

## **IPF pledges to help BN win back lost states**

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THE Indian Progressive front (IPF) will work hard with Barisan Nasional to win back the states that the coalition lost in the last general election in 2008, *Tamil Nesan* quoted party president Datuk M. Sambanthan as saying.

He said the party had started canvassing support at state level to ensure that Barisan won all the seats that it would contest.

He was speaking to reporters after attending a leadership seminar for branch leaders in Kajang on Saturday.

Sambanthan urged the branch leaders to be well-versed with the benefits and incentives the Government was offering to the people so that they could brief the people on the ground.

> *Malaysia Nanban* reported that the Human Rights Party (HRP) was "very confident" of wresting the Kota Raja parliamentary seat from Pakatan Rakyat in the next general election.

HRP secretary-general P. Uthaya-kumar named Kota Raja as its "front-line seat" during an election fund-raising dinner in Kuala Lumpur.

He said HRP was confident of garnering 90% of the Indian votes in Kota Raja.

Uthayakumar said HRP was also targeting 33% of the Chinese votes, which he believed would be enough to carry the party to victory.

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