

King And Queen Present Ramadan Aid To The Poor In Terengganu
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KUALA TERENGGANU, Aug 17 (Bernama) -- Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Mizan Zainal Abidin and Raja Permaisuri Agong Tuanku Nur Zahirah on Wednesday presented Ramadan aid to poor senior citizens and students in the state.

A total of 270 poor students and 120 senior citizen received the aid this year, the sixth in its series, in a special event at the Islamic Civilisation Park Convention Centre here Wednesday.

Apart from a grocery hamper, each senior citizen was also given cash of RM250 and the student, RM150.

The aid came from Sultan Mizan Royal Foundation, with cooperation from the state's Social Welfare Department (JKM), Islamic Religious Affairs Department and other agencies.

A recipient, Rohani Md Nor, 57, from Kampung Cabang Langkap, Setiu, who is suffering from enlarged liver, said she was grateful for the donation as JKM's monthly aid of RM200 was her sole source of income.

"I will use half the money for medicines and the other half to prepare for the upcoming Hari Raya," she said.

Another recipient, Johor Muda, 73, from Dungun, also thanked the foundation and its sponsors for their contributions.

"I'm so grateful and thankful to those who care and are willing to help," he said.

Present was Terengganu Menteri Besar Terengganu Datuk Seri Ahmad Said.

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