

**BN To Help MIC Resolve Crisis - Muhyiddin  
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KUALA LUMPUR, Jan 29 (Bernama) -- The Barisan Nasional (BN) top leadership will help component party MIC to resolve its domestic crisis and regain strength, Deputy Prime Minister and BN deputy chairman Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin said today.

He said he discussed the matter yesterday with Prime Minister and BN chairman Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak.

The crisis, if left unattended, would affect not only the MIC but also the BN, he told reporters after opening the Malay Language Campus building of the Teacher Training Institute here.

"Now that the situation has reached this stage, we have to intervene. I believe that if left unattended, there will be no solution to the crisis.

"As such, the BN leadership, the prime minister and myself, will intervene for the good of the party and the BN," he said.

Differences of opinion had emerged in the MIC following an order on Dec 5 last year from the RoS for the party to hold fresh elections for the three posts of vice-president and 23 posts in the Central Working Committee (CWC) within 90 days due to irregularities in the elections held at the party general assembly in Melaka on Nov 30, 2013.

Muhyiddin said the MIC top leaders would be asked to attend a meeting soon to discuss the crisis and adopt an appropriate decision based on the party constitution and rules.

"If there are calls for a re-election, we will want to look at the provisions in the party constitution and rules because we cannot act contrary to the constitution," he said.

Muhyiddin said he hoped that all quarters would remain calm in the spirit of camaraderie and did not resort to threats which he said did not portray a good image of the party.

The deputy prime minister said it was important to retain the people's support for the BN, particularly the Indian community's support for the MIC.

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