

DAP: Reject Nabi Bux for his lies about Guan Eng
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BUKIT GELUGOR Bukit Gelugor Independent candidate Mohamed Nabi Bux Mohd Nabi Sathar's remark that Chief Minister Lim Guan Eng supports hudud did not go down well with the DAP.

Lim's political secretary Wong Hon Wai strongly condemned Nabi Bux for "lying" about the matter in a press conference the latter held in Taman Tun Sardon yesterday while on his campaign trail.

"He lied and cannot back his statement with evidence that Lim supports hudud in Malaysia," said Wong, who is also Air Itam assemblyperson.

Wong (left) said that Lim had, in his capacity as chief minister and DAP's secretary-general, rejected the proposal by PAS to table a Private Member's Bill in Parliament in June on the implementation of hudud law in Kelantan.

"Lim had also said that hudud will not be implemented in Penang, and the statement had been reported in the media," added Wong.

"Nabi Bux lied maliciously and his candidacy should be rejected by Bukit Gelugor voters," added Wong.

Wong was referring to Nabi Bux's remark yesterday that Lim "secretly" supports the implementation of hudud in Malaysia as he had never truly rejected it.

The retiree, who claims to be a PAS member, said that Lim would support hudud 100 percent for political interests.

PAS has disclaimed Nabi Bux's membership and is planning to refer him to the party's disciplinary board if he insists he is a member.

Even when told that Lim had publicly said "No" to the implementation of the Islamic criminal law, Nabi Bux said that Lim supported hudud to win the hearts of PAS leaders.

Nabi Bux uses the theme 'Hudud in Penang 2020' to woo the hearts of Malay Muslim voters, but the Bukit Gelugor seat is at least 75 percent Chinese majority.

He is up against popular candidate DAP's Ramkarpal Singh, Parti Cinta Malaysia's Huan Cheng Guan and another Independent candidate, Abu Backer Sidek Mohd Zan.

The seat fell vacant on April 17 following the death of its MP Karpal Singh who won the seat thrice against the MCA since 2004.

All eyes are on whether the DAP can retain the seat with a similar or higher majority, as the late DAP national chairperson had retained it with a thumping majority votes of 41,778 against MCA's Teh Beng Yeap.

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