

DAP rep spared further bashing

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SHAH ALAM: The final day of the Selangor State Assembly sitting for this year went smoothly yesterday without any brouhaha despite speculation that DAP representative Ng Suee Lim would be given a hard time for not practising what he preached.

On Tuesday, Ng, the Sekinchan assemblyman, had been busy criticising several backbenchers for various alleged misdemeanours when Permatang assemblyman Datuk Abdul

Aziz Mohd Noh pointed out Ng's own wrongdoings.

Abdul Aziz produced evidence which revealed that Ng, who owned a mini market called Prihatin in Section 9 here, had himself contravened several council by-laws.

Luckily for Ng, he was spared further bashing by Barisan Nasional assemblymen.

In his winding-up speech, Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Dr Mohd Khir Toyo reminded everyone to be responsible and

pay the various taxes owed to the local councils.

"It is our duty to pay taxes such as land assessment. Some register but do not make the necessary payments," he said.

He also reminded the relevant parties to be sincere in carrying out their responsibilities and to avoid falling prey to bribery and corruption.

Earlier, among the hot topics discussed were ways to "rehabilitate" youths involved in Mat

Rempit activities.

Dr Mohd Khir said the state Youth and Sports Department had formulated various activities for Mat Rempit.

They include programmes on Islam Hadhari, leadership courses, business opportunity seminars and workshops.

To a question by Sungai Air Tawar assemblyman Abdul Rahman Bakri if the state government would provide rinks for Mat Rempit, Dr Mohd Khir said:

"Currently rinks are available for Mat Rempit at the Rakan Muda complexes in Sementa, Klang, and Puchong as well as at the Selangor Cultural Complex in Section 7."