## **NEW RECTOR FOR KUTKM**

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KUALA LUMPUR, July 7 (Bernama) -- Kolej Universiti Teknikal Kebangsaan Malaysia (KUTKM) has appointed Datuk Prof Ismail Hassan as its new Rector for a period of three years from June 16.

The appointment was made by Higher Education Minister Datuk Dr Shafie Mohd Salleh, KUTKM said in a statement.

Ismail, 56, was born in Bruas, Perak, and attended Sekolah Tuanku Abdul Rahman, Ipoh and the Royal Military College Sungai Besi, Kuala Lumpur.

He graduated with a degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Tasmania, Australia and did his Masters at Imperial College, London University.

He began his career as lecturer at Universiti Teknologi Malaysia in 1973, and was Dean of the Electrical Engineering Faculty.

He was appointed KUTKM deputy Rector (Academic) on January 1 2001. He is a member of the Board of Engineers Malaysia and Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, U.S.A.

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