

**Do Not Get 'Bitten Twice By A Snake' - Najib
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SUBANG JAYA, May 3 (Bernama) -- The prime minister has reminded the people of Selangor not to be deceived and fooled for the second time, with the Selangor Government's promises made in the last general election.

Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak said Barisan Nasional (BN) was capable of bringing greater progress, as compared to the empty promises which did not ensure the future but brought utter disappointment to the people of Selangor.

"We are asking the people to support BN because we have carried out major changes in the country. We do not give empty promises.

"I want to ask PR (Pakatan Rakyat) in Selangor. What happened to the 2008 promises? Prophet Muhammad was known to have reminded all believers so that they are not bitten twice by a snake from the same hole.

"It's enough to be bitten once, not twice. If we allow ourselves to be deceived, it means that we have been fooled again. I am confident the people in Puchong will not allow the snake to bite and deceive us twice," he said.

Najib, who is also Selangor BN chairman, was speaking during a visit to the Puchong parliamentary constituency where he prayed at the Ar-Raayah Surau in Puchong Permai and held a walkabout and attended an afternoon tea with residents in the area.

Also present were BN Puchong parliamentary candidate A. Kohilan Pillay; BN Seri Serdang state seat candidate Mohamad Yusof Mohamed Yassin; BN Kinrara state seat candidate Datuk Wong Hock Aun; and, Gerakan president Tan Sri Dr Koh Tsu Koon.

According to Najib, the government only wanted the people in the country to live in peace and harmony, BN has always championed the policy of understanding, moderation, inclusiveness and considered the views of all parties.

"Unlike us, the opposition (parties) contradicts each other. They disagree and quarrel over the fielding of candidates...have problems with flag symbols and have to use three symbols, do not have a shadow cabinet or make a decision on who will become the prime minister.

"But in BN, we have an understanding. If we win, Putrajaya will remain in BN's hand. With the grace of Allah, if you want me to be the prime minister, if you love me, vote BN," he said to resounding applause from those present.

Najib also envisaged that in the next five years, government would continue to carry out even greater improvements as compared to the last four years, with a stronger mandate from the people.

He said, with the Grace of Allah, the stronger mandate would give BN the opportunities to implement a more transparent administration, combat corruption, reduce crime, improve transportation and resolve water problem in Selangor.

"This is our government led by BN. Therefore, support our candidates and make a wise

decision this Sunday," he said.

Najib also announced BN's promise to repaint all 36 blocks of Puchong Permai flats with the remaining blocks to be carried out after May 5.

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