THE MANY FACES OF MAS SELAMAT

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BINTAN ARREST

» Mas Selamat Kastari being escorted by the Indonesian authorities in Tanjung Pinang, Bintan, on Feb 4, 2003.

» The Singaporean was picked up by police while on a bus with his wife and children.

» He was carrying a fake identity card and passport, which he used to enter the country from Singapore a month before.

SIDE PROFILE

» Yesterday, the police released these two photos of Mas Selamat's side profiles to help in the hunt for the Jemaah Islamiah terrorist.

» They also revised his height from 1.6m to 1.58m.

POSTER

» Posters bearing Mas Selamat's mugshot were plastered at MRT stations and bus interchanges from last Friday to alert commuters to the terrorist on the loose.

MMS

» Singapore's three telcos – SingTel, M1 and StarHub – are pitching in by sending a photo of Mas Selamat and a message from the police via free MMS to their 5.5 million subscribers.

INTERPOL SCREEN GRAB

» Mas Selamat as a wanted man on Interpol's website where he is listed under the Fugitives section.

» The international police organisation issued an urgent worldwide security alert at the request of the Singapore Government after his escape last Wednesday.

IN HIS YOUNGER DAYS

» A younger and leaner Mas Selamat in an old photo reproduced on the Interpol website.

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