

PM Attends Briefing Before Kajang By-election Sunday
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KAJANG, March 22 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak went down to Kajang for the first time Saturday night to lend moral support to the Barisan Nasional (BN) candidate Datin Paduka Chew Mei Fun during the last day of campaigning.

He was present at BN's Main Operations Room for a closed-door briefing to the BN election machinery for the Kajang by-election, which was also attended by several leaders from the BN component parties.

Among those present were MCA president Datuk Seri Liow Tiong Lai, MIC president Datuk Seri G. Palanivel, BN secretary-general Datuk Seri Tengku Adnan Tengku Mansor and Chew.

At the briefing, Najib, who is also BN chairman and Umno president asked the party machinery to safeguard the good name of BN during the polling day Sunday and also to ensure that Kajang voters come out early to vote.

Chew will be facing Parti Keadilan Rakyat candidate and its party president Datuk Seri Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail.

The Kajang seat became vacant following the sudden resignation of incumbent Lee Chin Cheh on Feb 27 on the grounds of strengthening the Pakatan Rakyat.

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