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Senators Club pledges support for Dr M

KUALA LUMPUR, Fri. - The Malaysian Senators Club today expressed its full confidence in the leadership of Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and pledged continued support for him.

Its deputy president, Datuk Mohd Zuki Kamaluddin, said all senators had full confidence that Dr Mahathir's strategy in overcoming the present economic situation would be successful.

The club is also confident that any steps taken by the Government to ensure the recovery of the economy and the continued appreciation of the ringgit will be successful.

On Wednesday, the Backbenchers Club also expressed full confidence in Dr Mahathir's leadership and added that it would continue to give him undivided support in overcoming the present economic situation.

Yesterday, Dr Mahathir called for strategic thinking and discipline among Malaysians and asked the people to give the Government's economic strategy a chance to succeed.

Mohd Zuki said that all senators would stand firmly by Dr Mahathir in his efforts to overcome the current economic situation and added that they would fully co-operate with the Prime Minister.

He said the club would send a letter to Dr Mahathir pledging its full support for his leadership.

Also present were the club's secretary-general, Rosli Mat Hassan, and several senators including committee member Faridah Abu Hassan.

Meanwhile, the Malaysian Medical Association today pledged its support for the leadership of Dr Mahathir.

Its president, Dr Milton Lum, said the association was confident that the close working relationship between Dr Mahathir and his deputy, Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim, would enable the country to overcome its economic problems.

He said Dr Mahathir's excellent track record bore testimony that the current economic problem would soon be overcome.

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