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REINVIGORATING THE ECONOMY, DRIVING REFORMS, AND PROSPERING THE RAKYAT

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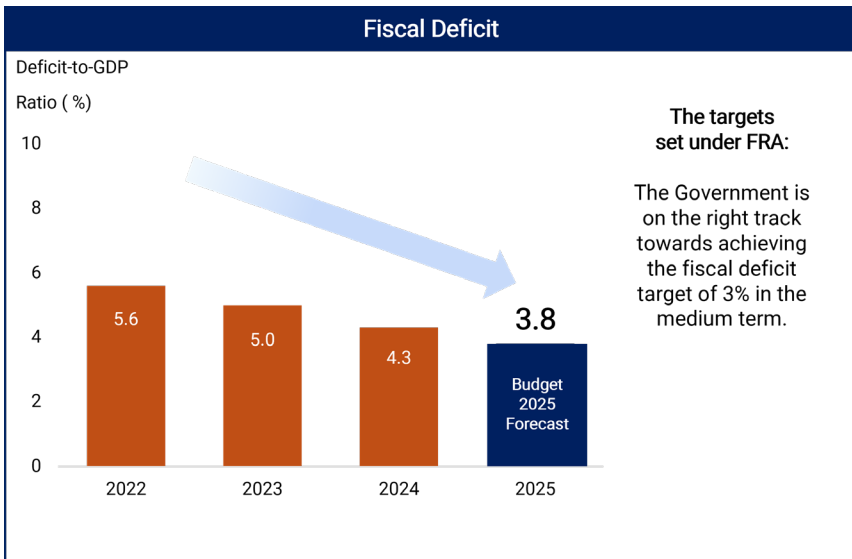
1. Fiscal Responsibility and Debt Management

- Malaysia’s Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth **4.5% - 5.5%** forecast in 2025
- World Bank GDP projection for 2024 **4.9%**

GDP growth for 2024 is projected to be more robust, ranging between 4.8% - 5.3%, compared to initial forecast	
Year	GDP
2023	3.6%
2024 – Budget Estimate	4.0% - 5.0%
2024 – Revised	4.8% - 5.3%
2025 – Budget Estimate	4.5% - 5.5%

- The Government fiscal deficit projection for 2025 **3.8%**

Federal Government Fiscal Position



2. Revenue Collection

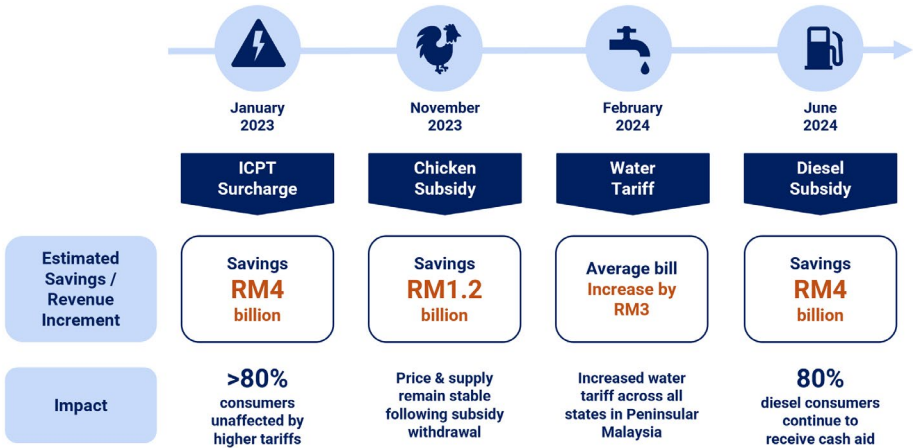
- The Government's revenue forecast for 2025 **RM339.7b**

