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## Terengganu Perhilitan captures female elephant

**KUALA TERENGGANU:** The state Wildlife and National Parks Department (Perhilitan) captured a female elephant in Kampung Durian Bador near Hulu Terengganu recently. Its director, Dr Abdul Malek Mohd Yusof, said the 2.5-tonne pachyderm was captured about 10am on Thursday in an operation carried out by six staff members of the Terengganu Elephant Capture Unit. He said the state Perhilitan had received complaints from residents of surrounding villages about a herd of elephants that roamed near their villages and damaged their crops. "We learned that there are nine elephants in this herd, and Terengganu Perhilitan will continue to monitor the movements of other elephants, which have yet to be captured." **Bernama**