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# Dr M-Anwar meet 'insignificant'

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unease within PKR, says Nur Jazlan

**PUTRAJAYA:** The meeting between Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad and PKR de facto chief Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim at the Kuala Lumpur High Court on Monday will not be able to strengthen the opposition pact in

the 14th general election (GE14), said Umno supreme council member Datuk Nur Jazlan Mohamed.

"Mahathir met Anwar to court PKR supporters. However, many of them left Umno because of what he

did to Anwar. They don't like what Mahathir did when he was prime minister.

"His meeting with Anwar will turn off PKR supporters. He is helping Umno and BN. The meeting might create unease among PKR members and cause them to leave PKR," he said after officiating at the Home Ministry's "Security Psychology" seminar

here yesterday, Bernama reported.

In 1998, Mahathir sacked Anwar as deputy prime minister. Later, Anwar was also dismissed from Umno.

MIC National Youth leader C. Sivarraajh questioned Mahathir's principles, saying the former prime minister only wanted Anwar's Pakatan Harapan as a network to support his Parti Pribumi.

Meanwhile, G. SURACH reports that Parti Amanah Negara communications director Khalid Samad said the handshake between Mahathir and Anwar could be the boost the opposition pact needed for its future.

"When there is a reconciliation between both leaders, their potential combo ensures a better opposition bloc," he added.