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MALAYSIA TODAY SPECIAL REPORT PART 32

The Battle Begins: Mahathir chooses his weapon

Raja Petra Kamarudin

In December 1990, as he lay on his deathbed, First Prime Minister Tunku Abdul Rahman received the unwelcome news that the then Prime Minister was about to come pay him a visit. According to Dr Mahathir Mohamad's staff, it was a 'courtesy call' upon the dying *Bapa Malaysia* who was spending his last few hours on this earth, generally at peace with himself after having delivered his final message to the people at a gathering in Kuching several days earlier. The Tunku wanted to let the world slip away without any rancour.

But Mahathir had come to disturb that idyll. He wanted to make his peace with the dying Father of Independence. Nevertheless, the Tunku was no hypocrite. He was not about to pretend he had suddenly changed his 25-year old feelings of contempt for the man who once called him 'traitor to the Malays'. The Tunku did not want to pretend that he could so easily forgive Mahathir for all that he had done -- including what the Tunku believed was the dismantling of the Malaysian democracy which he had so painfully established.

So the Tunku, in his usual puckish humour, decided to 'fall asleep'. Mahathir came into the hospital room and addressed the Tunku respectfully, rambling on and on about how he really respected the man, all the while the Tunku 'snored' as if he was in a deep slumber. By doing so, he did not need to address Mahathir nor even acknowledge the presence of the Prime Minister. He faked a snooze in order to escape having to give a false impression that all was forgiven and forgotten.

16 years later, it was Mahathir's turn to do the same to his own successor as Prime Minister, Abdullah Ahmad Badawi. True, Mahathir is nowhere close to dying, nor is he even sick, but he too did not want to pretend that 'all is forgiven' nor that 'all is well' between him and Abdullah.

When Abdullah used a common friend (one of the doctors in his entourage) to arrange a meeting with Mahathir in Tokyo during the recent Nikkei conference in late May, Mahathir was of course reluctant to accept. But he could not refuse to meet the Prime Minister as he was told that Abdullah was already on his way to his hotel suite and could hardly turn back. Nevertheless, this did stop Mahathir from 'doing a Tunku'. He pretended to be in a hurry and, after dismissing

Abdullah with some hellos, grunts and umphs, the 'courtesy call' was all over in less than ten minutes. In spite of Kalimullah Hassan Masheerul Hassan's and Brendan Pereira's attempt to portray a reconciliation with the great giant of UMNO politics, the meeting had all the excitement of a hospital morgue.

As far as Mahathir was concerned, meeting Abdullah was an exercise in futility. Reconciliation with Abdullah was certainly something farthest from his mind. Mahathir had already decided to cross the bridge from which there is no turning back -- in fact, he was burning the bridge as far as Abdullah is concerned. Mahathir is no longer thinking of how to depose Abdullah as UMNO President and Prime Minister but has instead devised a plan to unseat what he considers a most unworthy successor. Mahathir is no longer a critic of the government but a potent opponent who is dedicated to its overthrow. The former Prime Minister is now officially the Leader of the Opposition to Abdullah's rule.

There are those who still believe that Mahathir's hopes lie with Najib. This is no longer so. Najib has been well and truly discounted in spite of several last-minute attempts to prove himself a worthy inheritor of the Mahathir legacy. For example, knowing that he has been accused by the Mahathir faction of not being able to take advantage of Abdullah's many wrong turns and strategic blunders, Najib recently consolidated his support among the anti-Khairi faction. He gave the opportunity for Reezal Merican Naina Merican to lead GPMS in spite of the fact that Reezal is now the most virulent anti-Khairi force in Abdullah's office. Najib also managed to secure the acquiescence of that wishy-washy Suhaimi Ibrahim by promising him the kiss of life when he is already politically dead. Najib hoped that by doing so, he shows his mettle and ability to solve a problem in a society where the traditional leader has been Abdullah himself.

But Mahathir knows that Najib is a lame horse whose legs have been crippled by the piles of incriminating evidence Khairi has gathered from the Singapore secret service which will eventually be used to slay Najib and end his career in a shower of scandals. So Mahathir, while willing to accept that the fall of Abdullah may lead to a temporary succession of Najib, no longer relies on Najib to spearhead the movement to unseat Abdullah.

Mahathir's secret weapon lies in three particular areas. The first, strangely enough, is in UMNO Youth, though not through Mukhriz. Many feel that Mahathir will launch his attack on Khairi, his most hated target, through either one of his politically active sons, Mukhriz or Mokhzani. While these two may stand for key positions in the next UMNO elections, Mahathir has actually groomed someone else with the calibre to match Khairi and displace him in a swift blitzkrieg of surprise. Mahathir's choice has fallen on a young Oxbridge graduate, the son of a former cabinet minister who is meticulously building up his war kitty and is rapidly accumulating millions to finance his expenses at the UMNO elections. Coming from a long established political family, Mahathir's stalking-horse is young, able and rich. The element of surprise is the most vital component for this weapon as the figure chosen by Mahathir is yet to appear on the national scene.

