

**Dr M: It's difficult to keep Israeli products out**  
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KUALA LUMPUR: Former prime minister Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad said Friday it was difficult to completely ban Israeli products from entering the local market because traders would always find a way around the blockade.

"I know some bring things in from Singapore when they are in fact from Israel," he said during a question-and-answer session after a talk here on Friday.

He was asked why there were still Israeli products in Malaysia despite zero diplomatic ties.

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