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(World class challenge ... Prime ...)

WORLD CLASS CHALLENGE ... Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and Business Focus Group's executive chairman Datuk Amin Shah Omar Shah after taking a look at the Platu 25 boat, which will be used by competitors in the Malaysia Challenge world sailing event to be held in Langkawi in December.

The event, which was launched by Dr Mahathir yesterday at a hotel in Kuala Lumpur, will coincide with the Langkawi International Maritime and Aerospace (Lima) exhibition in Langkawi on Dec 2-7.

Ten of the sport's top skippers will compete by invitation for the US\$100,000 (RM250,000) prize. Malaysia will take part by virtue of being the host country.

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