

Cuepacs seeks bonus of two months ✓

KUALA LUMPUR: Cuepacs is urging the government to consider paying a two-month bonus for civil servants this year. Its president Datuk Omar Osman said having received the RM500 special payouts in the past two years, civil servants deserved a proper bonus this year. Omar said Cuepacs' call was timely considering the country's improving economy and rising consumer prices. "The bonus can be made in two payments — one month's salary a month before Hari Raya Aidilfitri to help civil servants prepare for the festival and another month's salary a month after the festival, to cover preparations for their children's new school year."