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MYC-MTUC meeting focuses on young workers

KUALA LUMPUR, Tues. - An inaugural meeting between the Malaysian Youth Council and the Youth wing of the Malaysian Trades Union Congress today largely focused on young workers.

Discussions centred on instilling a sense of pride in young workers in their work, increasing career advancement opportunities and greater responsibility at the workplace.

MYC president Saifuddin Abdullah said one way of achieving these aims was to have more vocational training for young workers. "The MYC submitted a memorandum to Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad last month."

Saifuddin was speaking to reporters after the meeting at the MYC office in Bandar Tun Razak.

The four-man MTUC delegation was led by its Youth chairman, Mohd Fauzi Shamsuddin.

The meeting also agreed to the setting up of a MYC-MTUC committee on young workers and getting the involvement of workers' unions in Rakan Muda programmes at workplaces. Saifuddin said they would also suggest to the National Youth Consultative Council to include Youth wings of unions in it.

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