

High Voltage Power Cable Realignment To Be Added On To Selangor BN Manifesto, Assures Najib
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RAWANG, April 28 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak today gave his commitment that the realigning of the high voltage power cable that will pass through Kampung Sungai Terentang here will be added on to the Selangor Barisan Nasional (BN) manifesto.

"With this assurance, the villagers need not worry over the matter, which has been an issue in the area for over 10 years.

"This is a long-standing issue. I'm giving my commitment today that this issue will be incorporated in the Selangor BN manifesto.

"We will realign the cable to another area, not passing through Kampung Sungai Terentang.

"This is my commitment as BN chairman. With this assurance, I hope the issue is closed," he said when addressing Kampung Sungai Terentang villagers.

The Tenaga Nasional's Central Area Reinforcement (CAR) project, which started in 2005, entails the laying of high voltage power cable along 50 kilometres, with the balance 1.5 kilometres passing through Kampung Sungai Terentang, was supposed to start in 2007 but was deferred following the villagers' protest.

The villagers had objected to the project as the high voltage cable would pass through their village.

Najib also gave his commitment that a police station would be built in Bandar Country Homes here after the site had been identified.

He also promised to build Chinese and Tamil primary schools here.

Najib hoped Selangoreans would give the mandate to BN in this election as he preferred a BN-led state government.

"Too many problems that cannot be solved (by opposition), among them are water supply, garbage disposal and lack of investments. All these can be addressed at parliament and state levels by supporting BN," added Najib, who is also Selangor BN chairman.

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