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Pas moving towards extremism

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PAS' blueprint for an Islamic state is hilarious. I laughed myself silly when I read about it. How could Pas ever hope to implement it? No doubt, it will pull in votes from Muslims, but how many?

Right from the beginning, when Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad had a Look East policy, Pas had its pandang ke akhirat (looking to the hereafter) policy. Its actions contradict what it says.

"We must pandang ke akhirat, and we only pray and sleep (perhaps that is what Pas stands for)," says Pas spiritual leader Datuk Nik Aziz Nik Mat.

Then, at another ceramah, he said: "We shall bring Malaysia to a new height of advancement."

How do you expect Malaysia to improve with your pandang ke akhirat policy? It's hilarious.

And now, we have its blueprint. Where has it been? Perhaps in a different Malaysia where the Constitution does not exist? Or perhaps in its own dreamworld of Islamic extremism?

Apparently, the Pas administration is befuddled by the Quran. I don't recall reading a passage in the Quran saying that only ugly women can work. Also I never read that women have almost no rights in the Islamic world.

I was under the impression that Prophet Muhammad was the first person in the world to fight for women's rights.

The blueprint for an Islamic state is the last straw. I have been watching the political growth of our country for a long time. The blueprint clearly calls for the implementation of an extremist ideology, and the sooner it implements that, the sooner Malaysia will be Talibanised.

Pas could be likened to the Taliban. Minus the guns, the Taliban would be reduced to an empty talking political group bent on making the rest of the non-Islamic world "infidels".

I would start calling my Chinese and Indian friends infidels who needed to be killed or converted. That, apparently, is the ideal for Pas and the Taliban.

Pas is taking a step towards extremism, and we Malaysians (especially Malays) should be careful.

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