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Tabung Haji not buying MAS shares

THE Pilgrim's Fund Management (Tabung Haji) has not entered into any negotiations, being offered or proposed to acquire Malaysian Airline System Bhd shares, Minister in the Prime Minister's Department Senator Datuk Abdul Hamid Zainal Abidin said. In a written reply to Mohd Yusoff Mohd Nor (Pas-Machang), he said it was not true that Tabung Haji had acquired shares of the national carrier, adding that Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad had stated that the agency had no plans to do so. However, he said Tabung Haji had once held shares of the airline but had disposed of them in 1989. Since then, it had not bought any new shares.

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