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MUHAMMAD TO CONTINUE WORKING FOR PARTY

KLANG, Nov 18 (Bernama) -- Former Selangor Menteri Besar Tan Sri Muhammad Muhamad Taib said he will campaign for the Barisan Nasional (BN) although he was not renominated to contest in the 10th general election.

"I always stand firmly behind the party and Barisan Nasional government, support whoever is chosen and will help in the campaign in Selangor and at the national level," he told Bernama this evening.

Muhammad is among 17 incumbents dropped by the Selangor BN from this general election.

"I accept this decision (of being dropped) with an open heart and will always help them (BN candidates) as they had helped me before," he said.

Muhammad described the BN line-up as a strong team capable of bringing Selangor and the country to greater heights in the new millennium.

He thanked Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad for giving him the opportunity to serve as an assemblyman for four terms since 1982 and as Menteri Besar for two terms.

Muhammad said he would explain to voters the efforts taken by the government to rejuvenate the economy and help to counter the lies and slander spread by the opposition.

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