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Headline	62 nelayan Pantai Siring dibantu		
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Terima sagu hati RM285,000 akibat terjejas dengan projek penghantaran bekalan elektrik

Oleh NOR FARHANA YAACOB

JASIN

Perbadanan Kemajuan Negeri Melaka menyalurkan bayaran sagu hati sebanyak RM285,000 kepada seramai 62 nelayan di Pangkalan Pantai Siring yang terjejas dengan Projek Penghantaran Bekalan Elektrik ke Pulau Besar.

Timbalan Menteri Pertanian dan Industri Makanan, Datuk Seri Ahmad Hamzah berkata, projek Penghantaran Bekalan Elektrik ke Pulau Besar dari Pantai Siring pada tahun 2013 itu mengakibatkan nelayan terjejas punca pendapatan kerana tidak dapat turun ke laut untuk menangkap hasil laut.



Ahmad (kiri) menyerahkan enjin bot kepada penerima OKU pada majlis penyempulan bayaran sagu hati nelayan kelmarin.



Ahmad (kiri) menyampaikan bayaran sagu hati kepada seorang nelayan di Pangkalan Pantai Siring kelmarin.

Menurutnya, atas dasar keprihatinan kerajaan telah menyalurkan bayaran sagu hati pertama di pangkalan berkenaan berjumlah RM85,400 sebelum baki bayaran RM199,600 berjaya diselesaikan.

"Kadar yang ditetapkan oleh kerajaan negeri bagi sumbangan Tabung Ekonomi Nelayan adalah sebanyak RM5,000 bagi setiap ekar dan 50 sen bagi setiap kaki persegi sebagai bayaran sagu hati kepada nelayan



AHMAD

berkuat kuasa mulai tahun 2010.

"Kerajaan negeri pada tahun 2013 telah menetapkan syarikat-syarikat konsesi yang terlibat dengan penambakan laut dikehendaki membuat sumbangan Tabung Ekonomi Me-

layan dan bayaran sagu hati kepada nelayan.

"Bayaran sagu hati pada kali ini tepat dilaksanakan memandangkan ramai terkesan dengan coronavirus (Covid-19) sekali gus membantu dan meringan-

kan beban golongan terbabit," katanya.

Ahmad berkata demikian selepas menyempurnakan majlis penyampaian bayaran sagu hati nelayan di Pangkalan Pantai Siring di sini kelmarin.

Seramai 62 nelayan terdiri daripada 52 pemilik bot menerima RM3,500 setiap seorang manakala 10 awak-awak menerima bayaran berjumlah RM1,760 seorang.

Ahmad yang juga Ahli Parlimen Jasin berkata, selain wang tunai, kerajaan turut menyumbang sebuah enjin sangkut ber-

nilai RM40,000 kepada seorang nelayan kurang upaya (OKU) cacat pendengaran dan bisu yang mempunyai vesel namun enjinnya telah rosak.

"Saya yakin sumbangan ini begitu bermakna kepada individu itu sebagai mata pencarian dan menambahkan pendapatan," kata beliau.

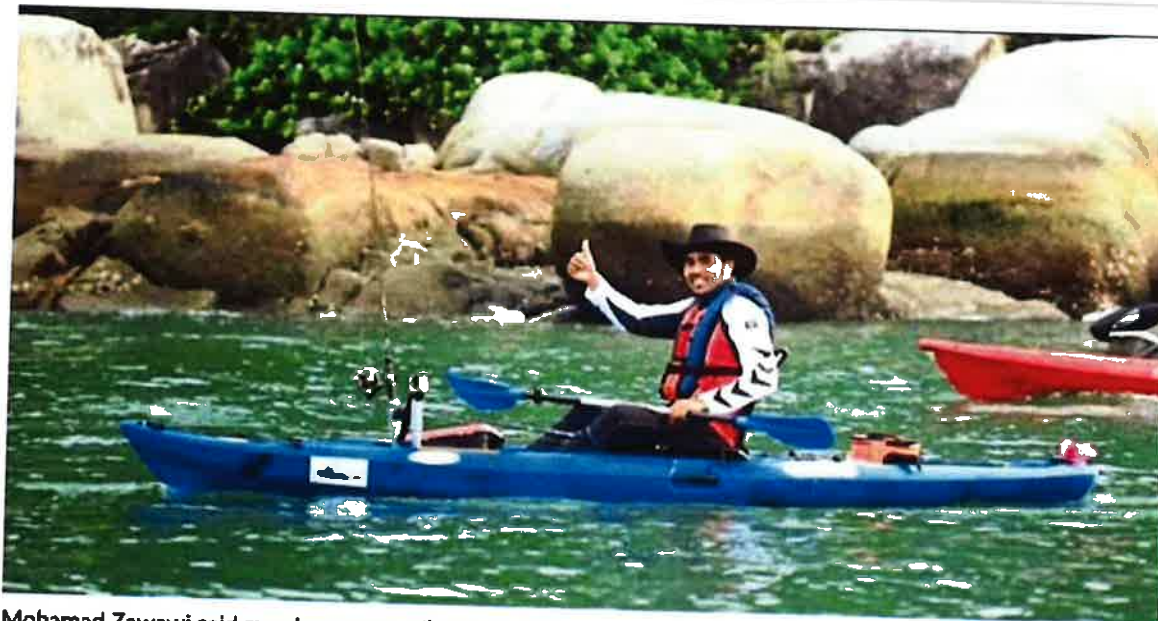
Difahamkan daerah Jasin mempunyai 218 vesel yang berdaftar manakala nelayan berdaftar seramai 267 orang yang ditempatkan di lapangan pangkalan.

