

Nomination Date For Gerakan Election On Oct 19
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KUALA LUMPUR, Oct 8 (Bernama) -- Nominations for Gerakan's election this year is scheduled for Oct 19, said its acting president Datuk Chang Ko Youn.

He said 2,000 delegates would pick the new party leadership lineup at the party's 42nd National Delegates Conference on Oct 26.

"The delegates will pick a president, a deputy president, three vice-presidents and 18 central committee members.

"The official number of those contesting in the election this time will be announced after the nomination process ends on Oct 19," he told a press conference here today.

He said seven states, namely, Kuala Lumpur, Melaka, Selangor, Perak, Pahang, Penang and Negeri Sembilan were seeing contests for the post of state chairmen.

He clarified that the five states which would see no contests were Kedah, Sabah, Kelantan, Terengganu and Johor.

On the Sungai Limau state by-election in Kedah on Nov 4, he said Kedah Gerakan chairman Dr Cheah Soon Hai had set up a committee to help the Barisan Nasional election machinery.

"Among the activities of the members of the committee is performing house-to-house visits to clarify numerous issues involving voters in the area," he added.

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