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POISON-PEN LETTERS FOCUS OF ATTENTION AT UMNO ASSEMBLY

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KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 6. (Bernama) -- Poison-pen letters are a hot topic among delegates to the ongoing Umno general assembly here.

Following are quotes from several Umno leaders and delegates on the matter:

+Poison-pen letters containing allegations and party secrets are being circulated. +- Umno President Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad when delivering his keynote address.

+In industrial development, there is already an industry which is churning out poison-pen letters. This can bring down the party and must be fought to the end, +- Johor, Menteri Besar Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin when speaking to reporters during a break in the assembly.

+What is funny is that the poison-pen letters to members in Sabah were accurately addressed. Maybe there is a leak at the head-office. +- delegate Abdul Ghafoor Salleh from Sabah while debating the motion of thanks to the President for his address.

+I think Umno Secretary-General Datuk Mohamed Rahmat is not involved in the +surat layang+ (poison-pen letters)...as Information Minister he can use +televisyenterbang+ (flying televisions). +- delegate Datuk Abdul Rashid Ngah from Terengganu.

+Umno members must use poison-pen letters as fuel or wrapping paper. +- delegate Shahidan Kassim from Perlis. -- Bernama

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