

## **Teng: Penang BN candidates generally well-received by voters**

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GEORGE TOWN, May 8 (Bernama) -- All Barisan Nasional (BN) candidates contesting in Penang in the 14th general election (GE14) tomorrow are generally well received by the voters despite being in an opposition-ruled state, says Penang BN chairman Teng Chang Yeow.

However, he said it would be an uphill task for BN to wrest back the state which they lost in 2008, adding however, it was not impossible.

"Based on the campaign report from all BN candidates in Penang, they are generally well received by voters although they still encounter a measure of hostility but they are no longer as hostile to BN as in the past," he told a press conference at the Gerakan headquarters here today.

He said except for the younger generation which gave stiffer resistance, those above 40 were quite supportive towards the BN candidates.

Teng, who is also Penang Gerakan chairman, believed there would be a 'breakthrough' to secure more than 10 state seats in the GE14.

"Allow me to humbly urge the Penang voters to support BN candidates for a good check and balance of the new state government," he said.

During the last general election, BN only managed to win 10 state seats and three parliamentary seats, all of which were contributed by UMNO.

For GE14, BN is contesting in all the 13 parliamentary and 40 state seats in Penang.

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