

**Anina seeks freeze of Najib's assets**  
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**The Umno rebel is also asking the court to give a judgement on Najib's admission that he had received a RM2.6 billion donation**

PETALING JAYA: Umno rebel Anina Saaduddin has filed an application asking the High Court to freeze Prime Minister Najib Razak's local assets pending the disposal of her civil suit against him.

Her lawyer, Haniff Khatri Abdulla, told FMT that the application was filed this morning.

Anina, who was a member of Langkawi Umno, was expelled from the party on September 2 for taking the party president to court.

Her suit, filed on August 28, accused Najib of defrauding Umno members by his receipt of RM2.6 billion in March 2013 and his subsequent use of it without Umno's knowledge. According to Hanif, the suit basically demands that Najib account for the movement of RM2.6 billion said to be a donation from unknown beneficiaries.

Together with today's application, Anina filed for a judgement on Najib's admission that the RM2.6 billion was a political donation. If the court grants this judgement, the question of Najib's admission need not be resolved through a trial when witnesses are called to testify in the suit.

Najib has gone on record as saying that the money was indeed a political donation.

However, according to Haniff, other issues, including a return of the RM2.6 billion, will have to wait for the outcome of the application for judgment on admission.

Anina has also sued Umno Secretary-General Tengku Adnan Tengku Mansor over her sacking from the party. That suit was filed on September 11.

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