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KOTA KINABALU: Democratic Republic of Timor Leste's High Commissioner to Malaysia, Jose Antonio Amorim Dias, has invited Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) to come and assist the country in exploring its yet-to-be fully developed resources.

Extending the invitation during his working visit to the university here, Thursday, he said Timor Leste is presently heading towards developing its economic development through education and infrastructure improvement.

He said UMS was welcomed to forge cooperation with the country in research and technology exchange which are areas his country is still lacking, adding Timor Leste is also rich with oil and gas resources.

For the Malaysian investors, he said areas that have potential for them to invest in include oil palm cultivation, Malaysian teak plantation and oil and gas exploration, among others.

One of the main focuses for his visit to the university was bilateral collaboration in the education field to enable UMS academicians to explore resources in Timor Leste.



Prof. Dr Hasan representing a souvenir to Jose.