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King and PM congratulate Suharto

KUALA LUMPUR, Tues. - The Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Ja'afar today congratulated President Suharto of Indonesia on his re-election to the presidency.

Suharto was re-elected to his seventh five-year term by the People's Consultative Assembly.

The King in his congratulatory message said he, the Raja Permaisuri Agong and the people of Malaysia congratulated Suharto on his re-election as the Indonesian President.

He believes the President would continue to lead the nation and the Indonesian people to greater heights and be able to overcome the current economic challenges.

He expressed confidence that Indonesia under Suharto's wise leadership would continue to progress.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad in a similar message expressed confidence that the two countries would continue to co-operate and enjoy cordial relations.

Dr Mahathir believes that both Indonesia and Malaysia would be able to face all challenges.

He hopes the two countries would further enhance their ties and step up efforts to overcome any problems faced.

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