Khairi thinks that Mahathir's choice is a dud. Of course, it is natural he should think so, given that he himself was in the early years considered unable to gather the support he currently enjoys. Mahathir's choice, however, has the advantage of being relatively unknown with hardly any 'surplus baggage' bogging him down. In the UMNO elections to come, should Khairi choose to stay in the ranks of UMNO Youth, he will find himself facing a new personality who has all of his good traits but none of the bad publicity which he has thus far accumulated resulting from his many business and political misbehaviours.

The way Mahathir's choice builds his support is not only through UMNO Youth but

also through those other organisations inching their way into Mahathir's camp. Amongst these are many professional organisations whose members are frankly too sick of Abdullah's inabilities or too jealous of Khairy's pre-eminence. They feel that they are the equals, if not Khairy's betters, and are eager to offer themselves to Mahathir in the hope that when the change comes, they will exchange their low stations for Khairy's lofty clouds.

Mahathir has been secretly meeting many of Khairy's contemporaries, collecting data about Khairy's personal life plus on his every move. In spite of the many opportunities to do so while he was Prime Minister, Mahathir had made the tactical error of not pursuing those leads when he had the chance then. Now he is actively picking them up and meeting with those young people who count Khairy as one of their current or former circles. They are quite happy to trade information for a pat on the back from the Grand Old Man of Malaysian politics.

Another of Mahathir's weapon is the civil servants who are staffed at Abdullah's office and other relevant ministries such as the Ministry of Finance. It is an open secret that many senior civil servants are disgusted with what they regard as Khairy's direct interference in government policies and his constant pestering for projects through his stooges like Ahmad Zaki Zahid and others of that ilk. These civil servants continue to report to Mahathir almost all the scandals and misbehaviour associated with Khairy -- including one recent case where Khairy influenced the sale of Malaysian government assets to a consortium of Singaporeans scouting for a company operating from the sensitive nation of Israel. Such information could not have surfaced if not for the connivance of insiders, just like most of the information in these *Khairy Chronicles* is obtained from disgruntled officers of many government agencies.

These scandals are indeed complex and difficult for the common public to understand. But if there is one knack which Mahathir has not lost, it is his ability to convey to the common people in the simplest of terms what is often a murky and intellectually challenging issue. Therein rests the biggest problem for Abdullah. Except when he is parroting Khairy's words, Abdullah is not a great communicator like Mahathir. Faced with Abdullah, UMNO members quickly fall into la-la land whereas Mahathir can enthrall an audience from start to finish. If Mahathir openly challenges Abdullah, there is no doubt that the latter would seem the weaker blunderer, stuttering from word to word, unable to form a coherent sentence or convince the audience.

In the meantime, anyone who has studied Mahathir in the last 25 years will know that he is the master of double-speak. Mahathir's recent interviews should not be read at face value but instead examined for its hidden meaning. Mahathir is on a crusade, believing that only he can save the country from certain ruin. In such a crusade, all and every alliance should be considered. And even those whom Mahathir feel are spawns of the devil will eventually find themselves being considered in the great big fight against Abdullah. Readers may well think that we are suggesting some form of reconciliation between the battling figures which in the last eight years have coloured Malay politics. That may or may not be the case. What is true is that feelers are being sent by all parties and dogs may well marry cats before the next year is up.....

To be continued.....Part 33: The Battle Begins: Khairy's new business deal - The sky's the limit

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NSTPravda said...

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... and so Abdullah did the physical hit on Mahathir even though it was only an illusory crooked half bridge that has no physical presence but created over RM100,000,000 of windfall compensation for the lucky crony. It has been a real pleasure of the rakyat to pay for someone's mistake. Semua-nya OK!

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 10:32:48 AM](#)

docomo00 said...

a lot of suspense there dude..but no one's making a move so far. The najib has been awfully quiet too, hasn't he? But then again, he is usually like that...when he's not crying for chinese blood

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 10:58:10 AM](#)

siri49 said...

Hardly much of a choice of leaders is it - we will end up having to make a choice between the devil and the deep blue sea. Whatever the outcome of this contest, the ultimate loser will be the public at large. Will Mahathir's champion be any different from the current crop of UMNO politicians. They are all crooks. Hopefully they fight and kill each other off. We live in hope.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 11:04:09 AM](#)

SpiceUpYour Life said...

If Tun Mahathir still remember, you are the one who appoint this person who has fast gaining the reputation of being the most stupid PM in Malaysia as your successor. If you think that he will be easy to be manipulated, then you are wrong. Most of the time he do not know what he is doing or talking about and will always fall back to his only advisor, i.e his Son-In-Law.

It will be interesting to see your next move in getting rid of our current PM who is getting Malaysia back to the 1970 instead of your 2020 vision.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 11:20:34 AM](#)

drmuzi said...

Something great is cooking...

It seems that some of the big guns in UMNO has smel this, especially the Menteri's Besar and Cheif Minister, as well as the veteran among UMNO who wielded strong mandate in th egovernment.

