

**PM Announces Exemption Of Visa For Limited Period To Chinese Tour Groups**  
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PUTRAJAYA, Sept 14 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak today announced the exemption of visa for tourists from China travelling to Malaysia in group tours between Oct 1 and March 31 next year.

This was one of the tourism promotion moves he highlighted when announcing proactive economic measures here.

"Subsequently, the e-visa system will be introduced to facilitate the issuing of visas to tourists from the major visitor countries," he said.

Najib, at a special news conference on the economy, said that the government would provide an additional RM80 million to intensify promotional activities in selected tourism markets, such as ASEAN, China and India.

He also announced the development of national iconic products, including rejuvenating the National Museum, National Monument and Perdana Lake Gardens, as well as would be developed, including improving connectivity to KL Sentral at a cost of RM1.1 billion.

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