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DR MAHATHIR TO VISIT PULAU PINANG

PULAU PINANG, June 24 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad will visit Pulau Pinang for two days beginning July 1.

He is scheduled to arrive at the Royal Malaysian Air Force (RMAF) base in Butterworth at 8.45am. He will be accompanied by Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali.

Soon on arrival, he is expected to hold a series of meetings with members of the state Umno liaison committee, Umno divisional committees, Umno Youth and Wanita Umno wings and Barisan Nasional (BN) leaders at the Penang Golf Club, Bertam.

Deputy Chief Minister Datuk Mohd Shariff Omar said today that after lunch at the club, the Prime Minister is scheduled to visit industrial projects in Seberang Perai Utara (SPU) district in Pinang Tunggal and Air Melintas Besar.

This will be followed by a people's rally at Sekolah Menengah Guar Perahu, Bukit Mertajam at 4.30pm and another at the Penang International Sports Arena (PISA) at 9pm.

The next day, Dr Mahathir is scheduled to open a new building of Intel Technology Sdn Bhd, "PG 8" at Bayan Lepas Free Trade Zone at 9am before returning to Kuala Lumpur.

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