

MIC Promises To Help Former National Athlete
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KULIM, Sept 20 (Bernama) -- The plight of former national 400 metres runner D. Nadarajan, 38, who is now wheelchair-bound, has caught the attention of the Kedah MIC.

State MIC chairman S. Ananthan, when visiting Nadarajan who lives with his mother, expressed his sympathy and promised to obtain assistance from the Central MIC through MIC President Datuk Seri G. Palanivel.

"Despite his injury, Nadarajan is adamant on living a normal life with his wife and four small children. I will get his complete details for the Central MIC so we can arrange something for the family," he told reporters in Taman Kenari, here Thursday.

Nadarajan was also a member of the 4x400 relay team consisting of Yazid Parlan, S. Vasu and Romzi Bakar which won gold at the Jakarta SEA Games in 1997.

An accident in 2007 left him with nerve injuries and the inability to work for a living. The injury was caused by metal fragments which hit his head when a tyre he inflated burst and left him unable to walk or manage himself.

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