

PM Visits Flood Victims In Terengganu

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KEMAMAN, Dec 31 (Bernama)-- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak arrived in Terengganu at 12.05pm to look at the flood situation in Kemaman.

Najib, who arrived at the Mini Stadium here in a helicopter, was greeted by Terengganu Menteri Besar Datuk Ahmad Razif Abd Rahman, Communications and Multimedia Minister Datuk Seri Ahmad Shabery Cheek, and State Secretary Datuk Mazlan Ngah.

Najib and his delegation later proceeded to Sekolah Kebangsaan Bukit Mentok in the Air Putih state constituency to visit the flood victims.

He later spent about an hour to mingle with the flood victims who had been seeking shelter at the evacuation centre for almost three weeks.

Later he visited flood victims at the Dewan Berlian and met with the children who lost their parents, Nur Hayati Sulong, 37, a teacher, and Suhaimi Awang, 37, who drowned when their boat capsized on Dec 24.

The Prime Minister and his delegation also heard a briefing by Air Putih state assemblyman Wan Hakim Wan Mokhtar.

The Prime Minister later proceeded to the Kuantan TUDM before leaving for Kelantan to visit the flood victims in the state.

As at 12.30pm, there were 11,816 flood victims in four districts in Terengganu involving 43 evacuation centres.

The affected districts were Kuala Terengganu, Dungun, Hulu Terengganu and Kemaman.

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