

ABDULLAH MADE HONORARY FELLOW

THE Malaysian Institute of Directors (MID) has made Prime Minister Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi an Honorary Fellow at the organisation's recent Corporate Directors banquet. MID President Tan Sri Dr Lim Kok Wing conferred the honour on Abdullah for his exemplary leadership and integrity. The event, themed 'Leadership for Excellence', was attended by corporate leaders, ambassadors and high commissioners.

Abdullah is the third individual to be given the honour after former Prime Minister Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad and his wife Tun Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali. Abdullah, in his acceptance speech, said the existence of MID showed that good corporate governance is not just a passing trend or a new catch phrase. 'The practice of such values has actually been the foundation of our success and development thus far,' he added. The event ended with Tan Sri Khir Johari, former MID president, being bestowed with the 'President Emeritus' title. **mb**

