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ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW NUJ MALAYSIA OFFICE BEARERS

The following are the new lineup of the National Union of Journalists (NUJ) Principal Office Bearers for the 2016-2018 period that was announced at the Biennial Delegates Conference at Shah Village Hotel, Petaling Jaya September 24, 2016.

There was no elections held however, the post of the presidency has changed hands between former president Chin Sung Chew - Sin Chew and former vice-president Mohd Taufek Razak - Utusan.

President	MOHD TAUF EK RAZAK – Utusan Melayu
Vice-President	CHIN SUNG CHEW – Sin Chew
General Secretary	SCHAVE JEROME DE ROZARIO – The Star
Deputy General Secretary	MOHD HIDHIR BASARUDIN – Utusan Melayu
General Treasurer	BAHARUDIN RESEH HJ. YAACOB – Utusan Melayu
Deputy Treasurer	KAREN KESAWATHANY ARUKESAMY – The Sun

Taufek in his speech said the new executive council would work hard to strengthen the Union in upholding all its principles while taking care of the welfare of its members. He also said that the Union would work closely with all its branches to that affect.

The delegates also approved among others motion to increase the NUJ welfare fund benefits, to look into the issues on Union leave and to continuously demand for the repeal of Official Secrets Act 1972 and the Printing, Presses and Publications Act 1984 while urging the government to enact the Freedom of Information Act.

On behalf of the Executive Council,



SCHAVE JEROME DE ROZARIO
General Secretary