

Stop the slander, unite for a better Malaysia, says Najib
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Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak wants Malaysians to stop spreading and believing in slander and instead work towards taking Malaysia to greater heights.

In a blog posting today, he urged the people not to derail efforts to make Malaysia a peaceful nation and to achieve developed status by 2020.

"This objective is very clear and every day as prime minister, I focus on this with all my energy and effort, to bring Malaysia towards this aim.

"This destination promises a better future for all of us.

"Let us not entertain matters that can divert our attention from working towards fulfilling this vision," he wrote.

He also advised the people to stop the bickering and engaging in matters that are not beneficial, and instead come together to realise Malaysia's vision for the future.

"Stop the bickering, stop spreading and believing slander, stop doing things that don't bring any benefit.

Let us stand united to ensure a peaceful Malaysia, and realise our vision," he said.

Najib's advice comes amidst a split in Umno over scandals he is facing, especially the controversial 1Malaysia Development Berhad and RM2.6 billion deposited into his personal account.

Najib's critics in Umno have accused him of trying to silence Umno deputy president Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin, who was dropped from the Cabinet in July, by barring him from giving the keynote address at the opening of the Wanita, Puteri and Umno Youth assemblies.

It has been the party's tradition in the past few decades for the No. 2 to address the wings. – December 4, 2015.

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