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BUKIT MERTAJAM, OCT. 4 / BERNAMA / UMNO SUPREME COUNCIL MEMBER, DR. MAHATHIR BIN MOHAMED, HAS SAID THAT THE QUESTION OF LACK OF CAPITAL AMONG MALAYS TO ENTER BUSINESS NO LONGER AROSE AS THE GOVERNMENT HAD PROVIDED VARIOUS FACILITIES TO HELP THEM.

AGENCIES LIKE MARA, PEPNAS AND UDA WERE SET UP TO HELP MALAYS CARRY OUT BUSINESS NOT ONLY IN THE RURAL AREAS BUT ALSO IN THE URBAN CENTRES, HE SAID

HE WAS SPEAKING AT A DIALOGUE ORGANISED BY THE PROVINCE WELLESLEY SOUTH UMNO DIVISION AT TASEK, 10 MILES FROM HERE, LAST NIGHT.

DR. MAHATHIR SAID THE MALAYS SHOULD MAKE FULL USE OF THE FACILITIES GIVEN THEM TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

HE ADDED THAT THE NUMBER OF MALAYS IN THE BUSINESS FIELD HAD INCREASED SINCE THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES BY THE GOVERNMENT

THIS WAS A GOOD SIGN AND MORE OF THEM SHOULD ENTER THE FIELD, HE SAID. --BERNAMA 1623/MM.