

Najib Hands Over Flag For Mission Accomplished by 1Malaysia World Endurance Ride

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MELAKA, June 21 (Bernama) -- Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak handed over a flag as a symbolic gesture for a mission accomplished by the 1Malaysia World Endurance Ride (1MWER), a motorcycle world tour expedition to promote Global Moderation for Peace, at the Melaka Trade International Centre in Ayer Keroh here Saturday.

The prime minister, who is patron of the project organised by Yayasan Wangsa Perdana gave the flag to tour leader Datuk Zamri Mohamed.

Najib has been promoting moderation as the key to forge harmony and greater understanding among the people of diverse faiths and cultures.

The team, comprising three riders of high-powered motorcycles, Zamri, Mohamad Faizal and Rosmadi Saad travelled non-stop across 41 countries for about a year before arriving in Malaysia yesterday.

"Syukur Alhamdulillah (All praise be to Allah), we have completed the mission overcoming all obstacles for the honour and glory of our beloved country," said Zamri when met by reporters.

On Oct 30, last year, Najib had flagged off Phase 2 of the IMWER in London, which started from Buenos Aires in Argentina and toured South America before entering North America and completed the mission upon entering Malaysia, via Singapore.

Earlier, the team crossed over 28 countries in 130 challenging days of the journey in Phase 1, conquering South East Asia, Asia, Russia and Europe.

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