No wonder why only handfulls of MB's namely those of Perak, N Sembilan and Terengganu that come in Abdullah defense in regards to Mahathir blistering attack.

And only Nazri Aziz among UMNO ministers that willing to come into aBDullah defense.

Where the staunch supporter of Abdullah aka Muhyddin and other UMNO ministers who seems to choose being quiet and wait and see attitude.

I think they know, they can't discounted Mahathir yet despite the power of authority lie in the hand of Abdullah Ahmad Badawi.

When it come to charisma, intelektual, strategies , experiences, and wealth, Mahathir is no match for Abdullah.

The only advantage Abdullah has, is the post of the Prime Minister.

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 11:45:15 AM

benjyz said...

siri49 said all umno are crooks.

well, you probably knew nothing , or yr hatred overshadowed everything else.

some hv no chance to be a crook at all.
but crook they still be.

tak rasuah bukan sebab baik, sebab tidak ada peluang nak rasuah.

no power,probably angry b coz tak dap[at power utk nak rasuah, tu yg benci kpd umno tu

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:01:06 PM

benjyz said...

ihv been to johor 3 times within 2 months.
kenduri and antar barang.

all johorean wants the bridge.

not met any yg tak mau lagi. is there any?

mahathir hv many supporters on this bridge matters.

yg tak suka mahathir saje yg blind. hatred overcomes reality.

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:03:31 PM

benjyz said...

spiceupyourlife,

whn mahathir pass the barton to pak lah, it never crossed his mind this budak itam will be besar kepala and in charge.
bukan mahathir make wrong moves, but its the correct things to do at that time.

now its different.

otak umno tak jem mcm otak org pas.
tgk kelantan tu. eksport semua jenayah gro, pengangur penyeludup ke negeri lain. bukan kami suruh tukar dgn org umno.
kami suruh tuka dgn org pas lain yg ada otak.

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:23:54 PM

drmuzi said...

RPK, i think you still not really clear about TUN plans...

frm the way you penned it all it seems the info you received in reagrsd to TUN plans is sketchy.

That is the good of the TUN, when he plan, he always have many many plans...to follow.

As you penned it, he creates 3 ways to bulldozed the present leaders, well i think he has many many more under his sleeves.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:29:56 PM](#)

Seedney said...

Quote: *When it come to charisma, intelectual, strategies , experiences, and wealth, Mahathir is no match for Abdullah.*

drmuzi, I think you meant to say "*Abdullah is no match for Mahathir*", right? I can't imagine Abdullah being to superior to anybody in terms of charisma and intelligence.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:37:09 PM](#)

Seedney said...

Sorry about the typo on the last comment. My last line should read: *I can't imagine Abdullah being superior to anybody in terms of charisma and intelligence.*

Damn...I wish there was a function for "edit" for blog comments.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:43:32 PM](#)

desiderata said...

drmuzi:

"When it come to charisma, intelectual, strategies , experiences, and wealth, Mahathir is no match for Abdullah."

I'm sure you mean the OTHER WAY ROUND...?

Engrish is surely a trickish/ticklish lingo.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 12:57:00 PM](#)

Friend from Texas said...

The fact that we're all singing praises about Tun M (even me, under my breath) puts the incompetence and stupidity of Badawi's administration under a very bright spotlight.

No matter the outcome, I somehow think the biggest casualties in any such battle from a political perspective will be the opposition...namely PAS and DAP.

All you BN haters...rest assured, whatever happens will only consolidate the power of BN (i.e. UMNO).

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 1:46:49 PM](#)

cinabuta said...

RPK,

This cloak and dagger tale seems to replicate the storyline of the typical Hollywood political drama and fiction. Are all these wheelings and dealings are for real or are they simply some figments of certain peoples' imagination? Only time will tell. By the way, who may I ask is the new political prodigy that is being groomed by TDM? I know it is supposed to be a big secret. But the suspense is very excruciatingly overwhelming, to say the least!

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 1:57:41 PM](#)

bumi-non-malay said...

Not sure why so many anti-Badawi....I for one thinks he is the best we have to further enhance the Day we Obliterate UMNO racist and their Cronies BN and supporters forever. I hope that come 2007 we have this moment in the time window to bring an end to this Racist UMNO-BN game.

You see we are not interested with UMNO racist games.....the new game is surrender your Evil Power or your life....then Truth Commission to open up Murderers of May 13, Kg Medan and killings of Penan....I cannot wait to bring the tractor to dig up the MASS Grave somewhere in KL.....some of those Police / Murderes are dead but some still alive.

Make no mistake the next "Happy" moment for M'sia will not be happy for some and this time the stakes are VERY HIGH.....

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 2:12:51 PM](#)

Don'tPlayGod said...

Probably, both KJ and AAB may have sensed that they may not be around come next G.E. So, just "make hay while the sun shines". You get what I mean? Just make a few hundred millions more before exiting the scene.

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 2:14:59 PM](#)

Mushroom Universe said...

