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ANOTHER FOUR KEDAH ASSEMBLYMEN MEET PM

KUALA LUMPUR, May 9 (Bernama) -- Another four Kedah assemblymen, including Speaker Datuk Zainol Md Isa, met the Prime Minister today and pledged full support for whoever he decides to appoint as the new Menteri Besar to replace Tan Sri Osman Aroff who has resigned.

Besides Zainol, the member for Kupang, the others were Deputy Speaker Ghazali Ibrahim (Pedu), Hajah Barishah Saad (Tunjang) and Hajah Fatimah Ismail (Sungai Tiang). They met Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad individually.

Zainol told reporters later that the appointment of the Menteri Besar was the prerogative of the Prime Minister and he would leave the decision to him.

Barishah also said it should be left to Dr Mahathir's wisdom to appoint the next Menteri Besar.

So far, 15 Kedah assemblymen and 11 Members of Parliament have met the Prime Minister to pledge their support for whatever decision he made in the matter. -- BERNAMA

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