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AGONG SENDS GREETINGS TO NEW DOMINICAN PRESIDENT

KUALA LUMPUR, Aug 23 (Bernama) -- The Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Ja'afar has sent a congratulatory message to Dominican President Leonel Fernandez on his new appointment.

According to a Wisma Putra statement issued here today, Tuanku Ja'afar expressed confidence that the republic will achieve greater progress and prosperity under Fernandez.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad also extended greetings to Fernandez and said he looked forward to developing bilateral ties. --

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