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AGONG SENDS CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO PAKISTANI PRESIDENT

KUALA LUMPUR, March 22 (Bernama) -- Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Ja`afar has sent a congratulatory message to Pakistani President Sardar Farooq Ahmad Khan Leghari on the occasion of Pakistan Day tomorrow.

He was confident that the close and excellent relations that existed between the two countries would be further enhanced in the future, an Information Department press statement today said.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, in a similar message to his counterpart Benazir Bhutto, expressed the hope that the two nations could continue to work together to strengthen the close ties and friendship between them, and cooperate on matters that would mutually benefit them.

Foreign Minister Datuk Abdullah Ahmad Badawi also sent a congratulatory message to his counterpart Sardar Aseff Ahmed Ali. -- BERNAMA

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