



KERATAN AKHBAR

AKHBAR	:	STAR METRO	
TARIKH	:	5/11/2019	MUKA SURAT : 4
JABATAN	:	JPS	
KLASIFIKASI	:	PERHATIAN	

PERAK

Fewer flood victims in relief centres

A TOTAL of 406 people from 100 families are still placed at four temporary evacuation centres in three districts in Perak.

This is a drop in the number of victims following improved weather conditions in all the districts yesterday morning.

However, according to a state Fire and Rescue Department spokesperson in Hilir Perak district, some places were still flooded.

As of 8am yesterday, he said the number of flood victims in Hilir Perak staying at a centre in SK Changkat Jong, Teluk Intan, dropped to 47 compared to 64 last night.

In the Kerian district, the number of flood victims remained at 277 in two centres with 149 in SK Changkat Lobak and 128 in SK Parit Haji Aman.

In Manjung, there were 82 flood victims at Sekolah Agama Rakyat Padang Serai.

The floods in the districts are known as "stagnant floods" as the water collected there for the past few weeks could not flow out to the sea or rivers.

— Bernama