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Fund to rebuild shophouses destroyed in Paloh fire

KLUANG: Sembrong Umno has launched a fund to help rebuild nine shophouses in Paloh that were destroyed in a recent fire.

Sembrong MP Datuk Seri Hishammuddin Hussein, who is also Home Minister, launched the fund during buka puasa at Masjid Jamek Felda Ulu Dengar here on Saturday.

The fund is the latest effort to help those who have been affected by the fire.



Helping hand: Hishammuddin placing contributions into the fund box to launch it at Masjid Jamek Felda Ulu Dengar in Kluang on Saturday. With him are state Tourism and Domestic Trade committee chairman Hoo Seong Chang, Kahang assemblyman R. Vidyathan and residents' representative Ahmad Ramaizi (left).

The division had earlier organised a gotong-royong, which drew participants from various races, to help clean up the area.

During the buka puasa event, Hishammuddin handed out duit raya, which were donated by six Felda settlements in the Sembrong parliamentary constituency, to needy folk.

He also handed out duit raya from the state welfare department and Percetakan Nasional Malaysia Berhad to 288 orphans and 286 single mothers.