3. Targeted Subsidies

- Total allocation for subsidies, assistance and incentives **RM58.2b**
- Annual savings expected from targeted subsidies for electricity, where 85% of population will continue to benefit from subsidies, while customers consuming over 600 kWh will be required to pay full rate without subsidies **RM4b**
- Water tariff adjustment was implemented in February 2024 to alleviate financial management burden on the state **-**
- Projected annual savings from floating chicken prices, without adversely affecting market supply **RM1.2b**
- Projected annual savings from targeted subsidies for diesel, as subsidised diesel sales reduced by 30% generating monthly savings of more than RM600 million **> RM4b**
- Targeted subsidies for RON95 will be implemented by mid-2025. The Government will continue to bear subsidies for 85% of the *rakyat*, at an estimated cost of RM12 billion **-**
- Allocation for Ministry of Domestic Trade and Cost of Living (KPDN) and Royal Malaysian Customs Department (RMCD) to combat leakages **RM60m**

- KPDN and RMCD seizure of illegal activities/contraband valued at almost RM2 billion -
- Empower Malaysia Competition Commission (MyCC) to curb cartel activities, price-fixing and monopolies **RM27m**

Commitment to Implement Targeted Subsidies in Stages



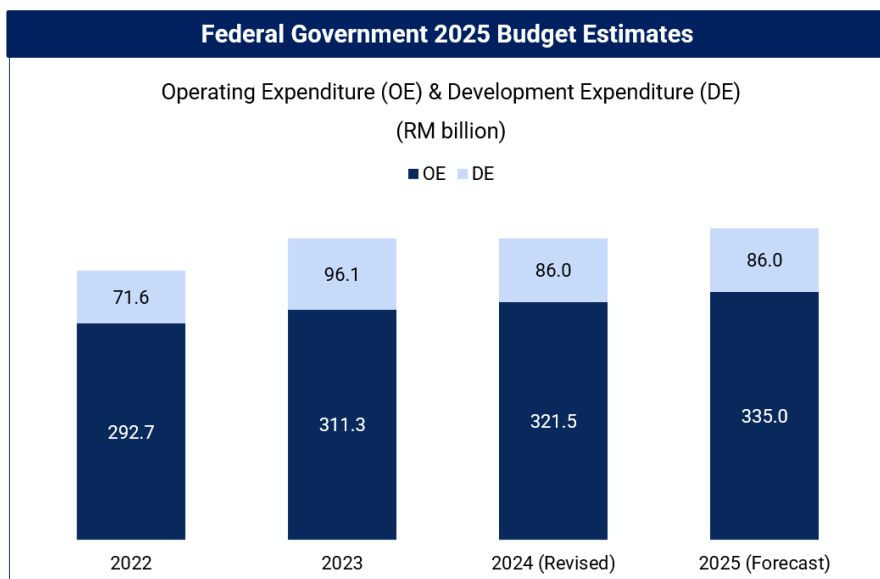
4. Budget 2025 Estimates

- Total allocation for Third MADANI Budget: **RM421.0b***
 - a) Operating Expenditure: **RM335.0 billion**
 - b) Development Expenditure: **RM86.0 billion**
 - c) Contingency Reserves: **RM2.0 billion**

**Excludes contingency reserves of RM2.0 billion*

- Other allocations apart from Government development funds, including:
 - a) Private Finance Initiative (PFI): **RM9.0 billion**
 - b) Government-Linked Investment Companies (GLIC)
Domestic Direct Investments: **RM25.0 billion**

Total public investments: **RM120.0 billion**



5. Inclusive Development

Reorganise new development projects to state priorities:

