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PRIME MINISTER VISITS PEKAN RABU

ALOR SETAR, Dec 10 (Bernama) -- Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and his wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali, did their Hari Raya Aidilfitri shopping at Pekan Rabu here today.

The prime minister bought a songkok while Dr Siti Hasmah bought cookies. They also bought traditional cakes.

Dr Mahathir had once traded at Pekan Rabu in his youth.

This is the second time he is visiting the business complex for bumiputeras this fasting month. The first time was on Nov 30.

Present was Kedah Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Syed Razak Syed Zain.

Dr Mahathir, who is also the MP for Kubang Pasu, will break the fast with the people at Masjid Kampung Palas, Changloon, tonight.

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