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DON'T QUESTION ISLAMIC COUNTRY'S STATUS OF MALAYSIA, PAS TOLD

KOTA BAHARU, Oct 3 (Bernama) -- Kelantan Umno Youth said today PAS should not be questioning the status of Malaysia as an Islamic country.

Its leader, Mohd Rujhan Salleh said all the 58 member countries of the Organisation of Islamic Conference (OIC) had recognised Malaysia not only as an Islamic country but developed and a model to others.

"This shows that there is no truth to claim of the contrary by PAS leaders," he told reporters here.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad had when opening the 30th delegates conference of Gerakan last Saturday announced that Malaysia is an Islamic country.

But PAS president Datuk Fadzil Noor disagreed and wanted the announcement to be made in Parliament.

Mohd Rujhan also took PAS to task for all its rhetoric about an Islamic state when nothing was being done in Kelantan and Terengganu.

He said that if PAS was sincere it should enforce the Hudud law which had been passed in the two states.

"We challenge PAS to enforce the Hudud law if they are sincere to the people," he said.

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