

MIC Wants Bigger Aid Package In 2012 Budget
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MELAKA -- The MIC will request for a bigger aid package for the Indian community in the 2012 Budget which will be tabled in Parliament on Oct 7.

MIC president G. Palanivel said the package was important to ensure that the Indian community in the country continued to progress and contribute towards national development.

"We are discussing this matter in greater detail," he told reporters after closing the Science Festival For Children at the Melaka State Level at the Melaka Planetarium at Ayer Keroh, here on Sunday.

Palanivel said the MIC would submit the request to Prime Minister Najib Tun Razak after the conclusion of the discussion.

He said it was rather difficult for the MIC to win over the Indian community in the country without a bigger aid package.

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