

# Nik Aziz wants party polls postponed

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**KOTA BARU:** PAS spiritual leader Datuk Nik Abdul Aziz Nik Mat feels it would be better to postpone the party's elections in June to concentrate on the general election.

He said party elections could distract from preparations for the general elections, if snap polls are called.

"This is my personal opinion. We do not want to be distracted from the ultimate aim which is a strong showing in the general election," he told a press conference, adding that it was up to the party leadership to make the final decision.

PAS deputy president Nasaruddin Mat Isa said the party would discuss the matter at this Sunday's central

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working committee meeting.

Earlier, Nik Abdul Aziz said he was dismayed at not being invited to talk about social ills, especially on drug abuse, at schools.

"The campaign to fight drug abuse must involve everybody, including the Opposition," he said.

Asked about a report that children in Kelantan lack nutrients compares to those in other states, he said the problem could be the traditional way food in which the food is prepared.