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Minister in the Prime Minister's Department (Economic Affairs) Datuk Seri Mustapa Mohamed (centre) at a press conference during the Malaysia Prihatin programme in Kota Baru, Kelantan, yesterday. With him are Minister in the Prime Minister's Department (Parliament and Law) Datuk Seri Takiyuddin Hassan (left) and Kelantan Menteri Besar Datuk Ahmad Yakob. PIC BY NIK ABDULLAH NIK OMAR

Mustapa: Economy is recovering, will stabilise by mid-year

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THE country's economy which has been affected by the Covid-19 pandemic is expected to stabilise by the middle of the year, says Minister in the Prime Minister's Department (Economic Affairs) Datuk Seri Mustapa Mohamed.

He said the economy has already shown signs of recovery.

"The Covid-19 pandemic has caused a lot

of people to lose their jobs, but the economy is slowly recovering. The government is doing its best to help the country as well as those affected by the pandemic," he said after attending the state-level Malaysia Prihatin programme here yesterday.

About 200 officers from both the state and federal governments attended the programme, which was launched by Kelantan Menteri Besar Datuk Ahmad Yakob.

Also present was Minister in the Prime Minister's Department (Parliament and Law) Datuk Seri Takiyuddin Hassan.