Tun Dr.Mahathir might be a simple person from the outside.But trying to read his mind or what actions he's going to take,i think even his children will fail in vain. He's a tactician,a mastermind who plans his move so carefully,he can even make Napoleon & Sun Tzu looks like amateurs!

A lot of people does not like some or all the things he has done in the past.Everybody have their own ways to interpret his actions,but 1 thing for sure,he always uphold Malaysia 1st above anything else.He never even though to burden Malaysians with ridiculous hike of petrol,electricity,tolls & water. During his time,there was increase,that is true,but you can see that he is trying to minimized the increase as low as possible.We normally see petrol goes up 6 cents per liter,electricity increase of 8 cents..minimum increase.But when Abdullah Badawi came in,he selfishly increase anything he can increase as high as he could without thinking of the effect on Malaysians.

Khairy thinks he's smart & no one else in Malaysia is smarter than him.His arrogance & ego will get bigger and bigger as long as his father in-law Prime Minister is in power.I was so surprise when i attended a Hari Raya open house in 2004,i saw a mid 50's old man rushing towards Khairy when he arrived and kiss his hand!!!What is going on,regardless if that old man is an UMNO crony or ass kisser,

Khairy as a Malay should not let that happened,we are all teach to respect the elders no the other way around but he arrogantly let the old man kiss his hand.

I hope something will be done soon, for the sake of Malaysians as i don't think Abdullah Badawi have the capabilities to improve our life.He's good at making us suffer from his actions.

I wonder who is the Youth UMNO member that Tun Dr.Mahathir will use to topple Khairy!

[Tuesday, June 06, 2006 4:04:38 PM](#)

Dato' Seri Syed Amir Abidin Jamalullail said...

RPK,

Please stop publishing the Khairy Chronicles. I have heard from some very reliable sources in Perlis FA that KJ is trying to find ways to "fix" you. This may include physical harm. Please stop before its too late. Its too dangerous to annoy KJ now.

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 6:38:02 PM

true blue malaysian said...

Interesting, But one wonders what is khairy up too. Most likely he will get his way. Mahathir i doubt will be able to stop the war chest the Khairy - Abdullah camp has collected. With direct hand in the nations piggy bank the have it made "welcome to another era of crony puppets"

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 6:59:10 PM

parigiparis said...

at the time of reading the article the history of assassinations crossed my mind.i told myself that this nation had witnessed numerous political-character assassinations and one obvious case of real elimination and one killing in bid of "protection from the evil". the question is are we to witness more? now, having read to the end the comment made by Syed didn't come as a surprise.

who are to say that the players, messengers and storytellers in this political scene unfolding in Malaysia today are not bewitched, bedevilled and bewildered? is eliminating an opponent a fair game? maybe but killing can never be forgiven!

Change is now my fellow citizens.
Cheers!

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 7:41:16 PM

Futuristic Invention said...

Support Dr M not AAB because of obvious reason. No need to tell la, everybody know.

But a threat of "physical harm", someone must be out of their mind.

I dont think so lah. :)

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 8:29:13 PM

Astaga Kopakobana said...

I don't think there would be any "physical harm" towards RPK as it would be obvious who would do it.

Keep up the good work, RPK. Those threats (if there's any) simply showed that they're afraid of the people knowing the truth.

Tuesday, June 06, 2006 9:07:45 PM

parigiparis said...

any which way it is beginning to look like our destiny to have a young pm in the near future. if tmm's dragon slayer is younger than kj and the filler is najib the fallen houseboy what hope do we have to bring this nation fwd. those who survived tmm will come to lay trap on his dragon slayer for after all these wily politicians also crave for the ultimate as their end-game.

Good luck, Malaysia.

Cheers!

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 12:27:46 AM

GuitarKapok said...

Whether we love or hate Mahathir does not matter anymore..he is part of our history, just like Kennedy, Carter or Reagan were part of American history.

All hatred now pointing towards Badawi..for obvious reason. The majority of us want him out..the sooner the better.

Who will have the ability, the means, the brain, the tactical know how and influence to carry out this mission? To be the general and mastermind for this war against Badawi and Crony Ltd.

Anwar? hehehe you must be joking

Pas? ..,,yelah tu

Dap? malam sikit

PKR? party short term

Musa Hitam? T.Razaleigh..now im really making a joke

Our only hope lies on the shoulder of Mahathir....so let us rejoice and be united behind this man..and support him in his crusade.

This is a war and toppling down Badawi is only one battle...and we have no choice but to win this battle. The war to create Malaysia to be a great nation...is a life long process.

Let us all win this battle first, then we will tackle the next battle when the time comes...we will cross the bridge when we get there...

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 7:04:06 AM

brenda said...

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matreal said...

Madey si gila itu adalah Kepala Taik dan Dolah si bodo itu adalah ekor taik yang ada dalam Parti UMNO Tong Taik. Dengan ada nya taik taik UMNO ini Malaysia akan menjadi Taik hitam yang busuk. Oleh itu kita kena buang Parti Tong Taik ini.

