

**Nothing Unusual About UMNO Supreme Council Meeting At Parliament House - Najib Bernama**  
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KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 24 (Bernama) -- UMNO president Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak said there was nothing unusual about the UMNO Supreme Council having held its meeting today at Parliament House.

Najib, who is the Prime Minister, said the meeting was held there to facilitate UMNO MPs in the council to also attend Dewan Rakyat proceedings in the event block voting was called for. The Dewan Rakyat is currently debating the 2016 Supply Bill.

"The meeting was held here because we have to be close to the Dewan Rakyat in case there is block voting for we can ensure the attendance of our MPs," he told a press conference after chairing the meeting.

Najib said leaders from opposition parties had also held meetings at Parliament House.

UMNO Supreme Council meetings are normally held at the party headquarters at Menara Dato' Onn at the Putra World Trade Centre here.

Najib had arrived at 6pm for the meeting while other UMNO Supreme Council members including vice president Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid Hamidi, who is also Deputy Prime Minister, had come much earlier.

However, there was no sign of deputy president Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin and vice president Datuk Seri Mohd Shafie Apdal.

The major outcome of the meeting today which lasted about 90 minutes were that the UMNO deputy president will not open the party's Wanita, Youth and Puteri general assemblies next month and the sacking of Gopeng Wanita UMNO chief Datuk Hamidah Osman for indiscipline..

The Wanita, Youth and Puteri general assemblies will be opened separately by their respective chiefs.

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