

**Najib Poses Meaningful Jackpot Question
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KUALA LUMPUR, Dec 1 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak today posed a 'jackpot' question full of meaning to test the level of readiness of the Umno members to support the party if they were not selected as candidates in the 13th general election.

Describing the question as important and needed a survey to be carried out, the Umno president invited party warriors to give consideration to the question as it would determine victory or defeat for the party in the general election.

Five possibilities were offered by Najib to answer the jackpot question full of messages -- support the candidate selected by the party fully; support; don't work; sabotage; or defect to another party.

"This survey is important...ask yourself. We will not distribute forms in this hall, don't worry...but I need all of you in the hall; on the journey home, in the car later, in the express bus later, just ask yourself," he said to loud applause from the delegates.

Winding up the debate at the closing session of the Umno General Assembly 2012 at the Putra World Trade Centre (PWTC) today, Najib demanded that Umno members appreciated and took home the strong sentiments from the hall.

"We want this kind of spirit to last until the general election. Bring back the time when we meet our supporters because among us, there are many 'Ronson' flints, many instigators, they bluff us if we are weak, from full support they reduce their support or 'make don't know'...don't work (for the party) or even worse, they sabotage or defect to another party," he said.

He said there were groups who were prepared to sabotage the party after enjoying benefits while they were in Umno and Barisan Nasional (BN).

That was why, Najib said, that at the last assembly before the general election, the most appropriate answer to the jackpot question asked was to pledge to continue to support the candidate selected by the party leadership.

"Can all of you support?" he asked thrice which was greeted by a loud "yes" by the more than 2,700 delegates present.

Najib said if the reply given came sincerely from the heart of the Umno members, then he was confident that the two-thirds victory would be achieved by BN in the next general election.

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