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MELAKA, DEC 10 (BERNAMA) -- PRIME MINISTER DATUK BERI DR. MAHATHIR MOHAMAD HAS SAID THE SUCCESS OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (KEMAS) HEAVILY DEPENDS ON THE INVOLVEMENT, PARTICIPATION AND SUPPORT OF EVERY LEVEL OF SOCIETY.

TOWARDS THIS END, THE PREMIER HOPES THAT THE PEOPLE WILL ADOPT A POSITIVE ATTITUDE SO THAT THE VARIOUS GOVERNMENT PROGRAMMES TO UPLIFT THEIR STANDARD OF LIVING WILL BE SUCCESSFUL.

HE SAYS THIS IN HIS MESSAGE PUBLISHED IN THE SOUVENIR PROGRAMME ISSUED TO MARK THE KEMAS' SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS CENTERED IN AIR KEROH, MELAKA.

DATUK BERI DR MAHATHIR SAYS THAT KEMAS AS AN AGENCY FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT THROUGH INFORMAL EDUCATION HAS CONTRIBUTED MUCH TO NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT EFFORTS.

ITS EFFORTS INCLUDE HOLDING ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES TO ERADICATE ILLITERACY, BRING ABOUT A CHANGE OF ATTITUDE, INSTILLING A SENSE OF AWARENESS AND RESPONSIBILITY AND RAISING THE PEOPLE'S STANDARD OF LIVING. -- MORE

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THE DEPUTY PREMIER IN HIS MESSAGE SAYS KEMAS SHOULD HELP INSTILL POSITIVE VALUES AND WORK ETHICS AMONG RURAL SOCIETY.

ENCIK SHAHAR, WHO IS ALSO NATIONAL AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT MINISTER, SAYS THIS WILL HELP DEVELOP A RURAL COMMUNITY WHICH WILL BE PREPARED TO ACCEPT FUTURE CHALLENGES ARISING FROM NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT. -- BERNAMA

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