

**MPs, Grassroots Advisors Must Uphold High Standard Of Personal Conduct - PM
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SINGAPORE, Dec 12 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Lee Hsien Loong today urged all member of parliament (MPs) and grassroots advisors to uphold high standards of propriety and personal conduct, especially when dealing with constituents, activists and staff.

He posted this on his Facebook page, following the resignation of Michael Palmer as Speaker of Parliament, and as member of the People's Action Party (PAP), following his admission today, of a relationship with a member of the People's Association (PA) staff.

"It was with great sadness that I accepted Speaker Michael Palmer's resignation today.

"He has worked hard as an MP and been a good Speaker. But all MPs and Grassroots Advisors must uphold high standards of propriety and personal conduct, especially when dealing with constituents, activists and staff," he said.

Lee, who is also PAP secretary-general, said Palmer had sent a letter.

He also wished Palmer and his family well.

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