

Give Us Room To Carry Out The Process Of Justice - IGP
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KUALA LUMPUR, May 2 (Bernama) -- Inspector- General of Police Tan Sri Ismail Omar asked the media and public to give the police room to investigate on the gathering at Dataran Merdeka, on Saturday.

He said many reports were received including about people being roughened up by police who were breaking up the gathering by opposition-backed non-government organisations after they ignored court order not to intrude into Dataran Merdeka.

He said policemen were also hurt while four police vehicles were damaged during the gathering.

"We are scrutinising numerous reports given to us. Do not easily jump to your own conclusion. This is because justice and police investigations take time," he said in a speech at a Meet the Media ceremony, here, today.

On Saturday, police thwarted an attempt by participants of the gathering to intrude into Dataran Merdeka after they ignored the Magistrate's ban on public presence there on April 28 to May 1. The ban was issued after Kuala Lumpur City Hall did not allow the use of Dataran Merdeka for the gathering.

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