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 12:26:07 PM

ka nee neh said...

If you don't like it here, you can leave the country

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 12:33:27 PM

peteliew said...

RPK, dont worry about the clown Khairy J harming you. Khairy can try his tricks but it will NEVER work on you. Khairy is trying to sell fear to you. Screw KJ!

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 12:37:21 PM

Sabri Mahmut Sungai Jatuh said...

My money is still on KJ.

Granted, Tun M are all those, and much more, yet he's an old 80 plus grandmaster who have had heart by-pass operations twice, in a present day battle where he had to positioned himself in the frontline.

Granted, the principles of war remains, yet the pace, the methods are more sophisticated. Stamina and endurance will be crucial. Support base and machinery will be vital.

By the way, are there many major differences between KJ and Tun M?

I mean, this is the choice, right??

AAB is just someone who sits in during the transition. Like Hussin Onn.

Age? Wisdom? Ambitious??

Tun M is the one who is going, while KJ is the one coming. KJ is UNpolished and rusty yet showing most of the potentials of that brashness and cunning Tun M of yester years.

Why said only Tun M is the saviour for future Malaysia - why cannot say KJ is the answer to future Malaysia ...!

He has the brain (so it seems), the body, the necessary connections (hey, he even has good rappsorts with the Singaporeans including their Secret Servives - which Tun M can never hope for).

As for the threat, RPK is actually doing KJ a favour. You people seem to be reading Sun Tzu, then you people should know why.

KJ does not really need for AAB to last longer as PM - he has Najib for that now ..., eh?? We all knew how Najib operates - as long as he can be PM, he will not mind. He toe party's lines. And by the time KJ become PM - Hishamuddin will be his running mate. Yup, those two cousin will be KJ's flanks. Everybody will be taken care of.

Actually, as Malaysian we don't need them. They are all from the same school, and have the same modus operandi. We all knew them all too well.

What we need now is a "Stranger".

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 12:43:47 PM

Dato' Seri Syed Amir Abidin Jamalullail said...

RPK,

If they can do it to Anwar Ibrahim, who was the Deputy Prime Minister of the country, they can do it to you too. Watch your back! KJ is preparing your "accident".

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 3:33:46 PM

Ramlan Ugau said...

dato' seri said.. " KJ is trying to find ways to "fix" you. This may include physical harm. Please stop before its too late. Its too dangerous to annoy KJ now."

Well RPK, with his super financial might, KJ no doubt can inflict his mark on anyone notably you RPK. Heard in southern Philippines, 1 bullet only cost equivalent to RM0.30 cents. If alongs can kill for mere RM200.00 unpaid debts what more do you expect from someone reputedly famous by your chronicles.

Anywhere, whatever happens to you after this will surely turn our heads towards KJ. But you don't have to worry. Only 2 places to go. Lie in hospital bed or rest in peace in a graveyard. Either way, we will always respect you for your contributions. But wait a minute.... though you were gone, you might as well be bestowed with Dato Seri or maybe a Tan Sri by our beloved PM then KJ.

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 3:42:24 PM

Raja Petra Kamarudin said...

The sky is the limit, says PM: The Star, 7 June 2006

Khairy Chronicles Part 33:

To be continued.....The Battle Begins: Khairy's new business deal - The sky's the limit

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 7:17:13 PM

rembau said...

Tun M avoiding AAB? I was told it was the other way round. Which is which now?

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 7:34:52 PM

drmuzi said...

most direct blast frm the TUN today against AAB.

RPK i am starting to belive you.

Like you, i place my bet on the TUN.

For powerless man to come after the most powerful person in Msia (the PM himself) in public, he must have something....

Go TUN...you have lots of suport within UMNO and others in Malaysia.

Wednesday, June 07, 2006 10:30:43 PM

Bigjoe99 said...

This latest blast was triggered by the ex-CEO of TNB revelation on IPP. It was started by Khairy and Dr. M is just shooting back - he is pissed. I don't think his moves are that coordinated at least for now. Note how Najib is fanning fire by revealing more stuff about Dr. M. He is trying to egg the two to make this things even bigger because he knows the PM don't want to fight.

I don't agree with RPK that Dr. M is looking for someone else other than his sons to take over. If there are other people, its to support his sons. He cannot trust anyone else at this point. That is why this chess game is even harder

than it looks.

Thursday, June 08, 2006 8:46:23 AM

bumi-non-malay said...

Dato' Seri Syed Amir Abidin Jamalullail

Wahhh....you think one RPK can trouble you so much.....wait for the Mat Kilau to show you a thing or two.....Relinquish power or M'sia separated...UMNO racist can fight it out on the northern states with brother PAS....

.....today a taste of Chaos on KLSE....covering Friday....next economic crisis....no chance to get out and the INSURANCE will be handy.

Remember to Obliterate UMNO racist...first Insurance, then territory last negotiate.....the day is drawing nearer.....Don't ever change the priority.

