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DR LING MEETS DUBAI OFFICIALS

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DUBAI, Aug 20 (Bernama) -- Malaysian Transport Minister Datuk Seri Dr Ling Liong Sik discussed bilateral economic cooperation with Dubai officials during a brief stopover here.

In his meeting with Ahmed Butti, the Director-General of the Jabel Ali Free Zone Authority, Ling discussed ways to take advantage of business opportunities in the neighbouring markets for mutual benefit, the official WAM news agency reported Sunday.

Ling stressed that cooperation among developing countries was vital to reform the concept of globalisation in a way that would serve the interests of these countries, the agency said.

Earlier Ling was received at the airport by officials of the Jabel Ali Free Zone and Dubai's Palm Islands Project.

He was in the United Arab Emirates enroute to Kuala Lumpur from Sana'a after accompanying the Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad on the recent four-day visit to Yemen.

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