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KING SENDS GREETINGS TO ICELAND

KUALA LUMPUR, June 16 (Bernama) -- Yang di-Pertuan Agong Sultan Salahuddin Abdul Aziz Shah and Raja Permaisuri Agong Tuanku Siti Aishah convey their congratulations to Iceland President Olafur Grimsson on the occasion of the country's national day tomorrow.

Sultan Salahuddin, in his message, expressed hope for the continuation of peace and prosperity of the people of Iceland, the Foreign Ministry said in a statement here today.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, in a message to his Iceland counterpart David Oddsson, said he was confident existing cordial and friendly relations between the two countries would continue to be strengthened in the years ahead.

Foreign Minister Datuk Seri Syed Hamid Albar sent a similar message to Halldor Asgrimsson, the country's foreign minister.

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