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MALAYSIA SENDS GREETINGS TO ROMANIA

KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 30 (Bernama) -- Acting Yang di-Pertuan Agong Sultan Mizan Zainal Abidin today sent congratulatory message to Romanian President Ion Iliescu in conjunction with the country's independence day.

In his message faxed by Wisma Putra to Bernama, Sultan Mizan wished for for Iliescu's good health and for continued peace and prosperity of the people of Romania.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad also sent similar greetings to his counterpart Adrian Nastase.

In his message Dr Mahathir expressed hopes that Romania's firm commitment and determination to work towards enhancing the economic development of the country would lead to greater prosperity for the people of Romania.

"I look forward to working closely with you to further strengthen the existing cordial relations and to expand areas of cooperation for the mutual benefit of our two countries and peoples," he added.

Foreign Minister Datuk Seri Syed Hamid Albar also sent congratulatory message to his counterpart Mircea Geoana.

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