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Gerakan backs PM's call for new mindset

PENANG, Sat. - Gerakan fully supports Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad's call for a change in the mindset of Malays.

Its president, Datuk Seri Dr Lim Keng Yaik, said although the mind-set of Malays need to be changed, it also applied to all Malaysians.

"We face a tremendous threat, especially to our economy, as the emergence of China as an economic power and a low-cost producer has affected most countries in Southeast Asia. Although they have been competing with each other over the last 20 years for foreign direct investment, it is time they analysed and re-strategise on how to overcome the threat," he said. He was speaking after hosting a "durian party" at the Gerakan headquarters here today. Also present was Chief Minister Tan Sri Dr Koh Tsu Koon, who is vice-president and State party chairman.

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