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Speech by Inche Buang bin Omar Junid, Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Social Affairs, on the opening of the 5th Singapore Kart Prix on Sunday, 17th August, 1969 at Shenton Way

Mr. President, Ladies & Gentlemen,

I am honoured to have been invited to open the 5th Singapore Kart Prix as part of the events of the Pesta Sukan in celebration of the 150th Anniversary of the founding of Singapore.

2. The organisers recognising the significance of the occasion have gone to great efforts in getting participation from a large number of countries and I am glad to note that top karters from eleven countries are competing in the event. With such a large number of competitors from so many countries today's Kart Prix will provide a spectacle not easily forgotten by Karting fans.

3. I would like to take this opportunity to extend a warm welcome to the Karters from abroad and hope that their stay in Singapore during this festive period will be a memorable one.

4. I have great pleasure in declaring the 5th Singapore Kart Prix open.