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DAP plan on 'Malaysia as an Islamic State'

PETALING JAYA, Wed. - All State DAP liaison committees have been directed to organise programmes to create awareness among members and the public on the announcement that Malaysia is an Islamic State.

Secretary-general Kerk Kim Hock said the programmes, which would run for three months, could be in the form of dialogues, dinners, or publication of books and documents.

"The DAP decided that there is an urgent need to create awareness of Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad's announcement that Malaysia is an Islamic State," he said after the party's central executive committee meeting tonight. Kerk said that many did not see the far-reaching implications of the announcement and the issue was not about Umno's or Pas' brand of Islamic State.

"The issue is whether the country should continue as a secular democratic nation or an Islamic State."

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