

**PAS-DUMC meeting postponed**  
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KUALA LUMPUR, Aug 16 — The PAS meeting with the Damansara Utama Methodist Church (DUMC) on the recent Selangor Islamic Religious Department (Jais) raid has been postponed indefinitely.

PAS secretary-general Datuk Mustafa Ali said he received a letter from DUMC yesterday requesting that the meeting, scheduled for this afternoon, be postponed.

He said in the letter the church expressed concerned that as the issue was now the focus of attention, the proposed meeting could be interpreted in all sorts of manner.

The church asked that the meeting be held on another date to be determined later, he added.

“The church will inform PAS of the next date,” Mustafa said.

DUMC has been in the news in recent weeks following the Jais raid on a thanksgiving dinner organised by NGO Harapan Komuniti on the church premises in Petaling Jaya.

The multiracial dinner was attended by about 100 people, including about a dozen Muslims.

Jais has since denied it raided the church, but had only conducted an “inspection”.

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