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MediaTitle	The Star (Metro South and East)		
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Section	News	Circulation	19,900
Page No	1,3	Readership	59,700
Language	English	ArticleSize	440 cm ²
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Many fishing enthusiasts in Johor plan to resume hobby only after end of conditional movement control order >3

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Mohamad Zawawi said members were adhering to rules put in place when out fishing. – Filepic

Anglers put safety first and prefer not to go out fishing yet

By JOHN BARRY
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JOHOR BARU: Under the conditional movement control order (MCO), anglers can now go out and enjoy their hobby but a group in Johor have decided to wait longer before venturing out.

Angler Herman Tang Teck Lung, 44, who manages the Kayak Fishing Malaysia Facebook page with some 11,000 members, said he had been fishing since seven years old and loved his hobby.

"However, I want to stay safe and decided to delay any outdoor activities for now.

"I hope other anglers will wait at least until the MCO is over.

"When out fishing, we sometimes go in groups and given the situation, it is best to avoid doing so now," said Tang.

Mohamad Zawawi Ismail, 39, who is the founder of Kayak Fishing Johor, said the move to allow fishing activities was appreciated.

"We understand the gravity of the pandemic and will take precautions when going out.

"All our members have been informed and they, too, are



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adhering to rules put in place when out fishing.

Mohd Anuar Abdul Rahman, 36, an avid angler, said he decided to shelve all his fishing trips for now.

"There are so many amazing places to fish here in Johor, such as Tanjung Balau, Tanjung Lompat, Sedili, Kongkong and all the islands

around Mersing, as well as the rivers and lakes all over the state but I can wait. My friends share the same view.

"Health comes first and we have postponed our activities for now.

"We will resume fishing activities when the time is right," he said, adding that his group also carried out community work such as cleaning up beaches.

The conditional MCO was implemented on May 4, allowing most economic sectors to operate but under strict standard operating procedures (SOP)

At the same time, activities which did not involve a large number of people such as jogging and fishing, were also allowed.

The Fisheries Department announced an SOP for fishermen in the country on May 2.

The SOP states that only shore and bank fishing that does not require the use of boats or kayaks, and within 10km of residence, can be carried out between 7am and 6pm.

Operation of commercial fishing ponds and fishing at sea are not allowed at the moment, and anglers must practise social distancing at all times.

Headline	M`sia signs record rice import deal with India		
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Language	English	ArticleSize	123 cm ²
Journalist	N/A	AdValue	RM 2,952
Frequency	Daily	PR Value	RM 8,856



M`sia signs record rice import deal with India

MUMBAI: Malaysia has contracted to import a record 100,000 tonnes of rice from India for shipment this month and next, four industry officials told *Reuters*, in a further sign of improving trade relations between the countries after a diplomatic spat.

The first such purchase this year is already nearly twice the average annual volume of rice Malaysia has imported from India in the last five years, as rival suppliers such as Myanmar, Vietnam and Cambodia placed temporary curbs on exports to save the grain for themselves during

the coronavirus crisis.

Malaysia's purchases would help trim rice stockpiles in India, the world's biggest exporter of the commodity. "After a long time, Malaysia is making substantial purchases from India," B.V. Krishna Rao, president of India's Rice Exporters Association, told *Reuters*.

Malaysia's imports from India could rise to 200,000 tonnes this year after the latest deals, Rao and officials from three other firms said.

Malaysia's Agriculture and Food Industry Ministry did not respond to

a request for comment.

Malaysia bought around 53,000 tonnes per year on average from India in the past five years, according to data from the Indian commerce ministry. Total sales to Malaysia was a record 86,292 tonnes last year.

India is now offering white rice for around US\$390-US\$400 per tonne compared with more than US\$450 for other countries, exporters said.

"That is making buying lucrative from India," said Nitin Gupta, vice-president of trading company Olam India's rice business. — *Reuters*