

**Azlan To Stand For Kangar Umno Head Post**  
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KANGAR, Aug 17 (Bernama) -- Perlis Menteri Besar Azlan Man has confirmed that he will be contesting the post of Kangar Umno division head in the party election in October.

He said this had already received the consent of Umno president Datuk Seri Mohd Najib Razak besides fulfilling the wishes of the grassroots in the division.

When met by reporters at his office Saturday, he said the decision could also prevent the concentration of Perlis Umno leaders in the Arau division.

Azlan, who is the Perlis Umno deputy liaison chairman, is an Umno member in the Arau division before moving to the Kangar division recently.

He said that Perlis Umno liaison chairman, Datuk Seri Dr Shahidan Kassim, was the Arau Umno division head and that he, as the deputy Umno liaison head, was also in the Arau division.

"It is only proper that I move to Kangar to ease the centralisation. I am only moving my Umno membership to Kangar but I am still the State Assemblyman for Pauh, located in the Arau division," he said.

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