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BN ELECTION MACHINERY IN TOP GEAR IN PULAI CHONDONG

MACHANG, Jan 2 (Bernama) -- The Barisan Nasional (BN) election machinery is in top gear for the Pulai Chondong state by-election where polling will be held on Monday, Kelantan Umno Information chief Datuk Ibrahim Ali said today.

He said BN staff were working hard to ensure the people voted in the BN candidate, Yusoff Hamzah.

"We are confident the people of Pulai Chondong will vote for the BN candidate as a gift to Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad to lead the country to even greater heights," he said after meeting Machang District Information Department staff here.

He was commenting on the Umno President's directive yesterday that all BN parties cooperate to help in the by-election as not many in the coalition were involved in the campaign.

The by-election follows the death of Kapten (Rtd) Mohd Nor Ahmad on Dec 4. Yusoff Hamzah is involved in a straight fight with PAS candidate, Zulkefli Mamat.

Political Secretary to the Prime Minister, Datuk Aziz Shamsuddin, said the BN campaign had been intensified in Pulai Chondong since Christmas Day.

Aziz hoped the people in the constituency would make the right choice in the by-election.

He advised the BN machinery not to resort to hurting others as this would be self-defeating. -- BERNAMA

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