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Speaker Farrugia meets with the new Apostolic Nuncio

Speaker of the House of Representatives Anġlu Farrugia received a courtesy visit by Monsignor Savio Hon Tai-Fai, the new Apostolic Nuncio.

The Speaker remarked that relations between Malta and the Holy See have over the decades been excellent. Speaker Farrugia added that the Maltese Parliament was one of the first to set up a parliamentary friendship group, headed by the Speaker, to follow Malta's relations with the Holy See.

Speaker Farrugia spoke about the numerous Maltese missionaries who serve around the world and the important work they do in the respective communities. The Apostolic Nuncio remarked that he was very aware of the hard work of the Maltese missionaries around the world.

The Speaker of the Maltese Parliament emphasised the need for continued and effective dialogue to resolve conflicts. The Apostolic Nuncio agreed with this stance and expressed his gratitude for the open attitude of the Maltese Parliament to the Holy See.

The new Apostolic Nuncio was accompanied by First Counsellor Msgr. Dennis Kuruppasery.