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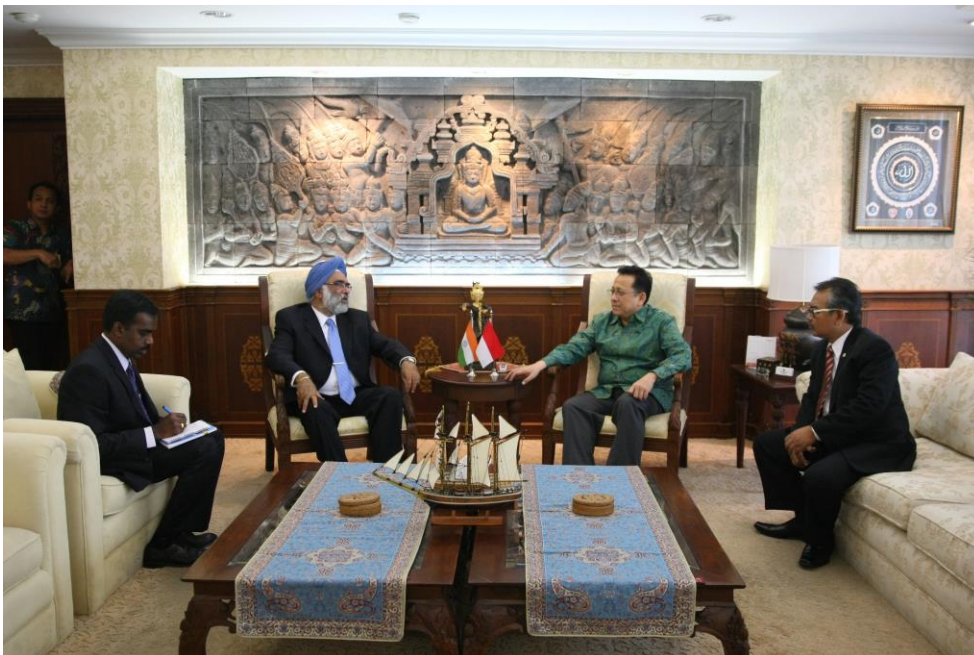
PRESS RELEASE

Ambassador of India H.E. Mr. Gurjit Singh calls on H.E. Mr. Irman Gusman, Hon'ble Speaker of DPD

The Ambassador of India to Indonesia H.E. Mr. Gurjit Singh called on H.E. Mr. Irman Gusman, Hon'ble Speaker of Dewan Perwakilan Daerah (DPD) today afternoon. He congratulated him on his re-election as the Speaker of DPD for the second term. He also thanked him for leading a delegation of Indonesian Parliamentarians to India which consolidated the relationship between the two Parliaments.

During the meeting, issues relating to human resource development, capacity building and education were discussed. The two dignitaries also considered how these objectives need to be pursued as both India and Indonesia look to develop themselves in a democratic framework with their large young populations.

Ambassador gave an exposition of skills development initiative undertaken by Hon'ble Prime Minister, Mr. Narendra Modi. He explained how it is linked to Government's emphasis on regeneration of domestic manufacturing sector which creates employment and opportunities for youth. It was felt that such ideas would mutually benefit both countries if they are discussed and acted upon by the two new governments in India and Indonesia.



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