

Najib's lawyer has not watched Aussie documentary, declines to comment

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Mohd Hafarizam Harun, one of Prime Minister Najib Abdul Razak's lawyers, has declined to comment on the Australian documentary 'Four Corners' as he said he has not watched it yet.

"I know it's going around on the State of Fear, the plan on charging by then AG (attorney-general Abdul Gani Patail) and a scene of someone driving a Perdana looking at his back mirror and afraid he might get kidnapped.

"(But) I have not seen it, so I can't comment," he said to reporters outside the Kuala Lumpur High Court today.

His fellow lawyer M Reza Hassan, who also represents Najib, said that he had seen it and that he has fallen asleep 20 minutes into the documentary.

"I fell asleep after 20 minutes of watching it yesterday. (It's) like drama and fantasy, like CSI," he quipped, making a reference to the popular American forensics investigations drama series Crime Scene Investigations.

The documentary was aired by the Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC) on Monday night and the 44-minute documentary titled 'State of Fear: Murder and Money in Malaysia' is now available online.

It laid out what is purported to be details of Najib's personal bank accounts, explaining that its crew had been shown the bank documents by an unnamed 'high-level source'.

Its journalist Linton Besser and camera operator Louie Eroglu had previously been arrested and deported from Malaysia during the shooting of the documentary earlier this month, after they tried to pose questions regarding the transfers to Najib.

Najib has consistently denied any wrongdoing, while attorney-general Mohd Apandi Ali had exonerated him following an investigation by the Malaysia Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC).

The MACC had been investigating the RM2.6 billion donation, as well as a RM42 million deposit into Najib's account by the Malaysian Finance Ministry-owned SRC International.

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