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WANITA UMNO ADOPTS FIVE-POINT "LANGKAWI DECLARATION"

LANGKAWI, Nov 28 (Bernama) -- The Wanita Umno today adopted a five-point "Langkawi Declaration" aimed at enhancing the movement's determination to face the political and economic challenges, its leader Datuk Dr Siti Zaharah Sulaiman said.

She said the declaration, among others, called for loyalty to Umno and its leaders and strengthening of their religious foundation.

The declaration would be submitted to Prime Minister and Umno President Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and the Supreme Council, the party's highest decision-making body, she said.

Dr Siti Zaharah, who is Deputy Health Minister, was speaking to reporters after the opening of a programme for Wanita Umno leaders to enhance their Islamic values by Minister in the Prime Minister's Department Datuk Dr Abdul Hamid Othman.

Seventy Wanita Umno divisional leaders attended the programme.

In his speech, Dr Abdul Hamid called for continued commitment and cooperation among party leaders and members to ensure Umno remained in power.

He said Umno members must give importance to the party and not be carried away by personal problems of certain leaders.

"We cannot be obsessed with a party leader to the extent of jeopardising the party," he said.

Umno leaders with personal problems must leave the party as such problems cannot be linked with the party, he added.

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