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GREATER MALAYSIA-TURKEY INTERACTION IN FUTURE, SAYS PM

KUALA LUMPUR, Aug 18 (Bernama) -- There will be greater interaction between Turkey and Malaysia in future following the visit of Turkish Prime Minister Dr Necmettin Erbakan, Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad said today.

The prime minister said he and his Turkish counterpart had established good contact and both shared similar views on many issues including international issues.

Speaking to reporters after accompanying Dr Erbakan on a visit to the Institute of Islamic Understanding Malaysia (Ikim), here, Dr Mahathir described the Turkish premier's visit as fruitful.

Turkey and Malaysia had established bilateral ties in many areas including trade and commerce, he said.

Dr Erbakan is on the final day of his three-day official visit to this country. -- BERNAMA

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