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Herzog to look into our request on training, education

KUALA LUMPUR, Thurs. - German President Roman Herzog said today he will discuss with relevant parties in his country Malaysia's request to study the German education system which emphasised practical training.

Herzog said Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad had expressed this request at their meeting yesterday.

Both leaders had discussed possible co-operation in fields including education and training.

Herzog praised Malaysia's Vision 2020 concept, the Multimedia Super Corridor and its involvement in the proposed trans-Asian railway project.

He said a country with vision would inevitably be more successful than those just concerned with their balance sheet.

He said this to reporters at the Regent Hotel in Jalan Bukit Bintang. He arrived on Tuesday for a five-day visit with a 100-member delegation.

Herzog also said the German business community was enthusiastic about working with Malaysians.

"They (the German business community) will continue to work here because of the political stability."

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