

**MIC: Indian support for BN growing**  
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MUAR: MIC is confident that Indian voters will help Barisan Nasional to wrest Selangor and Kedah from Pakatan Rakyat.

MIC president Datuk Seri G. Palanivel said feedback from the ground revealed that the perception of the Indian community had changed towards supporting BN.

He said the Indian community viewed the BN government as one that was carrying out programmes to ensure development.

He said support for BN among Indians in rural areas rose to 70 per cent, while it reached 60 per cent in urban areas, adding that this was a tremendous improvement from the 2008 general election.

"The BN government, led by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak, has solved most of the problems related to education, housing, schools and temples in the Indian community," he said in a function organised by MIC Pagoh division in Bukit Pasir here on Sunday.

At the function, Palanivel also launched a campaign to visit 1,800 Indian families in the Bakri parliamentary constituency.

He distributed 10 computers (two each) to five Tamil schools, four wheelchairs for the disabled and 60 food hampers to the poor and needy of all races.

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