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Saudi statement proves no wrongdoing by Najib, says press sec

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PUTRAJAYA: The confirmation by Saudi foreign minister regarding the donation received by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak proves there is no wrongdoing all along, said the latter's press secretary, Datuk Seri Tengku Sariffuddin Tengku Ahmad, yesterday.

"We note the statement by Adel

Al-Jubeir that the donation to the prime minister was genuine and nothing was expected in return. The attorney-general has also thoroughly investigated the matter and found no wrongdoing, and Saudi Arabia considers the matter closed.

"This confirms what the prime minister has maintained all along,

and what multiple authorities had concluded after exhaustive investigations on the funds being a donation from Saudi Arabia. This also proves the wild allegations pushed by Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad and his anti-Najib campaign for more than a year have been completely false."

He said Dr Mahathir's lies were motivated by personal interests and not in the best intentions for Malaysians.

"The attempt by the former premier was a deception to unseat a democratically elected government just to save the political career of his son, former Kedah menteri besar

Datuk Seri Mukhriz Mahathir."

Tengku Sariffuddin said Dr Mahathir should be held responsible for the damage he had inflicted on Malaysia's reputation, and Western media that allowed themselves to be used to propagate false politically motivated allegations against Najib must apologise to Malaysians.