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SUMMIT-DINNER 3 KUALA LUMPUR (REOPENS ITEM)

YUGOSLAV PRESIDENT DR BORISAV JOVIC, IN HIS RESPONSE ON BEHALF OF THE OTHER LEADERS, SAID THE CHOICE OF MALAYSIA AS HOST FOR THE INAUGURAL SUMMIT WAS APPROPRIATE AS IT HAD SET MANY GOOD EXAMPLES OF INTERNATIONAL RESPECT.

HE SAID THE RAPID CHANGES IN THE WORLD MADE IT NECESSARY FOR THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITIES, ESPECIALLY DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, TO COOPERATE TO SOLVE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING THEM.

HE WAS CONFIDENT THAT THE JUST-ENDED SUMMIT WOULD PAVE THE WAY FOR GREATER SOUTH-SOUTH COOPERATION.

+IT WOULD ENABLE THE SOUTH TO PLAN CONCRETE ACTION TO EXPLOIT THEIR OWN POTENTIAL,+ HE SAID.

DR JOVIC ALSO EXPRESSED GRATITUDE TO THE YANG DI-PERTUAN AGONG SULTAN AZLAN SHAH AND RAJA PERMAISURI AGONG TUANKU BAINUN AS WELL AS TO THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE FOR THEIR WARM HOSPITALITY.

DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER GHAFAR BABA AND CABINET MINISTERS ATTENDED THE DINNER. -- BERNAMA
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