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KUALA LUMPUR, OCT. 7 (BERNAMA) -- THE INFORMATION MACHINERY OF UMNO MALAYSIA WILL BE REVIEWED FROM THE ASPECT OF STRATEGY, THE ACTING PRIME MINISTER, DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR MOHAMAD, SAID TODAY.

FURTHERMORE, A NEW APPROACH WOULD BE INTRODUCED IN LINE WITH THE POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS OF THE COUNTRY, HE ADDED.

DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR WAS SPEAKING TO REPORTERS AFTER CHAIRING A MEETING OF 35 UMNO INFORMATION OFFICERS AT THE PARTY HEADQUARTERS HERE.

THE ACTING PRIME MINISTER ALSO SAID THAT THE ELECTIONS MACHINERY SHOULD BE GEARED NOT ONLY TO FACE THE GENERAL ELECTION BUT ALSO TO EXPLAIN GOVERNMENT POLICIES TO THE PEOPLE.

UMNO WAS ALWAYS PREPARED TO FACE THE GENERAL ELECTION, HE SAID, HE DID NOT ELABORATE. -- BERNAMA MORE 1930/SZ

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DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR SAID THAT THE SYSTEM OF DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION RELATED TO UMNO POLICIES SHOULD BE MADE SUITABLE FOR THE YOUNG GENERATION IN LINE WITH THE POLITICAL TREND OF THE TIMES.

THE SECRETARIAT WOULD PROVIDE INFORMATION MATERIALS AND ROUGH GUIDELINES THAT WERE SUITABLE AND COULD BE ACCEPTED BY THE YOUNG GENERATION.

SO FAR, THERE HAD BEEN NO PLANS YET TO HOLD A MEETING OF INFORMATION OFFICERS OF COMPONENT PARTIES IN THE PARTISAN NASIONAL HE SAID.

MEETINGS OF UMNO INFORMATION OFFICERS IN THE STATES WOULD BE HELD SOON TO CO-ORDINATE FURTHER THEIR ACTIVITIES, HE ADDED.

DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR SAID THE INFORMATION MACHINERY IN THE STATES SHOULD ALSO BE STREAMLINED

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