



Thank you: Megat Najmuddin (back row in blue shirt) and Yeo (with tie) with the MyKasih recipients.

Aid via MyKad for 50 poor families

Genting gives RM50,000 in support of programme

AS part of its efforts to help the needy, Genting Malaysia Berhad has contributed RM50,000 for the MyKasih "Love my 'Neighbourhood Programme" recently.

Fifty poor families were chosen to benefit from the programme.

Through the programme, the selected families will be given a bi-monthly allowance and they can buy essential items such as rice, cooking oil, bread, sugar and oil at participating retail outlets.

Speaking at the launch, MyKasih Foundation chairman Tan Sri Megat Najmuddin Megat Khas said that the innovative idea was developed by ePetrol Holding.

"The recipients can use their MyKad to buy groceries at participating retail centres. The pin number will only be known by the recipient and this ensures that the donation reaches the right peo-

ple," he said.

Genting communications vice-president Datuk Anthony Yeo said that they were proud of the collaboration.

"We are honoured to be partnering with the foundation and be a part of this initiative to help the needy.

Megat Najmuddin said the foundation also wanted to provide financial support for single mothers and also have tuition classes for school-going children of the selected families.

Since its launch in April last year, the foundation, with contributions from corporate donors, provided food aid for more than 900 families in Selayang, Puchong, Jinjang, Sentul, Segambut, Pandan Jaya, Cheras, Klang, Batu Caves, Ayer Itam in Penang, Tanjung Langsat in Johor and Tambun in Perak.