

No interference in MACC probe on Bersatu, says PM

PUTRAJAYA: Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim government under his leadership does not interfere in investigations carried out by any law enforcers, including the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC) against Bersatu.



Anwar with Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Fadillah Yusof and Transport Minister Anthony Loke. - **BERNAMAPIC**

Commission (MACC) against Bersatu.

Speaking after chairing the weekly Cabinet meeting here yesterday, Anwar said the investigation, enforcement and judiciary bodies remain independent to carry out their respective probes.

He said it was irresponsible for the opposition party to make accusations against the unity government relating to the issue.

"We will not do what they did and we will not use these (investigation and enforcement) bodies," he said.

On Wednesday, Bersatu secretary-general Datuk Seri Hamzah Zainudin was reported as saying the party is disappointed with the Pakatan Harapan-Barisan Nasional government's move to use a government agency to achieve its political aim of killing the credibility of Bersatu and Perikatan Nasional to achieve their political agenda.

MACC chief commissioner Tan Sri Azam Baki had also confirmed that the graft busters have frozen Bersatu's accounts to investigate funds believed to have been obtained from illegal proceeds.

On the probe against Bersatu, Anwar said there were reports made to police and the MACC on the use of funds by the party. - Bernama