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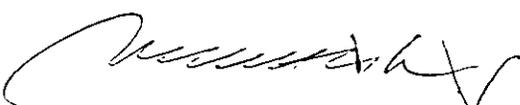
On behalf of Maybank, a company incorporated in Malaysia, I am furnishing herewith the below listed document(s) pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) (iii) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") :-

No.	Date of Announcement	Description of Document
1.	3 January 2007	Transformation of Aseambankers Malaysia Berhad into an investment bank.

Yours faithfully
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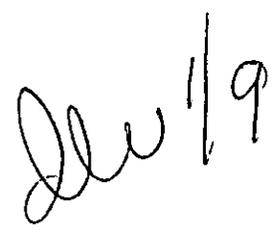
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General Announcement

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Submitting Merchant Bank :
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Submitting Secretarial Firm Name :
(if applicable)
* Company name : **Malayan Banking Berhad (3813-K)**
* Stock name : **MAYBANK**
* Stock code : **1155**
* Contact person : **Mohd Nazlan Mohd Ghazali**
* Designation : **General Counsel & Company Secretary**

* Type : **Announcement** Reply to query

* Subject :

Malayan Banking Berhad (Maybank)

- Transformation of Aseambankers Malaysia Berhad into an investment bank

* **Contents :-**

The Board of Directors of Maybank is pleased to announce that Aseambankers Malaysia Berhad (Aseambankers), a 94.69%-owned subsidiary company of Maybank, had on 30 December 2006 completed its transformation into an investment bank in accordance with the Guidelines on Investment Banks issued on 1 July 2005.

As part of its transformation into an investment bank, Aseambankers had completed the following acquisitions:-

- (i) the assets and liabilities of Mayban Discount Sdn Bhd on 11 November 2006;
- (ii) 100% equity interest in Mayban Securities (Holdings) Sendirian Berhad on 30 December 2006; and
- (iii) the assets and liabilities of Mayban Securities Sendirian Berhad on 30 December 2006.

As such, with effect from 3 January 2007, Aseambankers as a Participating Organisation of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad will be able to undertake stockbroking businesses.

This announcement is dated 3 January 2007.

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