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DR MAHATHIR CALLS ON GHANAIAAN PRESIDENT

KUALA LUMPUR, July 30 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad called on visiting Ghanaian President John Agyekum Kufuor at a hotel here today.

President Kufuor, who arrived here yesterday for a four-day official visit, is leading a 27-member delegation which includes three ministers, senior government officials, businessmen and media representatives.

Dr Mahathir was accompanied by his wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali, during the 30-minute meeting which was also attended by the Ghanaian president's wife, Theresa Kufuor.

Science, Technology and Environment Minister Datuk Seri Law Hieng Ding was also present.

Earlier, Kufuor was given a ceremonial welcome at Parliament Square, attended by Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Syed Sirajuddin Syed Putra Jamalullail and Dr Mahathir.

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