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Council ratifies Azhar's world sailing record

DATUK Azhar Mansor's world record in sailing solo round the world, assisted with stop, eastbound has been ratified by the World Speed Sailing Record Council in the United Kingdom.

The news came to Azhar early November when the council accepted and acknowledged his personal log of the voyage.

Azhar told the New Straits Times at the Awana Porto Malai Resort yesterday he had notified Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, who is patron to the Jalur Gemilang Challenge, at the Lima '99 show on Wednesday.

"I took the good news to Dr Mahathir personally when I met him during a dinner function."

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