

## **Bikini photo: Kok empathises with Chew**

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KUALA LUMPUR: MCA vice president Chew Mei Fun, BN's Kajang candidate for this Sunday's by-election, has found an unlikely ally in Seputeh MP Teresa Kok.

Kok, who was heavily criticised for her 'Onederful Malaysia CNY 2014' video, came to Chew's defence after a doctored photograph of the latter in a bikini went viral on the net.

"Whoever is responsible for resorting to such disgusting and unethical tactics must be stopped immediately," said the DAP parliamentarian.

"Unfortunately, the police and Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commissions (MCMC) seem incapable of catching the culprits," she told a press conference at Parliament's lobby today.

She said this was not the first time slanderous photographs have appeared on internet, adding that she too, has been a victim of vile and spurious allegations.

On one occasion, Kok was accused of being a Kaifeng Jew, a small Jewish community in Henan, China while another accused her of saying the missing MH370 flight was the work of Muslim terrorists.

"Rumour mongers are trying to portray me as anti-Malay and anti-Islam," said Kok.

She said she has lodged reports with the police and MCMC on the MH370 accusations.

"I call on the government to immediately provide the necessary resources and support to improve the capabilities of enforcement agencies, in particular MCMC," she added.

Chew will take on PKR candidate Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail in a straight fight this Sunday for the Kajang state seat by-election.

The state seat, which has 39,728 registered voters, fell vacant following the resignation of incumbent PKR assemblymen Lee Chin Cheh on Jan 27.

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