

Another medical report of Saiful exists, court told
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KUALA LUMPUR - Another medical report exists that contains more details of Mohd Saiful Bukhari Azlan's medical history and examination, the High Court was told Monday.

Hospital Kuala Lumpur (HKL) general surgeon Dr Mohd Razali Ibrahim told the court that there was another "initial report" which had been prepared and signed by all three HKL doctors who had presided over Mohd Saiful's case.

He said this when cross-examined by Opposition Leader Anwar Ibrahim's lawyer, Karpal Singh.

When asked if this report was separate from the one dated July 13, 2008, and prepared prior to it, Dr Mohd Razali replied: "Yes."

Karpal then applied to the court for that document to be made available in court, The Star reported.

Earlier, Dr Mohd Razali said investigating officer Supt Jude Pereira was also present during Mohd Saiful's three-hour medical examination on June 28.

Karpal: Why was he there? What role did he have?

Dr Mohd Razali: As this was considered a medico-legal case (pertaining to both medicine and law), the police would be informed. A police officer has to be there to make sure there is a proper chain of events, to make sure all the specimens are taken properly.

Anwar, 63, has claimed trial to a charge of sodomising Mohd Saiful, 25, at Desa Damansara Condominium in Jalan Setiakasih, Bukit Damansara, here, on June 26, 2008.

Leading the prosecution is Solicitor-General II Datuk Mohd Yusof Zainal Abiden, while Karpal is leading the defence team.

Hearing continues Tuesday. — *The Star*

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