

**RM113 Billion Private Investment Target This Year Attainable, Says Mustapa  
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KUALA LUMPUR, March 15 (Bernama) -- The RM113 billion private investment target this year is achievable as it was set after taking into account the global scenario.

International Trade and Industry Minister Datuk Seri Mustapa Mohamed said the target was attainable based on the new projects approved under the Entry Point Projects (EPPs) and the good progress made so far under the Economic Transformation Programme (ETP).

"Last year, private investments totalled RM94 billion. Under the 10th Malaysia Plan, the target for private investments is RM115 billion a year," he told reporters after the Investment Committee meeting.

Meanwhile, Minister in the Prime Minister's Department Datuk Seri Idris Jala said none of the investors had indicated that they would be cancelling their projects based on what was happening at the global stage.

"As the economy is largely domestic demand-driven, it is less exposed to the vagaries of the global economy," Idris told reporters after the meeting.

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