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Accept changes with wisdom, students urged

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THE Umno Club of the United Kingdom and Eire yesterday urged all Malaysian student associations, in and outside Malaysia, to accept the country's political and economic changes in a rational manner.

In voicing its support for the measures taken by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad to tackle the country's problems, the club has urged university students to face the changes calmly and with wisdom.

"We should not allow our emotions to get the better of us. The present Government was elected by the people and since Independence, our Government has never failed us," the club's chairman Kamarudin Md Shah said.

He said although Malaysia had introduced some drastic currency control measures to tackle the economic problems, the Umno Club in UK and Eire totally supported the Prime Minister's decision.

"The economic problems that Malaysia has been facing since July last year were caused by the interference of foreign speculators. The Prime Minister had voiced his fears from the beginning and he has now been proven right."

Kamarudin urged Malaysians to rally behind the Prime Minister in his efforts to overcome the problems.

He said the Government, under the leadership of Dr Mahathir, had proven its ability to bring prosperity to the people through its sound policies.

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