

Najib Visits Family Of Late Corporal Mohd Azrul
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KLANG, March 17 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak today visited the family of Corporal Mohd Azrul Tukiran, one of the members of the security forces killed in the attack by Sulu terrorists in Sabah, in Kampung Rantau Panjang here.

Najib, accompanied by wife, Datin Seri Rosmah Mansor, also presented aid of RM20,000 contributed by Yayasan Kelana Ehsan to the family.

The prime minister visited the family while on his way to attend a Barisan Nasional (BN) gathering at Padang SMK Meru, about 25 kilometres from Kampung Rantau Panjang.

Mohd Azrul's father, Tukiran Ahamad said the prime minister advised him and his family to be patient because what happened to his son was unexpected and also assured that necessary assistance would be given to his family as promised.

Tukiran said he was touched by the prime minister's kindness and willingness to come to his house.

Meanwhile, Mohd Azrul's mother, Sa'diah Md Amin, said the family accepted what befell Mohd Azrul and would not stop other members in the family from joining the security forces.

Mohd Azrul, from the General Operations Force in Tawau, was among six policemen killed in the ambush by the Sulu terrorists in Kampung Seri Jaya, Simunul, Semporna, Sabah, last March 2.

In his honour, the villagers has named the stretch of road leading to his family home "Jalan Wira Negara Koperal Azrul".

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