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Sun. — The opposition front set up by Pas and three other parties has no chance of winning the general election, Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad said today.

"There is no way they can win the elections. They are only kidding themselves. Soon you will see them back-stabbing one another," he said when asked to comment on the chances of the People's Justice Movement (HAK) in the elections.

"The People's Justice Movement is nothing more than a stunt by Pas and the other parties to win votes.

"They are not like us in the Barisan Nasional at all. We have been co-operating with one another for a long time," he said.

Challenge

His remark when asked to comment on the formation of the People's Justice Movement was: "Good. It means they have seen the need to co-operate with non-Muslims, too."

Dr Mahathir, who is also Umno president and Barisan chairman, challenged Pas leaders to go on stage in Kelantan and speak to the people about its pact with non-Muslims in the opposition front and the Islamic State envisaged by Pas.

"I am sure they dare not do so because all the while they have been telling them a different story."