

Malaysian-owned Cardiff City Earns Promotion To EPL Next Season

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KUALA LUMPUR, April 17 (Bernama) -- Malaysian-owned English football club, Cardiff City FC has secured promotion to the English Premier League (EPL) next season, ending their 51-year wait to play in the top league.

The club's official website, www.cardiffcityfc.co.uk said the club gained promotion to the top flight league after a scoreless draw against Charlton Athletic at the Millennium Stadium, Tuesday.

Malky Mackay's boys currently top the championship standings with 84 points with just three games remaining.

The club had missed out on gaining promotion from the Championship in the last three seasons, having lost out in the play-off matches.

The Wales-based football club is owned by Malaysian businessman Tan Sri Vincent Tan.

Another Malaysian, Tan Sri Tony Fernandes, the founder of low-cost airlines, AirAsia, owns EPL outfit, Queens Park Rangers (QPR).

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