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PM brings cheer in TBS visit

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VIGILANCE: Najib urges bus drivers to be careful on the road

KUALA LUMPUR

PRIME Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak yesterday went on a walkabout at the Terminal Bersepadu Selatan (TBS) integrated transportation hub in Bandar Tasik Selatan here.

Clad in a white shirt and black

pants, Najib arrived at the main lobby of the terminal at 5.20pm, greeted the people and distributed kuih and duit raya to them.

He asked the people where they were headed to as they returned to their hometowns and villages to celebrate Aidilfitri or for holiday.

The prime minister also chatted

with the bus drivers.

Maju Terminal Management and Services (TMAS) Sdn Bhd managing director Roslan Shariff said Najib met 60 bus drivers and advised them to exercise utmost caution while driving.

"The prime minister advised the bus drivers to ensure that they arrive

safely at their destinations.

"This (Najib's visit) was a special event for us at TBS and the public. No one expected the prime minister to come and cheer up the people returning to their villages and hometowns."

Roslan said the TBS was expected to handle more than 2,200 express bus arrivals and departures, and 60,000 passengers round the clock during the festive period.

He said 500 TBS staff would be on

duty during the period to ensure smooth operations at the transportation hub.

Najib opened the RM570 million TBS on April 14, 2013. It is an integrated transportation hub that operates bus services to all destinations in the peninsula. **Bername**

Page 1 pic: Passengers in Port Klang waiting to board ferries to get home for Hari Raya Aidilfitri yesterday. **Pic by Faiz Anuar**