

'Raja Commando' wants an apology, too

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SHAH ALAM: Raja Kamaruddin Raja Abdul Wahid, also known as "Raja Commando," said The *Sun* should apologise for implicating him as a "hired hit man" in an alleged plot to assassinate Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and his deputy Datuk Seri Ab-

dulah Ahmad Badawi.

"The newspaper was humble enough to publicly apologise to Dr Mahathir and Pak Lah. But they did not say sorry to me although I am also a victim here. I am hurt and angry," he told reporters yesterday.

Raja Kamaruddin Raja,

who is also Shah Alam Keadilan division deputy chairman, said an apology was the least that the newspaper could do after implicating him in such a serious allegation.

He said he had appointed lawyer, Saiful Izham, to consider filing a defamation suit against the paper.