

Ministry asks Wanita PKR to prove claims over 6P
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KUALA LUMPUR (Aug 19, 2011): The Home Ministry has asked Parti Keadilan Rakyat (PKR) Wanita chief Zuraida Kamaruddin to prove her allegation that the Barisan Nasional was using the 6P amnesty programme to secure more votes in the general election.

The ministry's secretary-general said the allegation was serious.

"The programme is a national initiative with no political motive. It is to obtain biometric data of illegal immigrants for security purpose and to deal with falsification of identification and travel documents," he said in a statement.

Zuraida claimed, among others, that foreigners were forced to sign pledge of allegiance to Umno and Barisan Nasional before being granted amnesty under the programme.

Mahmmod said the biometric data would help strengthen the country's enforcement capability.

"There will be no compromise in the 6P programme," he said. – Bernama

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