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## MSM's Q3 pre-tax profit rises to RM84.5m

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However, its impact was cushioned by higher sales in the industries segment, it said.

President/group chief executive officer, Datuk Sheikh Awab Sheikh Abod, said while the industry has its challenges, MSM is on track to achieve its 2015 target.

The company, however, remained cautiously optimistic for next year.

"The aggressive plans to increase our market share will enable us to remain at the forefront in the local market as we advance further by tapping regional markets," he said.

MSM has declared an interim dividend of 12 sen per share for the third quarter. **Bernama**



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