By the way who the hell you think you are again those trying to impress your masters in UMNO racist HQ.....I am quite suprise they have still retain you in one of those hopeless cawangan UMNO to be BURNT down....give you some job to rebuild it again....good deal??...go ahead make my day...tell Khairy the favour would be returned with interest!!

Thursday, June 08, 2006 11:17:51 AM

Grengo01 said...

RPK,

Without fear or favour, I love the conspiracy theory in Khairy's Chronicles.

Seems to be coming to life and running one of its own.

Keep up the good work.

Thursday, June 08, 2006 4:55:34 PM

stoNe said...

Salam Pak Engku,

If KJ give u a 'courtesy call'... u just start 'doing a Tunku' and snored..
zzzZZZZz.... Haha... or u can just BIAQ PI KAT DIA!

Bravo Malaysia-Today. Best blog in the world. Can't wait for the next part.

May the force be with u.
Good luck.

zzzzZZZZz...

Thursday, June 08, 2006 5:59:34 PM

Truth said...

If Najib hasn't got it in him, Tengku Razaleigh will be available to offer himself for the presidency of UMNO.

If Mahathir and his financiers (all local mind you)gives the blessing, then all hell will break loose!!!

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Telur-Dua said...

RPK, I salute you. You've got balls of steel. If only more in the Govt have only 10% of your courage.

While this story has intrigue and suspense, looking at the larger picture, any infighting in UMNO will not benefit the nation one bit.

Pak Lah is really having his work cut out. His situation can be likened to a Chinese saying 'while one is at the front of the house trying to catch a thief, there are people at the back setting a fire.'

Another saying to remember is, barking dogs don't bite (TM), but a silent dog (Pak Lah) can be deadly. Over-confidence can also be Pak Lah's enemies undoing.

In the last days of China's Ming Dynasty, although under-manned they were still defending their forts well against the Ching army. This was until a traitor within its walls opened one of the fort's gate for the enemy. The rest is history.

So, Pak Lah should learn from history and watch out for the enemies within.

Oh, forgot to mention that the guy (a General actually) who opened the gate for the enemy did so because the Emperor didn't let him have one of his concubines. Are there such slimy creatures in the Govt today?

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Telur-Dua said...

In the old days, one can be disgruntled for the simple reason of being denied a woman.

In modern times it can be a jawatan, APs and contracts. Greed knows no bounds.

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NOSTRADAMUS said...

PROMUDA, the BBC (Billionaire Boys Club) of Malaysia is very vocal in its support towards Tun Dr Mahathir. Keep wondering why.

As much as Khairy Jamaluddin is planning for his succession to a higher throne than just being the Deputy Youth Leader of UMNO (while racing against time of his Father-In-Law's inevitable exit), the clandestine PROMUDA is actively brewing for Khairy's downfall.

It can happen in many ways, from public humiliation to private betrayal, from cutting off his links in the Government to revealing his closet of skeletons from the past. Khairy should watch his back or "Et Tu ..." will be his last words.

And Khairy knows this.

But Mahathir knows that Khairy knows this.

The Hunter will become the Hunted...

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NENEK KEBAYAN said...

RPK,

Salute for you.

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Sabri Mahmut Sungai Jatuh said...

Aha.

Seem that Malaysians are in for some interesting times.

While the Star placed Tun M's stinging statement as headline, MCA President issued full support for AAB (makes one wonder). Meantime Utusan exercised damage control with Najib weighted statement out of India. A few cabinet ministers echoed the same pattern.

Then AAB's minders directed journalists NOT to ask any question regarding the issue. Even newly TUNship Musa Hitam refused to fuel matter. The team in power is adopting OPERATION SHUTDOWN, while at the same time releasing only weighted responses.

Think about it, while it's KJ been dubbed as A Young Man In A Hurry, the irony is that Tun M is The Old Man Doing All The Running ...!

At the same time, newsworthy news out of PAS Muktamar in Kedah received second hand treatment.

My money still rest on KJ.

Granted - it's the player who's willing to lose more will prevail. While Tun M couldn't care shit since he has "been there, done that" position; KJ stand to lose it all.

But remember, here in our beloved and beautiful Malaysia, the word "BOLEH" is a double edge sword.

Tun M may be "BOLEH", but his so called supporters are all fragile. Hey, he himself lamented that "tikam belakang" altitude of people he has assist. These parasites could NOT effort to lose anything, what more if provisions are provided for by those controlling the machinery.

Tun M may be wily and wise, but he will be undone.

Time no longer on his side.

When the game started, KJ is in the lead with a few goals.

All his team need to do is sit on it.

Tun M is Zidane. Oh .., that wily old fox with spectacular moves; but his legs is suspect, his endurance deserting, his support waning -

KJ is that Ronaldinho. Brash, Brave and that Arrogant Youthful Zest. However, he's prone to be over confident.

My romantic nature roots for one more move by the old master - yet my sensible mind says the power and endurance of the young gun is too strong.

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Seedney said...

