

PM: SYNERGY WITH STATE GOVTS VITAL

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'Better cooperation between federal, state govts can ensure inclusive development'

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SYNERGY between the federal and state governments can ensure the smooth implementation of the national development agenda, said Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim.

This would also guarantee that the national development agenda is carried out in a comprehensive and inclusive manner, for the wellbeing of the people and the progress of Malaysia, he said.

"I chaired the 146th Meeting of Menteris Besar and Chief Ministers in Putrajaya today (yesterday).

"This meeting serves as an important platform to strengthen collaboration between the federal and state governments, particularly in coordinating joint policies and development initiatives," he



Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim at the 146th Meeting of Menteris Besar and Chief Ministers in Putrajaya yesterday. PIC FROM PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE / AFIQ HAMBALI

said in a Facebook post.

Present at the meeting were ministers, Chief Secretary to the Government Tan Sri Shamsul Azri Abu Bakar and Public Service Department director-general Tan Sri Wan Ahmad Dahlan Abdul Aziz.

On the same day, Anwar held a meeting with Sarawak Premier Tan Sri Abang Johari Openg and Sabah Chief Minister Datuk Seri Hajiji Noor to discuss matters of

mutual interest.

"I have always emphasised the importance of strong ties and strategic cooperation between the federal government and state governments, particularly Sabah and Sarawak.

"Such collaboration is vital in advancing a national agenda centred on inclusive and balanced development, for the shared progress of all Malaysians," Anwar said in a Facebook post.