

Penang BN House-To-House Campaign, Beginning Monday
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NIBONG TEBAL, April 7 (Bernama) -- Beginning Monday, the Penang Barisan Nasional (BN) will embark on a house-to-house election campaign until the end of the campaign period.

Its deputy chairman, Datuk Zainal Abidin Osman, who is also state UMNO liaison chief, said the BN machinery would distribute pamphlets and also brief residents on the coalition's manifesto which was unveiled by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak Saturday night.

"It is the best way to inform the people on the seven issues outlined in the manifesto as these involved their interest. I have also received positive response from residents on the manifesto," he told Bernama in Nibong Tebal, Sunday.

He said the state BN would launch its manifesto on Thursday, adding that the candidate line-up had been finalised.

"We decided on the line-up during a meeting with the prime minister, but as BN national chairman, he has the prerogative to make changes to it," added Zainal Abidin.

Meanwhile, Permatang Pauh UMNO division head Datuk Abdul Jalil Abdul Majid condemned the opposition's allegation that the BN manifesto was all about money to buy the people's votes.

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