

Palanivel Confirms Stepping Down As MIC President In 2016
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KUALA LUMPUR, Aug 22 (Bernama) -- Datuk Seri G. Palanivel today confirmed that he will step down as MIC president in 2016.

Palanivel, who is the natural resources and environment minister, said he would step down in the first quarter of 2016 at the end of his term before the deputy president takes over.

However, he said, this was not a condition agreed or compromised.

"No compromise. I only asked for one more term. I already announced it many times," he told reporters.

Earlier, Palanivel had a closed-door meeting with the party's divisional chiefs at the MIC headquarters, here.

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