

Agong Visits 13th Defence Services Asia Exhibition
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KUALA LUMPUR, April 16 (Bernama) -- Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah visited the 13th Defence Services Asia exhibition here where 850 local and overseas defence industry firms are showcasing their products and services.

Tuanku Abdul Halim was accompanied by Raja Permaisuri Agong Tuanku Hajah Haminah.

The royal couple were welcomed on arrival at 10.30am by Defence Minister Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid Hamidi and Chief of Defence Forces General Tan Sri Zulkifeli Mohd Zin and senior defence officials.

This was Tuanku Abdul Halim's first visit to a world-class exhibition since his installation as the 14th Yang di-Pertuan Agong on Wednesday.

His Majesty also visited the pavilions of various countries including Russia, Turkey and the United Kingdom as well as those run by local companies.

Other programmes in the two-hour visit was a rescue demonstration conducted by the armed forces as well as briefing by company officials.

Their Majesties were also taken on a tour of the venue where the replicas of several defence equipment were on display including the Airbus Military A400M aircraft, the Eurocopter and several other aircraft.

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