

Wan Ahmad Denies Being Umno Member
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KUALA LUMPUR, April 27 (Bernama) -- Election Commission (EC) Deputy Chairman Datuk Wan Ahmad Wan Omar denied allegations by the opposition that he is an Umno member.

He said this was a slander deliberately spread by the opposition in an effort to win the support of the people.

"I have not been in Umno since joining the EC on May 1, 1998," he said via the short messaging service to Bernama today.

Wan Ahmad was commenting on the statement by PKR secretary-general Saifuddin Nasution Ismail who claimed that he was a member of the Kubang Bunggor Umno branch in Pasir Mas, Kelantan while EC Chairman Tan Sri Abdul Aziz Yusof was a member of the Sri Ampang Baru Umno branch (Ampang division).

Wan Ahmad pointed out that the move by the opposition clearly showed that they were becoming more desperate and running out of issues to win the people's support.

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