State	Project
Perak	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Raw Water Transfer Project from Sungai Perak for water supply in northern Perak and Penang; b) Kerian Integrated Green Industrial Park (KIGIP) as the first high-tech green hub in Southeast Asia; c) Automotive High-Tech Valley (AHTV) in Tanjong Malim as the nation's automotive hub, spearheaded by Proton and Geely; and d) Lumut Maritime Industrial City (LuMIC) as a regional maritime industrial hub
Pahang	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) High-priority flood mitigation projects involving rivers in Pahang; and b) Cameron Highlands Bypass Road construction project by upgrading the road from Bulatan McDonalds to Persimpangan Brinchang
Johor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Third phase of the North-South Expressway (PLUS) expansion from Simpang Renggam to Machap, from four (4) to six (6) lanes; b) Commence operations of Johor Bahru-Singapore Rapid Transit System Link in 2027; and c) Construct riverside barrage and reservoir in Sungai Sedili Besar, Kota Tinggi
Kelantan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Machang Water Treatment Plant construction; and b) Sultan Ismail Petra Airport, Kota Bharu runway extension project
Melaka	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Construct Elevated and Direct U-Turns at Pulau Gadong crossroads to Taman Cheng Perdana crossroads, Melaka Tengah; and b) Construct Melaka central market (<i>pasar besar</i>)
Perlis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Construct roads connecting Jalan Pesisir Pantai Kuala Perlis to Kuala Sanglang, and upgrade Jalan Persiaran Wawasan, Kangar from two (2) to four (4) lanes; and b) Upgrade Control Post and construct a new block at Immigration, Customs, Quarantine and Security (ICQS) Complex in Wang Kelian

State	Project
Selangor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Sungai Langat 2 Flood Mitigation Project; and b) Expand Pulau Indah Ring Road and Northport Klang, Selangor roads, as part of Government's initiative to support Port Klang's aspiration to be top 10 world best ports
Kedah	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Kulim Hi-Tech Park development to host the expansion of Infineon Technologies, a German semiconductor company, which has agreed to invest RM30.1 billion to build the world's largest silicon carbide (SiC) power fabrication plant; and b) Construct auxiliary building at Hospital Kulim
Kuala Lumpur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Restore and revitalise Bangunan Sultan Abdul Samad Complex, Bangunan Stesen Kereta Api Kuala Lumpur and Carcosa Seri Negara by Khazanah; and b) Lebuhraya Laluan Istana-Kiara (LIKE) project from Jalan Duta to Jalan Istana
Negeri Sembilan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Upgrade Jalan Bahau-Keratong, Jempol; and b) Upgrade sewage treatment plant at Serantau Kuala Sawah
Penang	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Penang LRT project; b) Penang International Airport expansion project; and c) Batu Kawan Industrial Park 3 (BKIP3) project
Terengganu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Sungai Tepoh and Banggol Air Lilih, Kuala Nerus Flood Mitigation Projects; b) Cypark Solar Hybrid Power Plant, Merchang; and c) Kenyir Hybrid Hydro-Floating Solar Farm and green hydrogen hub projects

- Federal allocation for development of Sabah **RM6.7b**
- Federal allocation for development of Sarawak **RM5.9b**
- Special Grants to Sabah and Sarawak **RM1.2b**

Significant Increase in Special Grants to Sabah and Sarawak		
Year	Sabah (RM million)	Sarawak (RM million)
1973-2021	26.7	16.0
2022	125.6	16.0
2023	300	300
2024	306	306
2025	600	600

- Letters of Acceptance (SST) issued for 17 work packages under Phase 1B of Pan Borneo Sabah covering Kota Belud to Kudat, Tawau to Kampung Lot M, and Telupid to Ranau **RM9.7b**
- Expected completion of Pan Borneo Sarawak by November 2024 **-**
- Finalised four (4) work packages under Sabah-Sarawak Link Road (SSLR) Phase 2 **RM7.4b**
- Tawau Airport, Sabah and Miri Airport, Sarawak expansion projects **RM253m**

- Develop Sarawak Cancer Centre in Kota Samarahan through collaboration between Federal Government and Sarawak State Government

