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ALOR STAR, NOV. 26 (BERNAMA) <sup>P</sup>DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR MOHAMAD TODAY REMINDED THE PEOPLE THAT THE BENEFITS THEY ARE ENJOYING ARE THE RESULT OF THE STRUGGLE OF THE MALAYS IN UMNO.

+WE WILL CONTINUE WITH THIS STRUGGLE UNTIL ALL THE PEOPLE CAN LIVE IN HAPPINESS,+ HE ADDED WHEN OPENING THE ULU MUDA UMNO DIVISION AT PENDANG, ABOUT 35 KM FROM HERE.

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THE UMNO STRUGGLE HAD ACHIEVED MANY SUCCESSES, ONE OF WHICH WAS THE SUCCESS IN BLOCKING THE COLONIALISTS' ATTEMPT TO SET UP THE MALAYAN UNION.

+ARMED ONLY WITH THE SPIRIT OF UNITY, WE WERE ABLE TO DEFEAT A BIG POWER LIKE THE BRITISH WHO WANTED TO RELEGATE THE MALAY RULERS TO THE POSITION OF ONLY KATHIS,+ HE SAID.

HE SAID MANY MALAYSIANS WERE STILL IGNORANT OF THE HISTORY AND STRUGGLE OF UMNO AND SHOULD BE INFORMED OF THE FACTS. -- MORE 1841/MK

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+THIS DOES NOT MEAN WE WANT TO BOAST ABOUT OUR SUCCESS BUT IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE PEOPLE LEARN FROM HISTROY,+ HE SAID.

DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR, WHO IS THE UMNO PRESIDENT, SAID INDIVIDUALS WITH SELF-SERVING CAUSES HAD NO PLACE IN THE PARTY WHICH WAS A PARTY FOR THE PEOPLE.

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THE PRIME MINISTER STRESSED ON THE NEED TO STRENGTHEN UNITY IN UMNO TO AVERT THE POSSIBILITY OF THE COUNTRY BEING COLONIZED AGAIN.

THE NEXT FORM OF COLONIZATION MIGHT BE THROUGH ECONOMIC MEANS UNLIKE THE JAPANESE, ENGLISH, PORTUGUESE, DUTCH AND SIAMESE DOMINATION IN THE COUNTRY'S PAST. -- MORE 1901/MK

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HE CALLED ON MORE YOUNG PEOPLE TO JOIN UMNO BECAUSE THE EXISTING LEADERS AND MEMBERS +ARE GROWING IN AGE.+

THOSE WITH THE CAPABILITIES COULD TAKE OVER THE LEADERSHIP BUT THE PROCESS MUST NOT INVOLVE A POWER STRUGGLE WITH THE DOWNFALL OF A GROUP CAUSED BY ANOTHER GROUP.

HE SAID UMNO SERVED WITH SINCERITY AND BELIEVED THAT THE DEMOCRATIC SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT WITH A CONSTITUTIONAL MONARCHY WAS MOST SUITABLE FOR MALAYSIA.

HE SAID THAT DUE TO ITS POSITION AS THE BACKBONE OF THE GOVERNMENT, UMNO DETERMINED THE LEADERS TO ADMINISTER THE COUNTRY.

+WE HAVE THE POWER OF THE VOTE AND IF WE CHOOSE THE WRONG PERSON, WE WILL SUFFER,+ HE ADDED.

DATUK SERI DR. MAHATHIR TOLD MALAYS NEVER TO BE ARROGANT JUST BECAUSE +THE GOVERNMENT IS OUR RIGHT.+ -- MORE 1904/MK

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AT THE SAME TIME, HOWEVER, THEY SHOULD NOT FALL INTO COMPLACENCY AND FAIL TO REINFORCE THEIR POSITION FURTHER.

HE WARNED MALAYS THAT DISUNITY AMONG THEM WOULD LEAD TO THE LOSS OF THE MALAY POWER.

HE SAID HE DID NOT WANT DISUNITY TO CONTINUE BECAUSE MALAYS ALREADY HAD FOUR PARTIES REPRESENTING THEM.

THE PARTIES WERE UMNO, PAS, BERJASA AND HAMIN. -- BERNAMA 1906/MK