

## 19-12-2007: Public Bank sets up 2-year research programme

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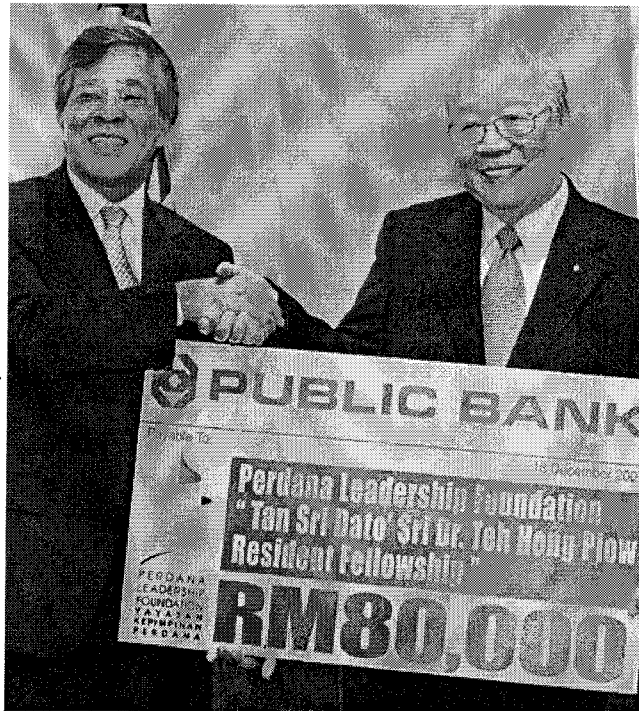
KUALA LUMPUR: Public Bank Bhd has set up the Tan Sri Datuk Seri Dr Teh Hong Piow Resident Fellowship Programme that would allow scholars to pursue research at the Perdana Leadership Foundation (PLF).

In a statement yesterday, it said the research findings under the two-year programme would be made available for publication by the PLF.

"Public Bank believes that this fellowship programme is in line with one of Public Bank's corporate social responsibility goals to aid in nation-building and plays a proactive role in the socio-economic development of our country," said its founder and chairman Tan Sri Teh Hong Piow.

He said the programme's objective was to provide research opportunities to develop an appreciation of Malaysia's rich heritage and promote a global understanding of peaceful resolutions.

Teh also presented an RM80,000 cheque to PLF executive director Tan Sri Nik Mohamed Nik Yaacob at a presentation ceremony here yesterday.



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