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DR MAHATHIR HOLDS CLOSED DOOR MEETING WITH UMNO LEADERS

JEMPOL, March 30 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad is holding a closed door meeting with Jempol and Jelebu Umno leaders in conjunction with his one-day visit to Negeri Sembilan.

He arrived here at 9.40am and was welcomed by Negeri Sembilan Menteri Besar Tan Sri Mohamed Isa Abdul Samad and other Barisan Nasional (BN) leaders.

The meeting with Umno leaders from the Jempol and Jelebu Umno divisions is held at the Dewan Besar, Jempol District Office in Bandar Baru Serting here.

After the meeting, Dr Mahathir who is also Umno president will join Muslims for the Friday prayers at the Masjid Yamtuan Radin, Kuala Pilah.

This will be followed by another closed door meeting at 2.30pm with Umno leaders from the Kuala Pilah and Tampin divisions at the Kuala Pilah District Council Hall.

Tonight, Dr Mahathir will meet heads of government department and staff at a hotel in Seremban before returning to Kuala Lumpur.

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