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## Dr M's former aide wants action against Justice Chin

**KUALA LUMPUR:** High Court judge Datuk Ian Chin should be removed for the statement he had made recently.

The former political secretary to former prime minister Tun Dr

Mahathir Mohamad also challenged Justice Chin to a public debate on the issue he had raised, such as the claim that judges were threatened by the executive during a Judges' Conference in 1997.

He questioned why Chin had only made the statement now.

"I challenge him to cite me for contempt of his court. "And I intend to lodge a police report against him.

"If it was at all true, he should have

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lodge a report with the police," he told a press conference at his office here yesterday.

He called on Chief Justice Tun Abdul Hamid Mohamad to conduct an immediate investigation into the

matter and expose what actually had happened in the conference of judges held in 1997.

"He used the words 'boot camp' and 'indoctrinated.' Since when did Malaysia indoctrinate anyone?"