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US TREASURY SECRETARY RUBIN ARRIVES

KUALA LUMPUR, June 28 (Bernama) -- United States treasury secretary Robert Rubin arrived here today for talks with Malaysian leaders as part of his two-day visit.

Rubin, who is on his second tour of the economically-troubled Asia-Pacific region, arrived by special aircraft at the Royal Malaysian Air Force station in Sungai Besi here.

Deputy Prime Minister and Finance Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim later hosted a dinner reception for Rubin.

Tomorrow, Rubin and Anwar are scheduled to attend a closed-door dialogue on "Responding To The Asian Crisis" organised by the government-funded think-tank, the Institute for Strategic and International Studies here.

Rubin is also scheduled to call on Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad before leaving tomorrow.

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