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MAHATHIR ARRIVES IN KEDAH TO FILE HIS NOMINATION PAPERS TOMORROW

ALOR SETAR, Nov 19 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad was greeted by Kedah Barisan Nasional leaders and supporters on arrival at the Sultan Abdul Halim Airport in Kepala Batas this afternoon.

He was accompanied by his wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali.

Dr Mahathir, who is defending his Kubang Pasu parliamentary seat in the 10th general election on Nov 29, will file his nomination papers at the Kubang Pasu district office tomorrow.

This evening, he is scheduled to speak at a meet-the-people session at the Sekolah Kebangsaan Tunjang field and attend a tahlil at the Al-Aqla Mosque in Jitra.

Tomorrow afternoon, the prime minister begins his campaign in his constituency when he visits the Kubang Pasu parliamentary constituency's BN operations room and meet BN staff at the Jitra Hall in the evening.

On Sunday, Dr Mahathir will launch an education fund for outstanding children of padi farmers, at the Bernas complex in Anak Bukit.

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