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Daim sworn in as Minister before King

SWORN IN ... Tun Daim Zainuddin being sworn in as Minister with Special Functions in the Prime Minister's Department before the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, Tuanku Ja'afar at the Istana Negara yesterday.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim were both present.

The Chief Justice of the Federal Court Tun Eusoff Chin, Transport Minister Datuk Seri Dr Ling Liong Sik, Primary Industries Minister Datuk Seri Dr Lim Keng Yaik, Works Minister Datuk Seri S. Samy Vellu and Chief Secretary to the Government Tan Sri Abdul Halim Ali were also present at the ceremony.

Daim, 60, the MP for Merbok, was Finance Minister from 1984 and 1991. He is now the Economic Adviser to the Government and the executive director of the National Economic Advisory Council.

Tan Sri Kasitah Gaddam, 53, who was made a Senator on Thursday, was sworn in as Land and Co-operative Development Minister during the same ceremony.

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