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Taib Mahmud speech

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Baik kita berubah, agar hidup lebih baik lagi.

Kita mahu ubah hidup rakyat, bukan semua jalan licin terus. Banyak susah, bukan susah apa, rakyat tidak faham.

Perintah mahu rakyat ubah cara hidup baru, sudah bersekolah, dapat pikir cara baru.

Sudah masanya kita berfikir, bukan tambah sikit, tambah sikit, tambah sikit. Sini ada 270 pintu, ambil census, berapa orang sudah ada gaji? Siapa cukup gaji untuk beli perumahan?

Siapa mampu bayar perumahan? Siapa cukup gaji untuk beli perumahan rendah, kita mahu semua cukup gaji, pendapatan tetap.

Lebih-lebih lagi, dapat kita ubah tempat ini macam Bandar kecil, boleh ada kedai, tempat orang bermiaga, tempat football, tempat library, tempat jalan, tempat parit, kalau dapat itu, pelan baru.

Kalau kamu setuju, nanti kamu cakap dengan Dato Seri Wong Soon Koh, sudah dia runding dengan kita, ada master plan.

Kalau kita setuju dengan Bandar kecil dengan plan, kita boleh, semua tanah yang ada situ, kita sukat, kita letak baru, dengan master plan semua, kalau bahagi tanah awal, boleh gaduh.
Kita beri amanah tanah, barang kali perintah boleh berunding dengan kita. Kalau kita setuju, perintah, mahu cara baru kah?

We give mandate of the land to government, probably we can negotiate with government, if we agreed. Do you want this new way?

We go for master plan. We negotiate first, whether agree with the plan. They got housing, not only housing, they got library, hall.

If agreed, Dato Seri Wong Soon Koh will provide the plan. We assume all the land here is for peoples here. We survey the land properly, but we don’t distribute the land first, OK or not? If not, we will fight.

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I got more money than I can ever spend. So I don’t care about money.

All my children now look after (my money), so I am giving you something very nice, everywhere you go, Mukah got plan baru, semua tempat bila setuju, plan baru semua.

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You have to leap, not crawling; others have already progress, already have a lot of graduates, they are comfortable now, you don’t have anything.

If you want, we can negotiate, ok? Agree?

If agreed, I can provide money which is enough for making a master plan.

I will take this as my project, but it will run by Dato Seri Wong Soon Koh.
Tapi, I give you something better, not something that you want. Because I know its not the best. You should have come to Dato Taib, Dato Taib fakir macam-macam.

Tapi you ikut second hand punya style, 2nd class punya, tidak berapa baguslah.

But I will give you something better, not something that you want. Because I know its not the best. You should have come to Dato Taib, Dato Taib thinks a lot.

But you follow 2nd hand thought, 2nd class one, not good enough.

If you have small town plan, you will see the world developing. Around us, a lot of Chinese land want to be developed. When land developed, our land price will increase. If we do not develop, our land have lower price, no benefit.

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People said that's a lot of money in the world. I have many friends all over the world. They are in Germany, Japan, China. We can talk, ask them to invest here.

They spend their money here, so that we can have hydro (dam), can have buildings and various projects.

For that to happens, we need a stabil government and united peoples. So, I hope we will continue to be stabil and united. Finally the dividen get from benefit will be channeled to the people.

Even in Stockolm (not sure), we had negotiated and they promised to invest 10 trillion, 30 thousand million, that is one and a half time government expenditure in the Malaysia plan.

In Mukah, we built an Aluminium factory with its length up to 1 mile. In 5 years time, it will provide 3000 job opportunities.
Itu sebab Mukah makin banyak rumah, semua investment orang dalam negeri dan luar negeri. That’s why there are a lot of housing scheme at Mukah. Investment come from our country or foreign countries.

We share the job, share the interest, disregard whether we are Chinese, Malay or what. The job must be done.

Because we want our nation to progress, it depends on good work. This is the modern way we are heading to, the politics of world economy.

World economy is for smart people, we will have more job opportunities, that’s a new world.

We have a lot of smart people already, they are smart in accountancy, smart in engineering, lawyer etc.

Every year, we the bumiputra are progressing, thousands of them graduated from universities. In Sarawak, we have 5 universities already, 4 were completed, another one in 2012, its University Taib. There are allocations for that, not lies.

This is the way we arrange our people lives, asking them to be smart and be open. Don’t concentrate only at village and long-houses.

This is a new world, people who are smart gonna win in their lives. This is a new custom (adapt), don’t use old custom (adapt lama) anymore, which is still cultivating hill rice, that is no progressing and no benefit.

If we stick to that, we will never be come out.
Kita semua mesti cuba untuk jalankan apa yang bagus. We must to be guarded in all our life, to achieve what is great, what is good for us and goodness can embed everybody.

Negeri Greece cukup maju, boleh bankrupt, apa sebab bankrupt? Perintah tak berani menjalankan polisi yang bagus untuk negeri.

Kalau rakyat nak demonstrasi, kalau demonstrasi makin besar, they burn the cars, they burn the buildings, jadi perintah tak berani bertindak.

Kalau perintah tak berani bertindak, apakah kekuatan rakyat? Rakyat tiada kekuatan kalau perintah tidak dapat mengambil tindakan bagus. Government like this make the people powerless, that’s why Greece is in trouble.

Kita demonstrasi besar-besar, kita lawan, tidak pernah di Sarawak. Tahun 13 Mei 1969, saya pergi kampong baru, jangan, negeri kita mesti aman.

Semenanjung ada 13 mei, kita tidak ada, kita aman, kita bersatu.

Ikut barisan nasional, kita jalan betul.

All of us should try to practice what is good. We must to be guarded in all our life, to achieve what is great, what is good for us and goodness can embed everybody.

Developed country like Greece can became bankrupt, why? Its government dare not impose policies which is good for the country.

If the people want demonstrations, if the demonstration become bigger, they burn the cars, they burn the buildings, so the government dare not taking action.

If government dare not taking action, where is peoples power? People will be powerless if the government cannot take good action. Government like this make the people powerless, that’s why Greece is in trouble.

Big demonstration and big fighting never happens in Sarawak. During 13th May 1969, I was at kampong Baru, no, our country must be save.

Peninsular had 13 may, we didn’t, we are save, we are united.

Follow barisan national, we are on the right path.