KJ is no Ronaldinho. He doesn't have Ronaldinho's humbleness and Ronaldinho is not arrogant.

Heck, why even taint football with Bolehland's filthy politics.

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teruja3 said...

Assalammualaikum RPK,

May GOD bless you and your family also to all muslims all around the world.

"....Damn it..shoot..!! You are just going to kill A man" Che Guevara before he was shot in Bolivia.

To me i will always be behind you in any treat that comes to you. You have my personal full support if KJ is trying to harm you in anyway. If KJ can "fix" you, do you think that the RAKYAT cannot "FIX" him back?

No matter how we try to keep our hands clean it will still have the smell, because we still shake the hand that did the things for us... Let KJ play his game, the RAKYAT is not blind or stupid (if he things that he is smart) to judge him. The RAKYAT will be the judge. I think that he still hails the QUEEN of ENGLAND, looking at his arrogancy he is still british at heart. With involment with the asian JEWS state of Singapore is having it's toll. We can see that, Singapore is trying to take away our Crued Palm Oil exchange away from us. With KJ plans to sell the non-core business of FELDA to Temasik Hldgs & DBS this is no surprise to me. It has to start somewhere. Where is the best place to start? AH...!! the comodity market... KJ is damn smart but not smart enough.

Speaking of intergrity, is Pak Lah one of them? He let's his greedy son and son-in-laws not forgetting his own brothers scrap everything before they leave, is that we call intergrity? Why did KJ goes around asking things to be done for him with the promise of "....when I become the "Prime Minister".....!!! Who does he thing he is?

Keep up the good work RPK, my prayers to you and your family may ALLAH the MIGHTY protect you from any harm. This is our JIHAD by letting know the wrong doing of others to protect the UMMAH.

Wassalaam

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A Voice said...

RPK

Still no report of wondering wee-wee, KJ didn't commit any political sin.

Melia Hotel Jakarta, Khalwat raid on Maya with jakim & NTV, rendesvour in singapore with the Malay/Burmese lawyer, etc.

What can you say, even with picture, father-in-law dispell as fitnah. Just like TDM dispell rumours of DSAI then.

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Waris Tok Naga said...

In Chapter 13, Sun Tzu - Art of War

"Master Sun said:

"Intelligence is of the essence in warfare it is what the armies depend upon in their every move."

Attack the strategy, weaken their alliance and do battle last. Peace!

PS: half-time Germany 2 Costa Rica 1

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Breguet said...

Assalamualaikum RPK, keep up the Good work. In my humble opinion KJ can't even match the trial and tribulation of even RPK let alone Tun. Let the war begin, at least we all can see how the young KJ fares in a time of pressure. My hope and prayer goes to Tun, I am not saying he's an angel or saviour of us all, but at worst, he is the proverbial devil that we all know. Assalamualaikum

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Bajo said...

...man...dude...

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Midnitefirehawk said...

PAK Lah is not as stupid as he seems to have a plan. Just give the man a chance. He is totally changing the direction of the country. He is going back to agriculture and embarking on a new era of freedom for Malaysians. It takes time to surface, maybe in 4 years we will see the benefits. At the end of the day our GDP is still 6% so no worries. We are not spending excessively and we are still the beat thang!

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Goblog2000 said...

Greetings RPK & the rest

OK. So lets assume we are all behind Tun Dr on his 'crusade'. Assuming he did get AAB to step down. Then what?. Are we that naive to think that Tun Dr will take over from AAB to be the 6th PM?. Will UMNO or BN for that matter would allow that? I dont have all the answers but i would surely think with an open mind and be more pragmatic.

Lets say that Tun Dr did manage to take over or alternatively his nominee or someone he really can trust to continue with his vision. Do you think most of the rakyat's problem will be immediately look into. Would all the mess be rectified overnight. Will fuel prices go down to RM1.20 per litre?. Will the economy grow robustly?

What about the billions of ringgit that has been squandered during the time of Tun Dr reign and AAB's reign? Do you folks, for a second think that all those billions will make way into the rakyat's pocket just that easy. C'mon folks. THINK!!

Its all politik and business. The little people like you, me & the mamat, ah chong and mutusamy get duped day in day out by politikus and their sandiwaras. Tun Dr has made a 360 degrees turn-around. He questioned AAB as if he doesn't know what's going on in the govt. He is guilty of many a crime. He has single-handedly for the past 22 years dismantle many pillars of democracy, but now act and behave as if he is the knight in shining armour, ever ready to rescue malaysia from the negligent, weak and evil AAB.

AAB has its fault too. Making too many promises but failed miserably to even fulfil one. Maybe Tun Dr should thank his lucky stars that AAB is really a simpleton in that he does not openly (not at the moment) counter attack the

good Tun Dr by initiating investigation into all the previous wrong-doing. If he wants, he can just call the AG and direct him to open up the numerous polis reports made by DSAI. Now, that would be sumthin'.

