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DPM receives honorary award from London CIM

PUTRAJAYA, Fri. - Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi today received an honorary fellowship from London's Chartered Institute of Marketing for his contributions to the nation.

The award, received from CIM senior vice-chairman Dr Laurie Wood, was in recognition of his contributions during his tenure as the Foreign Minister.

Wood said the Deputy Prime Minister played a big role in helping to develop relations between Malaysia and other countries.

She said the award had nothing to do with politics.

Abdullah said he was thankful to CIM for the award and hoped that its Malaysian chapter would continue to work closely with the Government to help spur the economy by attracting more foreign investments.

The chapter is headed by National/Panasonic deputy managing director Datuk Dr James Alfred.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad was last year's recipient of the award.

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