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TERENGGANU Hockey Team (THT) ended Tenaga Nasional Thunderstar's unbeaten run with a 2-1 win in the Malaysia Hockey League (MHL) at TNB Hockey Stadium, Uniten, Putrajaya, yesterday.

Despite the defeat, Tenaga Nasional, powered by 12 national players, recorded 10 wins, a draw and a defeat in the seven-team league to win the league title.

Last year's league champions THT finished runners-up with eight wins, three draws and one defeat.

In yesterday's match, Nik Aiman Nik Rozemi gave Tenaga the lead in the fourth minute from a field goal but a minute later THT equalised through Firhan Ashari.

Luqman Nul Hakim Ahmad Shukran scored the winning goal for THT in the 49th minute off a penalty corner.

Tenaga, THT and Maybank have secured a place in the two-round semi-finals on Dec 2 and 4.

Tenaga Nasional coach Madzli Ikmar said they had already won the league title even before facing THT. **Aftar Singh**



Tenaga Nasional Thunderstar team celebrating their MHL triumph at TNB Hockey Stadium in Putrajaya yesterday. NSTP PIC BY HARI ANGGARA

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