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EDUCATION FRATERNITY ADVISED TO BE CALM OVER ANWAR'S ISSUE

MUAR, Sept 26 (Bernama) -- Menteri Besar Datuk Abdul Ghani Othman today said the education fraternity should not be over-emotional over the sacking of Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim from the government and Umno.

They should instead serve as model to those in schools and universities on the question of upholding the truth, he told reporters after officiating the Speech and Prize-giving Day of Sekolah Menengah Ledang, Tangkak, near here.

"Since the court determines justice, we should all be patient and wait for the fact of the case," he said.

Ghani said the education fraternity should not be emotionally involved by taking to the street or creating uneasiness among the people.

Such actions would only provide ammunition to foreign media to shoot down the country as a place of chaos and disorder, he said.

On Umno members in Johor, Abdul Ghani who is also state Umno chief said they accepted Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad's action in dismissing his deputy.

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