

Selangor MB Admits Unisel Facing Debt Woes
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KUALA SELANGOR, Aug 5 (Bernama) -- Selangor Menteri Besar Tan Sri Abdul Khalid Ibrahim has admitted that Universiti Selangor (Unisel) is facing debt woes for several years.

He said the tuition fees paid were not enough to pay outstanding hostel maintenance and operation costs to Jana Niaga Sdn Bhd (JNSB) as Unisel had to pay rental even during semester breaks.

"The state government has told Unisel to focus on university operations and not to worry about the payment," he told reporters after launching the state-level Tadarus and Tadabbur programme here Sunday.

He was commenting on Selangor Barisan Nasional deputy chairman Datuk Noh Omar's claim that Unisel owed almost RM15 million to JNSB, which was responsible for developing and managing hostel facilities at the university's main campus in Bestari Jaya, Kuala Selangor.

It was alleged that Unisel did not pay the company maintenance fees for 17 months and payment for hostels managed by JNSB for eight months.

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