

**PM Contributes Haj Tickets For Family Of Late Noramfaizul
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KUALA LUMPUR, Aug 15 (Bernama) -- The family of the late Noramfaizul Mohd Nor, a Bernama TV cameraman who was killed during a humanitarian mission in Somalia last year, today received a letter of offer to perform the Haj from Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak.

It was handed on behalf of Najib by 1Malaysia Putera Club president Datuk Abdul Azeez Abdul Rahim to Noramfaizul's father Mohd Nor Md Yasin at his house in Taman Serdang Raya, near here.

"Today marks one year of our visit to Somalia. The late Noramfaizul was with us last year. So, today we hold a tahlil and reciting of Yasin (the 27th chapter of the Quran) for him," he told reporters after the ceremony.

The offer to perform the Haj was also extended to his mother and siblings, Naemah Abdul Majid and Nur Najihah.

Noramfaizul, 39, was killed after he was hit by sniper fire in Mogadishu on Sept 2, 2011 when covering the 1Malaysia Putera Club's humanitarian mission to help the famine victims in Somalia.

In the incident, TV3 cameraman Aji Sarigar Mazlan was also hurt on his arm after he was hit by a shrapnel from a bullet which penetrated Noramfaizul's shoulder.

Meanwhile, Abdul Azeez said the club planned to visit Myanmar on Sept 1 for a humanitarian mission for the Rohingyas who were reported to be oppressed.

He said RM300,000 had been collected to date, to buy equipment and daily necessities.

According to Abdul Azeez, bullet-proof jackets were among the major needs of the members of the mission in facing any eventuality.

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