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DATUK JAFFAR'S REMAINS ARRIVES FOR BURIAL THIS AFTERNOON

KUALA LUMPUR, Sept 17 (Bernama) -- The remains of Datuk Jaffar Mohamed Ali who died of a heart attack in Chicago last Thursday arrived at the Royal Malaysian Air Force (RMAF) station in Subang near here this morning.

His remains was transported in an RMAF aircraft from Singapore escorted by the Prime Minister's wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali, who is his sister, and his wife, Datin Juriah Jaffar.

Among those at the RMAF station to receive them were Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and other family members including his brother, Jen (R) Tan Sri Hashim Ali and his sister, Datuk Paduka Saleha Mohamed Ali.

Jaffar's remains was then taken to his house at No 109, Jalan Ampang Hilir, and expected to be buried at the Jalan Ampang Muslim cemetery this afternoon.

Jaffar, 68, was a captain in the advertising industry.

He was on vacation in Chicago with his wife and their only child, Salina.

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