

Penang MIC Chief Dies
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BUTTERWORTH, April 18 (Bernama) -- Penang MIC chairman Datuk P.K. Subbaiyah died at his home in Taman Meranti, Bagan Ajam, here today. He was 63.

State MIC Youth chief J. Dhina said when contacted that he received a call from a member of Subbaiyah's family at 5.30am informing about his death. He died in his sleep, believed to be due to a heart attack.

The former state executive council member and two-term Prai assemblyman was appointed MIC chief since April 2009 and appointed senator in April last year. He leaves behind a wife, Vallini, and two children, Gowri and Ganesh. The funeral service will be held on Friday at his home.

Meanwhile, a Dewan Negara member, Senator Boon Som Inong, expressed shock over Subbaiyah's death, saying he met him two days ago in parliament and had a meal together.

"He was fine and we talked as usual. I'm shocked; I have lost a good friend in the Dewan Negara," he said.

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