

PSC Chairman: Proposed Views Practical And Will Be Studied
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KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 11 (Bernama) -- Parliamentary Select Committee (PSC) chairman Datuk Seri Dr Maximus Ongkili described the views proposed Friday at its first public hearing on electoral reforms as practical and said they will be studied further.

He said 12 organisations and individuals came forward with their proposals, which included a few repeated views, such as the automatic registration system and overseas voters.

Ongkili hoped that the public would come forth with many more productive ideas and solutions during the next five public sessions.

Among those who presented their proposals today were the Selangor Youth Council, MCA, Transparency International-Malaysia, Putera MIC, Malaysian Association for the Blind, Ex-Policemen Association, Young Malaysian Movement and two individuals, K.J John and Annie Ooi Siew Lan.

Earlier in the session, Election Commission (EC) deputy secretary (Research) Harun Che Su explained that overseas Malaysians are required to pre-register as postal voters to enable them to vote.

Harun said they can register at the nearest Malaysian Embassy anytime before the general elections.

Harun was responding to Ongkili who wanted to know the voting procedure for Malaysians residing overseas.

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