

Floods: 39,255 household heads receive BWI as at noon today - Ismail Sabri

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He said those who have yet to register or receive the aid can contact the Disaster Operations Control Centre (PKOB) and their respective district officers to get the aid.

The government had recently announced the list of the Malaysian Family Flood Aid, which includes the BWI of RM1,000 to each affected head of household, compared to only RM500 previously.

The distribution of BWI has begun on Dec 27 last year, only 10 days after the unexpected massive floods that hit several states in the peninsula, including Selangor, Pahang and Negeri Sembilan.