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No intention to challenge Najib for posts, says Muhyiddin

KUALA LUMPUR: Umno deputy president Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin denied that he had any intention to challenge Umno president and Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak's positions in the party and government.

Instead, the former deputy prime minister said his criticisms on various issues were made out of sincerity for the party's wellbeing and the rakyat's future.

Muhyiddin said he gave the advice after seeing wrongdoings in the government administration.

"It is not about picking a fight with the party president. My criticisms were because there were wrongdoings in the administration and for the party's wellbeing," he said.

Muhyiddin spoke to *Berita Harian* yesterday evening after attending a debate on the presidential policy speech at Putra World Trade Centre. He left unnoticed from the convention centre in a multipurpose vehicle at 6.10pm.

Earlier in the day, he had attended the opening of the Umno general assembly by the party president.