

Plane debris found in South Africa, Mauritius from MH370, says Liow

PETALING JAYA: Examinations on two pieces of plane debris found in South Africa and Mauritius have been completed and experts concluded they "almost certainly" came from flight MH370.

Transport Minister Datuk Seri Liow Tiong Lai said following the "thorough examination" by the international experts, the Malaysian ICAO Annex 13 Safety Investigation Team concluded that both pieces of debris "are consistent with panels found on a Malaysia Airlines Boeing 777 aircraft."

The two pieces of debris discovered in South Africa and Rodrigues Island were an engine cowling piece with a partial Rolls-Royce logo and an interior panel piece from an aircraft cabin.

Liow expressed gratitude to the Australian Transport Safety Bureau (ATSB), Geoscience Australia and Boeing for their undivided commitment and assistance in the examination process.

He also thanked the Governments of Mozambique, Mauritius and South Africa for the effort and cooperation extended to Malaysia in the matter.

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