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PM ARRIVES IN LANGKAWI FOR MSC MEETING

LANGKAWI, March 8 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad arrived here at about 3.10pm today to attend a special meeting on the Multimedia Super Corridor (MSC).

Accompanied by his wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali, Dr Mahathir was greeted on arrival by Kedah Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Sanusi Junid.

Immediately upon arrival, Dr Mahathir proceeded to Hotel Radisson at Tangjung Rhu to attend the meeting.

Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim had arrived earlier for the meeting.

Tomorrow, the Prime Minister is scheduled to hold a press conference at 2.30pm after the MSC meeting.

Later tomorrow, he will accompany South African President Nelson Mandela to visit Galeria Perdana, Taman Lagenda Langkawi and Dataran Lang.

In the evening, the Prime Minister will host a dinner for President Mandela before returning to Kuala Lumpur.

The South African leader is scheduled to arrive here at about 6.15pm today and depart for Pretoria at 10am on Monday. -- BERNAMA

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