

Selangor MIC Youth Demands Selangor Government Provides Free Education
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SHAH ALAM, May 9 (Bernama) -- About 100 Selangor MIC Youth members held a peaceful demonstration here Wednesday to demand the state government led by Parti Keadilan Rakyat to provide free education to students of universities under its administration.

Also present at the assembly in front of the State Secretariat building was Selangor MIC youth chief Shanker Raj Ayanger.

He said the state government should start providing free education at the two universities under its management, namely Universiti Selangor and Kolej Universiti Islam Selangor before demanding the federal government to abolish the National Higher Education Fund Corporation (PTPTN).

"The opposition had promised in its 12th general election manifesto to provide free education and the state government which has called itself as the pioneer welfare state should implement it in Selangor first before asking the Barisan Nasional government to abolish PTPTN," he said.

Shanker Raj was speaking to reporters after handing over a memorandum on the matter to a media officer from the Menteri Besar's office.

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