

Penang Umno Youth Vice-head Makes Police Report Against Serdang MP
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GEORGE TOWN, May 22 (Bernama) -- Penang Umno Youth vice-head Norman Zahalan today lodged a police report against Serdang MP Ong Kian Ming over the latter's blog post that he alleged was seditious and carried a personal attack on him.

Norman made the report at the Sungai Nibong police station, claiming that Ong had linked him to a candle-light vigil organised by Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM) students on Monday night seeking the release of fellow student Adam Adli Abd Halim who was arrested for having allegedly made seditious remarks.

He claimed that he had arrived there late and had only intended to pacify the situation where a scuffle had broken out and did not act in an aggressive manner.

In the police report, Norman also stated that his car windscreens and windows were smashed by irresponsible people yesterday.

"I had parked my car in Sungai Dua in the morning and found the windscreens and windows smashed when I returned to fetch it in the evening," he said.

North East District Police chief ACP Gan Kong Meng confirmed having received reports from three individuals who claimed to have been assaulted during the vigil.

Thirty USM undergraduates had held the vigil in Sungai Dua in a symbolic gesture seeking the release of Adam Adli, but a group of men wearing crash helmets condemned the students' action and angered them, leading to a scuffle.

Adam Adli was arrested on May 18 for having allegedly made seditious remarks during a forum organised on May 13 by Suara Anak Muda Malaysia (SAMM), and which involved a call for massive street rallies to express unhappiness over the country's electoral system and results of the 13th general election.

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