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Dr Mahathir postpones trip to Penang

PENANG, Mon. - Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad's proposed two-day working visit to Penang from Thursday (Apr 8) has been postponed.

Chief Minister Tan Sri Dr Koh Tsu Koon said doctors had advised Dr Mahathir to rest and recuperate after undergoing treatment for a lung infection.

"I have spoken with Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi on Dr Mahathir's condition.

"He said our Prime Minister is in good spirits and doctors have advised him against any strenuous activity and the working visit, which will include several meetings with the people and State Barisan Nasional leaders, is one of them."

He was speaking at his office at the Penang Development Corporation headquarters here today.

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