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Delegates visit Palm Oil Board

CLOSER LOOK ... Malaysian Palm Oil Board director general (I) Dr Arrifin Darus (right) showing oil palm fruit bunches to delegates to the First Conference on Haj Guidance during their visit to the board in Bangi yesterday.

The delegates also attended a briefing by board director-general Datuk Yusof Basiron and a video show on Malaysia's palm oil industry.

They were also shown how the fruit bunches were harvested.

The visit ended with a tour of the Palm Oil Gallery.

Later, the delegates visited the Tabung Haji headquarters at Jalan Tun Razak. They were received by Tabung Haji chief executive officer Datuk Badroddin Kassim.

They attended a video presentation on Tabung Haji's activities before being treated to lunch.

The conference was officiated on Saturday by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and closed by his deputy Datuk Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi yesterday.

Some 150 delegates from 51 nations attended the conference.

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