysia  
Tingkat 8, Angkasapuri  
Bukit Putra,  
60610 Kuala Lumpur.

Dear Dato' Paduka

Your decision to invite all religious communities to offer prayers on selected days to thank the Almighty for His blessings on our nation and peoples was truly inspired.

It has created an awareness of 'oneness' among all religious groups from all races. All communities are aware that the government now recognises that all races and religions have something to offer for harmony and understanding among all segments of our society.

The Bahá'ís throughout Sarawak, in the cities and rural communities, had gathered in their Bahá'í centres and offered prayers. There are more than 30,000 Bahá'ís in Sarawak from all backgrounds, except the Malays. They live in hundreds of localities scattered through this State. They embrace the Iban, Bidayuh, Melanau races and also Indians, Chinese and even Penans.

We are happy to share this news with you and also photographs of the prayer gathering from the Bahá'í Centre in Kuching.

We paid a courtesy call to the Mayor of Kuching, YB Chan Seng Khai who was very positive about this initiative. He offered to help in any way he could.

With prayers for your continuing services to our country and its peoples,

Yours sincerely,

