

Anwar, with Mah Sing CEO Tan Sri Leong Hoy Kum, looking at a model of the Residensi Suria Madani at the ground-breaking ceremony for the project in Taman Desa yesterday. - **BERNAMAPIC**



Don't politicise Muhyiddin's case, says PM

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KUALA LUMPUR: The prosecution of Perikatan Nasional chairman Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin for an offence under the Sedition Act should not be used to generate political sentiments, said Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim.

He said this is because the police received the report on Muhyiddin's alleged seditious remarks directly from the Pahang palace.

"So, he (Muhyiddin) shouldn't turn it around and politicise it.

"He broke the law and crossed the line, so he has to deal with it. Reports were made and the police acted on it. Even the inspector-general of police took follow-up action," Anwar said at the groundbreaking ceremony for the **Residensi Suria Madani** project in Taman Desa yesterday.

He was responding to Opposition Leader Datuk Seri Hamzah Zainudin's allegation that Anwar and Pakatan Harapan (PH) leaders were hypocrites for using the Sedition Act against Muhyiddin.

In a post on his Facebook page on Wednesday, the Bersatu secretary-general also claimed that Anwar and PH had repeatedly and cruelly used the Sedition Act after coming into power to pressure and oppress their political opponents.

Muhyiddin recently pleaded not guilty in the Gua Musang Sessions Court to a charge of making seditious remarks during the campaign for the Nenggiri by-election in Kelantan on Aug 14, Bernama reported.

Meanwhile, Anwar said the development of new **Madani** housing projects must include

aspects of living comfort, green areas, recreational facilities and essential public amenities, including **Madani** stalls for petty traders and hawkers.

"Every housing project for low and medium-income groups must be able to provide them with living comfort. There should be a little green area, a playground for children, a hall and house of worship.

"These are some of the must-haves that should be set (for the developers)."

Anwar said he wants the progress update of each **Madani** housing project in the capital to be presented periodically to the Federal Territories Department and Kuala Lumpur City Hall.

"Let's not take it lightly. I want the progress reports and all suggestions to be recorded so that we know when the meeting was held, how many departments were involved and how fast the approval was given.

"This must apply to all new projects. If the project is postponed or delayed, there should be a good reason for that."