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Johor Umno convention postponed

JOHOR BARU, Thurs. - This year's Johor Umno convention, originally scheduled for Saturday and Sunday in Batu Pahat, has been postponed to a new date to be decided later.

This is in line with the call by party president and Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad that all State-level Umno conventions be postponed until after the May general assembly.

A Johor Umno spokesman said yesterday: "We abide by this decision."

The annual Johor Umno convention has traditionally been held a few weeks ahead of the party's general assembly.

The spokesman also said that the Johor Umno liaison committee would deliberate further on the no-campaigning ruling in the run-up to the party elections.

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