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CHILE AND MALAYSIAN SHEET GLASS WIN AWARDS IN TRADE FAIR

KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 14 (Bernama) -- Chile and local glass manufacturer, Malaysian Sheet Glass (MSG) Bhd, had won the Best Booth Design Award at the Third Apec International Trade Fair '98.

Chile's booth, which exhibited tourist attractions, industrial and mining equipment, fresh frozen and canned seafood as well as wine, was adjudged winner in the International Pavilion Category.

The MSG, a Malaysia-Japan joint-venture company, established in 1971, which produces a wide range of high-quality glass products won in the Individual Company Category.

The four-day fair till Monday is held in conjunction with the Apec leaders' Summit hosted by Malaysia. A total of 350 companies from Apec's 21-member economies are participating in the fair opened by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad yesterday.

The awards were presented by Malaysia External Trade Development Corporation (Matrade) Trade Promotions manager Wan Latif Wan Musa.

Chile's booth representative Patricia Matta and MSG's representative Ea Siong Lin received the prizes.

Wan Latif said the type of materials used for the designs and colours of the booths were the criteria for selection.

"The products may be simple but the display is effective and attractive," he added.

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