

**EC Preparations Draw Speculation On Polls Date**  
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KUCHING, April 9 (Bernama) -- Election Commission (EC) chairman Tan Sri Abd Aziz Mohd Yusof's remarks on Monday, on preparations for the 13th General Election (GE) has sparked speculation among media members here that the polls could be held in June this year.

When he said EC would be finalising preparations for the GE in June, it immediately drew questions from the media on whether the election would be held by then.

"Administratively, I am making preparations for my officers by June...but I am not saying that the election will not be held before June," he told a news conference after officiating a briefing for returning officers and their assistants here.

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