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DR MAHATHIR EXTENDS CONDOLENCE TO DATUK KHOR LIANG TEE'S FAMILY

CHANGLOON, Dec 20 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad today extended his condolence to the family of Datuk Khor Liang Tee who died last night.

Khor, 59, the state assemblyman for Indera Kayangan, died at the Gleneagles Intan medical centre in Kuala Lumpur at 11.47pm of colon cancer.

He leaves behind a wife, Datin Tan Chien Lieng, and four children.

Dr Mahathir was speaking to reporters after attending the wedding of Kubang Pasu Umno Division secretary Shamsudin Ahmad's daughter Naritashema, 23, to Syed Rizan Syed Nordin, 24, at the Batu Lapan Felda multi-purpose hall here.

Asked by reporters, the Prime Minister said that a by-election would be held at the constituency.

He said that the MCA would nominate its candidate to contest the seat.

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