

'Show some respect, Kit Siang, as hudud law already passed in Kelantan'

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KOTA BARU, Kelantan Menteri Besar Datuk Ahmad Yaakob said the action by DAP supremo Lim Kit Siang to give a ceramah about the controversial hudud law in the state as an odd move.

As a person who had rejected hudud and spoken about it outside Kelantan, Ahmad described Lim's decision to talk about it here recently as unwise given that he was not a syariah law expert.

"Kit Siang is no Islamic law expert and was merely voicing out his opinion.

"However, he should respect the state government as the Shariah Criminal Code II Bill 1993 (Amendment 2015) has already been tabled and passed at the state legislative assembly," he said when met after chairing the state executive council meeting here today.

Ahmad said since Lim had already rejected hudud, he should not be talking about it in Kelantan.

"He (Lim) coming here is not wrong as we can assume that he is a visitor, but when he begins to talk about hudud, which he rejects here in Kelantan, something is really wrong

"At least show some respect because the hudud law has already been passed at the state assembly."

Ahmad also elaborated that Lim's attendance at the ceramah in Padang Perdana last Saturday was at the invitation of Kota Baru PAS and was not connected to Kelantan PAS or the state government.

He added that the PAS leadership would be seeking a clarification from Kota Baru PAS on the matter during its meeting this Friday.

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