



CHILLING TRAGEDY

THE missing Malaysian plane is a colossal and chilling tragedy. The only silver lining in this heartrending situation is that countries like US, China, Taiwan, Vietnam and Malaysia, who sometimes squabble amongst themselves, have brushed aside their differences and are co-operating to locate the missing plane.

About 40 ships and 30 aircraft from many countries are trying to find the missing plane. This informal co-operation between countries is laudable.

This is a very horrifying time for the relatives and families of all the passengers on the flight. We hope the mystery of the missing plane will be resolved expeditiously.

If it is an accident, we need to know so that manufacturers can fix the issues; if it is terrorism, we need to know so that we realise the war on terror has to be intensified.

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