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DR MAHATHIR AND WIFE ATTENDS "MALAYAN TIGER" THEATRE PLAY

KUALA LUMPUR, Feb 4 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and wife Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali tonight spent about two-and-a-half hours to watch a theatre play entitled "Malayan Tiger, The Struggles of Guerrilla Force 136" staged at the Kuala Lumpur City Hall Auditorium.

The theatre play was based on the struggles of Force 136 led by Mejar Tengku Mahmood Mahyidden who was better known as the Malayan Tiger in recapturing Malaya from the Japanese occupation.

The play was put up by the Cultural Unit of Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM) with the cooperation of Kuala Lumpur City Hall (DBKL) in conjunction with the 30th anniversary of UKM and Federal Territory Day 2000.

Among the actors in the play were UKM Deputy Vice Chancellor Prof Datuk Dr Wan Hashim Wan Teh who played the role of Mejar Tengku Mahmood, Datuk Jins Shamsudin, Jalil Hamid, Raja Azura and students and staff of UKM.

Among those present were UKM Vice Chancellor Prof Datuk Dr Anuwar Ali, Kuala Lumpur Datuk Bandar Tan Sri Kamaruzzaman Shariff and DBKL Director-General Datuk Noordin Abd Razak.

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