

**Opposition Assemblymen Should Seek Clarification From 'Sinar Harian' - Zambry Bernama
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IPOH, Aug 17 (Bernama) -- Opposition assemblymen in Perak should have approached 'Sinar Harian' for clarification before lodging a police report on a statement by the State deputy police chief, Datuk Zakaria Yusof.

Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Dr Zambry Abdul Kadir said he believed the use of words in the headline of a report published in the newspaper on Aug 15 was made by the editor of the newspaper and not Zakaria.

"I don't understand. They don't even ask Sinar Harian, but to just blame the state deputy police chief. They should have asked 'Sinar Harian' the reason for using such a headline. What is wrong if the police are just giving an advice," he told reporters here Wednesday.

Yesterday, the opposition state assemblymen, led by Datuk Seri Mohammad Nizar Jamaluddin, lodged a police report over a front-page report of the Aug 15 'Sinar Harian' with the title "Jaga Adab" (Mind Your Manners) which contained Zakaria's statement on the goings on during last Sunday State Assembly sitting.

In the police report, Mohammad Nizar wanted Zakaria to apologise for making the statement.

Zambry regarded the act by the opposition assemblymen's in lodging the police report as looking for cheap publicity.

The menteri besar was met by reporters after presenting duit raya of RM150 each to 105 children, a programme organised by Yayasan Bina Upaya.

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