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BN SUPREME COUNCIL TO MEET WITHIN A WEEK

KUALA LUMPUR, March 19 -- The next Barisan Nasional (BN) Supreme Council meeting, where the Jalan Klang Lama clashes are expected to be discussed, will be held within a week.

"As soon as possible...within this week," Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad said when asked on the date of the meeting.

Dr Mahathir, who is the BN chairman, was speaking to reporters after chairing the BN pre-council meeting at Parliament House.

The BN Supreme Council met only last Friday but due to insufficient time to discuss certain issues, there was a call to hold another meeting.

BN secretary-general Datuk Mohamed Rahmat said after that meeting that the coming meeting would discuss several issues involving national interests including the recent clashes among residents in several settlements off Jalan Klang Lama in South Petaling Jaya.

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