

Dr M sure Johor BN will keep all seats in general election

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JOHOR BARU: Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad believes that Johor Barisan Nasional will be able to maintain its record of winning all the parliamentary and state seats in the upcoming general election.

The Prime Minister, who is Umno president, said it was not impossible to repeat the record as Johor Umno, being the pillar of the state Barisan, was solidly united.

"I believe a united Johor Umno will help the state Barisan maintain a 100% victory in the coming general election, *Insha Allah* (God-willing)," he said in the Johor Umno Convention souvenir book.

The two-day convention, beginning today, will be officiated by Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi.

Mentri Besar Datuk Abdul Ghani Othman said the convention could probably be the last for Johor Umno before Barisan component parties return to the people for a new mandate.