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SARAWAK YANG DIPERTUA ARRIVES IN LANGKAWI FOR TWO-DAY VISIT

LANGKAWI Dec 11 (Bernama) -- Sarawak Yang Dipertua Negeri Tun Ahmad Zaidi Adruce Muhammed Noor arrived here today for a two-day official visit.

The Yang Dipertua and his wife Toh Puan Rosmiati and an entourage of 20 arrived in a LADA Empat ferry and were given a red carpet welcome at the Kuah Jetty by a welcoming committee headed by Langkawi district officer Ismail Hamid.

Accompanying the Sarawak head of state were Kedah Raja Muda and Raja Puan Muda.

Welcoming committee secretary Syed Shaharuddin Syed Abdullah said this was the first visit of the Sarawak Yang Dipertua Negeri to the holiday resort.

He said the entourage would visit several historic and interesting places on the island including the Premier Gallery which exhibits about 3,000 souvenir items belonging to Prime Minister Dr Mahathir Mohamad and the Langkawi Legend Park.

The entourage would also visit the latest attraction on the island, the first book vilage in Southeast Asia, at Lubuk Semilang, he added.

The Yang Dipertua will perform his Friday prayers in Masjid Al Hana, Kuah before leaving for Alor Setar in the afternoon.

The Sarawak visitors are on a three-day visit to Kedah, starting yesterday.

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