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Dr M is in his own world, says Ku Nan

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PUTRAJAYA: Former prime minister Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad should not make any statements that can cause disunity among the people.

Umno secretary-general Datuk Seri Tengku Adnan Tengku Mansor said it was inappropriate for the former prime minister to make such statements, especially during the Merdeka month.

"I don't understand him. When he

was in power, he had asked us to support him (in curtailing the Yang di-Pertuan Agong's power), but now when things are not on his side, he says he was wrong.

"Back then, he was also the one who supported online freedom. Now that the Internet is bringing a lot of problems, he admitted that he was mistaken. Dr Mahathir is in his own world. So, let him be in his

world," he said after officiating the Fun Ride Patriotic cycling programme yesterday.

Adnan said Dr Mahathir would do anything to topple the current administration.

"As a former prime minister and Umno president, he should not make statements (against the government).

"He should unite the people for

the country to progress."

Adnan was commenting on Dr Mahathir's apology for amending the Federal Constitution in 1994 to curtail the king's powers.

The amendments allow any law that had been passed by Parliament and the senate to become law within 30 days, regardless of whether the Yang di-Pertuan Agong gives his assent.