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DR MAHATHIR BIDS FAREWELL TO TANZANIAN PRESIDENT

KUALA LUMPUR, Dec 12 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad today called on Tanzanian President Benjamin William Mkapa and his wife, Anna Mkapa, at the Carcosa Seri Negara here to bid them farewell.

Dr Mahathir was accompanied by his wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Ali and Health Minister Datuk Chua Jui Meng who is the Minister-in-Attendance to the Tanzanian President.

Mkapa and his delegation arrived here yesterday on a three-day visit. The Tanzanian delegation will leave for home tomorrow.

Members of the Tanzanian delegation include acting Foreign and International Cooperation Minister Zakia Meghji, Local Government Minister Ali Haji Ali and Energy and Mines Minister Abdallah Kigoda.

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