



KEMENTERIAN TENAGA DAN SUMBER ASLI

## KERATAN SURAT KHABAR

SURAT KHABAR	:	NST			
TARIKH	:	5/6/2021	MUKA SURAT	:	15
JABATAN	:	PERHILITAN			

### Pregnant elephant, calf caught in Siong village

**BALING:** The Kedah Department of Wildlife and National Parks (Perhilitan) caught two wild elephants at Kampung Batu 8 in Siong here on Thursday. Its director, Jamalun Nasir Ibrahim, said the department received a report on the wild elephants at 10am on Wednesday. He said the elephants had damaged villagers' vegetable plots, resulting in losses. "A seven-member team from the Perhilitan Elephant Capture Unit was deployed to the site. A pregnant elephant and a male calf were caught at 12.30pm on Thursday with the assistance of villagers." The calf is believed to be between 3 and 5 years old, while the age of the other elephant had yet to be determined. "The elephants will be sent to the Belum Temenggor forest reserve in Perak," Jamalun said.