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**Yasmin Ahmad and the New Wave of Malaysian Cinema:
In Commemoration of Japan-Malaysia Friendship Year 2007**

The Japan Foundation, which co-hosted the "Film Malaysia: Truly Asia" program in the Winds of Asia category at the 19th Tokyo International Film Festival in 2006, will rescreen nine films that were shown during the festival to introduce the exciting works of a new generation of Malaysia cinema artists to a broader audience in Japan.

The screening will include all four films by Yasmin Ahmad, including *Sepet*, which won the Best Asian Film Award at TIFF in 2005; as well as *Love Conquers All* by woman director Tan Chui Mui, who captured the Grand Prix at the Pusan and Rotterdam film festivals; *Sanctuary* by Ho Yuhang Asian, a highly talented up-and-coming director; and other New Wave works, including works being shown in Japan for the first time.

Dates: Tuesday, July 31 to Saturday, August 4

Place: Athénée Français Cultural Center

Films: *Rabun*, *Sepet*, *Gubura*, *Mukhsin*, *Sanctuary*, *Goodbye Boys*, *The Bird House*, *Love Conquers All*, *Before We Fall in Love Again* (all films with Japanese and English subtitles)

Sponsored by: The Japan Foundation and Athénée Français
(3 min. walk from JR Suidobashi or Ochanomizu Station)

Admission: 800 yen per film at the door; 2,100 yen for three-film coupon
(discounts available for JFSC and Athénée Français members and for those over 65)

- Schedule available at the Japan Foundation and Athénée Français websites.
- All seats general admission; theater will be cleared after each showing.

Contact:

Japan Foundation (Film, TV and Publication Div.)

Tel: (03) 5562-3535 (weekdays 10:00 to 17:00)

URL: http://www.jpf.go.jp/j/culture_j/topics/movie/jfsls7.html

Athénée Français Cultural Center

Tel: (03) 3291-4339 (13:00 to 20:00, closed on Sundays and holidays)

URL: <http://www.athenee.net/culturalcenter/>