100 single mothers, fishermen's wives get assistance from Petronas

KUALA NERUS: Petronas, through its corporate social responsibility (CSR), today launched another programme in Terengganu, 'Planting Tomorrow', for the benefit of 100 single mothers and wives of fishermen in the Kuala Nerus district.

Petronas East Coast Region General Manager, Wan Mohd Hasnan Abdullah said the programme involved training to equip participants with the necessary skills to enable them to earn income for the family.

"We are working with MyKasih Foundation and the Kuala Nerus District Office to help generate income and improve the living condition of the 100 participants and their families," he said, adding that some of them had been able to carry out small businesses.

He told this to reporters after the opening of the programme by the State Entrepreneur, Micro Industry and Hawkers' Affairs Committee chairman Mohd Nurkhuzaini Ab Rahman. Also present was Seberang Takir State Assemblyman, Datuk Seri Ahmad Razif Abdul Rahman.

The programme, #KitaCipta,

involved a six-month training programme for participants to equip them with the necessary knowledge and skills to enable them to become successful entrepreneurs.

According to Wan Hasnan, 'Planting Tomorrow' is a continuation of the "Sentuhan Kasih" which was launched last April and involved 400 families in Kemaman, Dungun and Kuala Nerus.

Under the programme, the participants were given essential items worth RM80 a month for a year. - BERNAMA



PETRONAS East Coast Region General Manager, Wan Mohd Hasnan Abdullah (centre) posing with participants of the 'Planting Tomorrow' programme organised by Petronas in collaboration with MyKasih Foundation during the progamme launching yesterday. PHOTO: BERNAMA