Finally, its the malays and malaysian that would be the laughing stock ensuing from this debacle. The back-stabbing and the play acting by all members of the cabinet and menteri besars/chief minister is truly shameful. Did i hear someone says 'but that's politics'. BS, that's BS.

Supporters of Tun Dr and AAB are being too emotional and personal. perhaps the stake are too high. Perhaps they do not realised the implication. They just want to go after each other's throat. Stupid and shameful. Just read some of the comments made by supporters from both sides. i think they are posting their comments without realising what they write. The implication is dangerous.

Why dont some of you guys take a breather and ponder for a moment. You hear bits and pieces and from unrealisable source and with that bits of info, you went into a raging fit. Wow!

What if, some of it or all of the things you've heard are wrong?

Then what? retract & apologise. Nah, because of the egoistic nature u might just disappear for a while.

To all you fanatics out there, get a life. If u have so much energy, resources and time, why not help out the Palestinian. Or closer to home, there a lot of people who needs your help.

Let Tun Dr and AAB slug it out for all i care. Its just politics.

Like that little boy who from time to time says it on the radio :-
Aiman tak kisah.....:)

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Anak Melayu said...

what does tun mahathir hope to accomplish by unseating pak lah? an atonement for his own wrongdoing: choosing someone who is *lelah* (asthmatic) to succeed him?...what a charade?

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Seedney said...

Goblog 2000, basically what you're saying is we shouldn't waste our time getting involved with the fight between these two elephants. Well, actually I have no doubt that many if not all bloggers here have a life - professionals, students etc and the comments posted here amount to nothing more than releasing pent-up frustrations. I doubt anyone here will take to the streets on the merits of the comments posted here alone.

As for implications, I think the fact that hardly any bloggers go by their real names is enough to inform any reader that their comments, allegations, accusations, theories carry as much credibility as coffee-shop talk. Any reader believing otherwise is just plain naive and owe it to himself to carry out a proper research if he wants to know the truth.

Regarding the "*Aiman tak kisah...*" commercial one keep hearing on the airwave, that is about the most annoying ad I have heard. It's novel when you

hear it for the first time but when it's repeated over and over, I feel like smashing the radio every time it comes out.

But it's unfortunate that you would suggest that line as an attitude that we should adopt. Basically what you're suggesting is we should adopt an indifferent attitude to our political environment.

"Can we take your candy and pocket money?"
"Aiman tak kisah..."

"Can we blindfold and gag you?"
"Aiman tak kisah..."

Can you see where this is heading?

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ChinaMan said...

If Badawi is not strong then: -

- 1) He will not be able to cancel the double rail track project.
- 2) He will not be able to sack ex-Federal Territories Minister, ISA (highest vote for Vice-President)
- 3) He will no be able to get rid of Tengku Mahaleel, ex Proton CEO (Dr.M's favorite)
- 4) He will not be able to cancel the crooked bridge project. (Dr.M's favorite project)
- 5) If Dr.M make more noise, then Badawi will allow Cherie Blair to come in for the Metramac case. Slowly and surely, Mahathir's loyalist and cronies will be eliminated, prosecuted and humiliated.
- 6) If Dr.M make more noise, then Badawi will allow more foreign cars to come in without tax so that Dr.M's favorite project (proton) will be eliminated from the face of the planet earth. (which is good for the rakyat)

That is why Rafidah is still there.

- 7) If Dr.M make more noise, allow more suit case against Tajudin Ramli, Halim Saad, Daim and all Dr.M's loyalist and cronies. Let the Law and people who uphold justice to go do battles against the Dr.M loyalist. I am very sure many people are willing to do that for free and for money.
- 8) If Dr.M make more noise, allow Anwar to proceed with the suit case against Dr.M
- 9) If Dr.M make more noise, allow Anwar to go for General Election 2008. When Anwar is in Parliament, then you really can see shit flying all over. Which is also good for the rakyat.

LIVE AND LET LIVE

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teruja3 said...

Dear chinaman,

If you were to know the truth about the traitor, you wouldn't want to even mention DSAI's name even in your dreams. Same goes with what the high court decide about the suit between DSAI & Dr.M, it will be good to see who's shit is flying. We see which shit that will fly, is it the imperialism shit or the wind of change for socialism? Do you thin that these names are Dr. M loyalist? They are just dinasours, anancondas, dragons, snakes, crocodile, alligators AKA imperialism bastards. Dr. M did say i quote "...I think it's my bad habit of choosing the wrong people." Well we are also should blame ourself by keep on eleccting the same people every election. Why are we complaining now? Live with it...!!!! Live in the now...!!!! I have my share of disappointment but we are here to find solution not take side for the sake of the individuals but for the country. They are driving the luxury cars, live in big houses, many mistress, squizzing us dry, break us up with racials remarks, make stupid decision on what the RAKYAT wants or don't want. They suppose to take care of us not let us mend ourself. What are they doing? Just supporting imperialism, make the jews richer and i notice they talk a LOT. Well it's your choice coming 2008... Equal rights through socialism or keep on complaining under imperialism design by the jews?

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