

Seat Allocation: Terengganu PKR Accepts Being Treated As Beggars
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KUALA TERENGGANU, April 14 (Bernama) -- The Terengganu Parti Keadilan Rakyat (PKR) leadership has no choice but to accept PAS' decision of offering it five state seats and two parliamentary seats to contest in the coming 13th general election.

Its chairman Azan Ismail said "if PKR is regarded as beggars, then beggars can't be choosers.

"We just have to accept what is given to us. What can we say if PAS sees itself as a terrific and stronger party?

"I am also surprised why the statement on the decision was made by the PAS central Education Bureau chairman and not by the party's top leadership," he said when contacted, here, today.

Azan was asked to comment on the statement by bureau chairman Datuk Abu Bakar Chik yesterday, openly admitting that Terengganu Pas was stronger than its PKR counterpart in facing the coming general election.

In this regard, PAS will only allow PKR to field not more than seven candidates (five for state seats and two for parliamentary seats) in the coming elections.

Before this, Terengganu PKR had announced its intention to contest 11 state seats and three parliamentary seats in the opposition's attempt to wrest the state from Barisan Nasional.

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