



The first question of Fatwa no. 20582

Q 1: Insurance companies offer damaged cars for sale. These cars are commonly believed to be the insurers' cars which the people give to the insurance companies to get the insurance indemnity. What is the ruling on purchasing these cars? If it is permissible, should the person have to ask the insurance company about the method they got these cars or not? Does the fact that insurance companies take the cars this way affect the ruling on purchasing them? It should be noted that these cars' papers are signed by other people who assigned the cars to insurance companies.

A: All types of Commercial Insurance are unlawful. It is not permissible to purchase the cars which the insurance company owned pursuant to the insurance contract because these cars are not the property of the company according to the Shar`.

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