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PM commends I-Berhad for k-economy drive

KOTA BARU: Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad commended I-Berhad for its effort to foster interest and awareness on the k-economy amongst the Malaysian public.

In his message for the I-Quest campaign, Mahathir said, "In our pursuit towards developing the k-economy, knowledge has replaced labour and capital as the key factors of production in our economy.

"The challenges for Malaysia is to develop this

knowledge amongst our citizens so that our success will be due to the contributions of Malaysian talents and knowledge workers," Mahathir said.

In his message for the I-Quest campaign, Datuk Law Hieng Ding, Minister of Science, Technology and the Environment said, "Malaysia is moving at great speed to become an information technology (IT) hub, with the rapid progress made in information and communication technology"