

Pahang MB seeking audience with Regent to dissolve state assembly [NSTTV]

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KUANTAN: The Pahang State Legislative Assembly will only be dissolved after the Regent of Pahang, Tengku Hassanal Ibrahim Alam Shah Al-Sultan Abdullah, gives his consent.

Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Wan Rosdy Wan Ismail said he is in the process of obtaining a suitable date to seek an audience with Tengku Hassanal.

"I have not received Tuanku's date yet and am in the process of obtaining it (to seek audience)," he told reporters when asked whether the Pahang state assembly would follow the federal government's move.

Yesterday, Prime Minister Datuk Seri Ismail Sabri Yaakob announced Parliament's dissolution to pave the way for the 15th General Election.

He called on all states, aside from Sabah, Sarawak, Melaka and Johor, to dissolve their respective state legislative assemblies so a nationwide general election could be held on the same date.

When asked about the candidates that will be fielded and new faces in GE15, Wan Rosdy briefly replied that the list has not been finalised yet.

Last night, Pahang State Assembly Speaker Datuk Seri Ishak Muhammad said the Pahang Legislative Assembly sitting today to debate the Pahang Budget 2023 at Wisma Sri Pahang will begin as usual.

"The sitting will continue as usual until the Menteri Besar (Wan Rosdy) gets the consent of the Regent of Pahang to dissolve the Pahang state assembly," he said.

The Pahang State Assembly sitting began on Oct 7 after Wan Rosdy tabled the Pahang Budget for next year and the sitting was scheduled to continue till Friday (Oct 14).



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