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ABIM TO HELP SYED RAZAK MEETS PAS SUPPORTERS

ALOR STAR, Dec 18 (Bernama) -- The Malaysian Islamic Youth Movement (ABIM) in Kedah will help the state government in its efforts to explain to PAS supporters the "Kedah Maju 2010" programme.

Its president, Ahmad Kassim said it would arrange meetings and dialogue sessions between Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Syed Razak Syed Zain and PAS supporters in the state.

"It is part of efforts by ABIM to unite Muslims, based on a common desire to bring progress to the state," he said at a news conference after calling on Syed Razak at Wisma Darul Aman, here today.

Ahmad said it would not be beneficial to the state if the people allowed their political differences to stand in the way of progress.

He said ABIM had prior to this succeeded at the national level in bringing together Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and the late PAS President Datuk Fadzil Noor on the issue of Palestine.

Syed Razak meanwhile said the state government welcomed efforts by non-governmental organisations (NGOs) to explain to the people truth about the programme.

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