



Yang di-Pertuan Agong Al-Sultan Abdullah Ri'ayatuddin Al-Mustafa Billah Shah has decreed that Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim and the Madani government should continue leading the country, PIC FROM DATUK SERI ANWAR IBRAHIM'S FB PAGE

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PM: King to stay away from political play

KUALA LUMPUR: Yang di-Pertuan Agong Al-Sultan Abdullah Ri'ayatuddin Al-Mustafa Billah Shah yesterday decreed that Istana Negara will not be involved in any political play, said Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim.

The king has also decreed that Anwar and the Madani government should continue their work in governing the country.

These were among the key messages imparted to the prime minister during his pre-cabinet audience with Al-Sultan Abdullah at Istana Negara yesterday.

"Today, as per custom, I was granted an audience with Yang di-Pertuan Agong Al-Sultan Abdullah Ri'ayatuddin Al-Mustafa Billah Shah to brief him on the cabinet papers and discuss various developments.

"He decreed that I, as the prime minister, and for the Madani government to

continue the task of governing the country. He also decreed that the palace will not get involved in any political manoeuvring," he said on Facebook yesterday.

In the same post, Anwar said that should there be any proposals from any party to donate RM500 million or RM750 million, it should be directly channelled to the the poor and needy in the country.

Prior to this, a number of opposition leaders had claimed that they had gathered enough statutory declarations (SDs) to change the federal government.

A viral message had also circulated on social media, claiming that the Yang di-Pertuan Agong had consented to grant an audience to 118 members of parliament to present their respective SDs.

However, the opposition on Saturday denied the message and labelled it as false.