

**Government Doesn't Make Promises That Are Difficult To Fulfil - Muhyiddin
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KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 14 (Bernama) -- Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin said that the government would not make any promises it could not fulfil just to gain the people's sympathy.

The deputy prime minister said this at a gathering to mark the 50th anniversary of the Community Development Department (Kemas) at Dewan Merdeka, Putra World Trade Centre, here, which was attended by more than 1,000 people.

Rural and Regional Development Minister Datuk Seri Mohd Shafie Apdal when speaking to reporters on the closed-door event, said Muhyiddin had stated that as a responsible ruling government, it could not give people hopes without considering the government's capacity and capability.

He said Muhyiddin also told the gathering that the government would not fall for the political game of the opposition, which were fond of making beautiful promises without thinking whether these could be fulfilled or not.

"We are the government and they are the opposition, who can promise the moon and the stars. Whether they have the allocations or not, it's not important to them...but the question is whether they can fulfil their promises," Muhyiddin had said, according to Mohd Shafie.

He said Muhyiddin also recorded the government's appreciation towards Kemas for its contributions in developing the rural communities nationwide, especially in the educational field, since its establishment in 1961.

Muhyiddin also proposed that Kemas continue playing its role as it proved to have successfully assisted the government in raising the education standard and improving the economy of the rural communities.

Mohd Shafie said at the gathering which took more than two hours, Muhyiddin also took the opportunity to explain government policies and facts on the 2012 Budget which had been twisted by certain irresponsible quarters.

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