



Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim and Kelantan Menteri Besar Datuk Ahmad Yakob (right) visiting flood victims at the SMK Tengku Panglima Raja flood relief centre in Pasir Mas yesterday. PIC BY NIK ABDULLAH NIK OMAR

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Allocation to help flood victims in both east coast states, says Anwar

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PRIME Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim yesterday announced an immediate allocation of RM50 million each to Kelantan and Terengganu.

Anwar said the allocation was to help people in both states who have been affected by the floods.

“Seeing that Kelantan and Terengganu are badly hit by the

floods, the government has agreed to give each RM50 million.

“Before this, deputy prime minister (Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid Hamidi) announced a RM12 million aid for Kelantan during his recent visit to the state.

“The government hopes that the allocations will benefit the people of both states along with the RM1,000 and RM10,000 given to flood victims,” he said after visiting flood victims at the SMK

Tengku Panglima Raja flood relief centre here yesterday.

Anwar said he had directed Education Minister Fadhlina Sidek to take necessary measures to help the victims.

During the visit, Anwar was accompanied by Menteri Besar Datuk Ahmad Yakob, Pasir Mas district officer Hazmi Abdul Hamid and Kelantan police chief Datuk Muhamad Zaki Harun.

A total of 737 flood victims from 226 families are seeking shelter at the centre.

Earlier, Anwar was given a briefing on the latest flood situation in Kelantan by state Drainage and Irrigation Department director Kamal Mustapha.