

Anwar's former aide stopped from holding PC
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KLANG - A group of men stormed a press conference by a former special assistant of Anwar Ibrahim at a restaurant here Wednesday, to prevent him from making allegations against the PKR adviser.

According to *The Star*, Rahimi Othman had earlier informed the media that he would be making some revelations about Anwar at the press conference here.

However, Rahimi and a lawyer were not allowed to speak when a group of PKR members barged into the venue around 4pm.

The group, led by K. Suresh Kumar, who is Anwar's special assistant in charge of Indian affairs, demanded that Rahimi leave the place immediately and told him not to discredit Anwar.

According to online news portal, Malaysian Insider, Rahimi had made a police report earlier which alleged that he was forced to sign two statutory declarations by PKR information chief Latheefa Koya as well as party members at a hotel back in June 2008.

"I was forced to sign two statutory declarations on June 2008 about Anwar and Saiful. The declaration was not true because I did not write it," Rahimi was quoted as saying in the report.

The news portal reported that the former aide also claimed that he was forced to stay at the hotel for a few days after signing the statutory declarations.

Meanwhile, Klang Selatan police chief ACP Mohamad Mat Yusop confirmed that the report was made by Rahimi at the Klang Selatan police headquarters, and that the matter was handed over to the Shah Alam police headquarters as the letter was signed at a Shah Alam hotel.

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