



Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim speaking at the Jelajah Perpaduan Madani event held at the Tuanku Abdul Rahman Stadium in Paroi on Tuesday night. BERNAMA PIC

MACC said it's a 'big case', says PM

SEREMBAN: Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim said the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC) had informed him that the allegation of corruption and misappropriation of funds involving the son-in-law of former prime minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin, Datuk Muhammad Adlan Berhan, was a "big case".

The prime minister said MACC chief commissioner Tan Sri Azam Baki had called to inform him that Adlan had reneged on a promise to return after he was allowed to leave the country to handle some matters overseas.

Anwar said that during the call, Azam informed him that Adlan was implicated in a "big case".

"During my journey from Sungai Long to Cuah, Port Dickson, I received a call from the chief commissioner of the MACC (Azam) that Muhyiddin's son-in-

law had run away, so I asked, where has he run off to?

"I asked if it was a small or big case, he (Azam) told me that it was a big case.

"They have carried out investigations and have ... given notice.

"Then I asked how could he (Adlan) have left the country? (Azam) said that Adlan had said he was leaving the country but that he would return.

"He has not kept his word and has yet to return," said Anwar at the Negeri Sembilan Jelajah Perpaduan Madani event at the Tuanku Abdul Rahman Stadium in Paroi on Tuesday night.

MACC on Monday said it was looking for two men to help in its investigations into alleged corruption and misappropriation of funds concerning a project on the registration and storage of for-

eign workers' biometric data at a ministry.

The graft-busters said one of the individuals was Adlan, 48, whose last known address was Lot 65, Sunway Kiara Hills, Jalan 32/70A Desa Sri Hartamas, Kuala Lumpur.

The other individual was Mansoor Saat, 69, whose last known address was No 5, Jalan SS19/1C Subang Jaya, Selangor.

Anwar said he did not want to pass judgment on Muhyiddin's son in-law and would leave it to the judiciary.

"If he does not return then what happens is we give due notice. But the judge will decide where the investigation process is concerned.

"We do not even know whether it is an innocent or guilty verdict yet, it's just that he (Azam) said that there was a case," he said.