

To the ambassador of the State of Malaysia to The Netherlands, his excellency mister NAZRI BIN YUSOF

Ede, June 1, 2019

Your excellency,

We have taken note of the statements in the media of your Prime Minister, Dr. Mahatdir Mohamad. We are surprised that the Prime Minister questions earlier important findings of the Dutch Safety Board and the Joint Investigation Team. Malaysia participated in the investigation of the Dutch Safety Board, including the investigation into the black boxes. In addition, Malaysia is represented in the Joint Investigation Team and according to our information, the findings of the JIT have so far been fully supported by all JIT participants, including the Malaysian representatives.

The board of the MH17 Flight Disaster Foundation regrets the statements of your Prime Minister, certainly also because it suggests that the investigation would not be independent or even politically driven. This does not benefit the truth finding process, nor does the next of kin benefit from questioning a long-term international investigation.

Today the truth-finding working group has also sent you a letter. The board of the MH17 Flight Disaster Foundation supports this letter.

The board of the foundation would greatly appreciate it if your Prime Minister reconsiders his statements by unequivocally supporting the Joint Investigation Team's investigation.

We kindly request you to pass this letter on to your Prime Minister.

Yours sincerely, On behalf of the board of MH17 Flight Disaster Foundation, Piet Ploeg, chairman

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