

**Mat Sabu: PAS candidate the one with the rocket**  
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PAS' deputy president Mohamad Sabu has dismissed independent Bukit Gelugor candidate and PAS member Mohamed Nabi Bux, saying he is not the party's candidate.

Mohamad, better known as Mat Sabu said, "Yes, we will be putting forward a candidate.

"But our candidate is a DAP candidate. Whoever from PAS says he wants to contest, he is not our candidate," he said.

"We will only recognise the candidate with the rocket symbol," Mat Sabu said at the launching of DAP's operations centre today for the Bukit Gelugor by-election, slated for May 25.

Mat Sabu said PAS will be launching its operations centre to support the DAP in the by-election.

"On Monday, nomination day, PAS president Abdul Hadi Awang will be present to show support for DAP," he said.

At the event today DAP unveiled its candidate, Karpal's son Ramkarpal Singh.

Yesterday, Mohamed Nabi, 63, declared his candidacy saying he wants to fight for hudud law and an Islamic state in Penang.

However, Penang PAS leaders have denied knowledge of his candidacy.

The seat fell vacant after the tragic death of its MP and DAP national chairperson Karpal Singh in a fatal car crash on Apr 17.

The seat was Karpal's stronghold, having won it thrice against MCA.

Last year in the May 5 general election he retained the seat with a 42,706 majority vote against MCA's Teh Beng Yeam.