RM1b

6. Public-Private Partnership

- Public-Private Partnership Master Plan 2030 (PIKAS 2030) aims to increase private investments by RM78 billion and generate 900,000 new employment opportunities for the *rakyat*. Development projects to factor 'user pay' elements, including the following *rakyat*-centric projects:
 - a) Hospital Sultanah Aminah 2 in Johor;
 - b) Juru and Sungai Dua, Penang Elevated Highway;
 - c) West Ipoh Span Expressway (WISE) from Gopeng to Kuala Kangsar, Perak;
 - d) Five Seasons in Two Years Paddy Cultivation initiative across Muda Agricultural Development Authority (MADA) areas in Kedah dan Perlis; and
 - e) West Coast Expressway (WCE) from Banting to Gelang Patah stretch

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7. Combating Corruption

- Allocation for Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC) **RM360m**
- Table Freedom of Information Bill and Government Procurement Bill to increase empowerment and efficiency in the public sector -
- Amended Audit Act to empower the Auditor-General to audit management of public funds, including companies receiving government guarantees taking the 'Follow the Public Money Audit' approach -
- Allocation for National Audit Department befitting its expanded responsibility of auditing 2,000 companies and entities receiving allocations and Government guarantees **RM200m**

8. Parliamentary Institution

- Allocation for Parliament of Malaysia to empower the Public Accounts Committee (PAC) and the Special Select Committee of the Dewan Negara and Dewan Rakyat as a check-and-balance body preserving independence of the Parliamentary Institution **RM180m**
- Support efforts of All-Party Parliamentary Group Malaysia Sustainable Development Goals (APPGM-SDG) across all parliamentary constituencies and political parties **RM20m**

9. Legislative Reforms

- Allocation for Legal Affairs Division, Prime Minister's Department in accordance with commitments to legislative and institutional reforms **RM209m**
- Formation of Legislative Reform Taskforce to spearhead the revision of more than 3,000 archaic laws to align with current standards, especially commercial laws such as the Contracts Act 1950 -
- Establish a Credit Oversight Board to regulate non-bank credit providers and credit service providers, such as factoring companies, non-bank leasing firms, and entities that offer 'Buy Now Pay Later' facilities -
- The Consumer Credit Act (CCA) will provide a regulatory framework for the credit industry to ensure responsible and transparent credit practices -
- Upgrade judicial infrastructure including the e-Kehakiman system in supporting the digital agenda **RM61m**
- Replace the Legal Aid Act 1971 with a new, more inclusive Act which includes provision of digital legal aid services -
- Develop a Malaysian Syariah Judicial Academy in Bandar Enstek, Negeri Sembilan **RM137m**

10. Government Institutional Reforms

- Merge Government entities with nearly identical roles to ensure founding mandates are realised more effectively. These mergers include: -
 - a) Malaysian Aviation Commission (MAVCOM) and Civil Aviation Authority of Malaysia (CAAM);
 - b) InvestKL and Malaysian Investment Development Authority (MIDA);
 - c) Razak School of Government (RSOG) and National Institute of Public Administration (INTAN); and
 - d) Halal Development Corporation (HDC) and Malaysia External Trade Development Corporation (MATRADE)

- Provide Guidelines on Management and Governance of Federal Statutory Bodies (BBP) to ensure statutory bodies achieve their founding goals without veering off from original purpose -

- Establish Coordinating Office for BBP Rationalisation to review strategic direction, financial capabilities, and overlapping roles of approximately 544 BBP entities, including extension to Company Limited by Guarantee (CLBG) -

11. Commitment to Administrative Efficiency

- Draft Public Administration Efficiency Commitment Bill, encompassing three (3) major shifts, namely reduce bureaucracy, accelerate administrative processes, and enhance efficiency in service delivery -

- Public Service Reform Agenda to focus on five (5) outcomes, namely Value and Governance, Human Capital Development, Organisational Development, Service Delivery, and Public and Private Strategic Synergy -

- Special Task Force on Agency Reform (STAR) to collaborate with Malaysia Productivity Corporation (MPC) to expand *Reformasi Kerenah Birokrasi (RKB)* Initiative across all agencies, including reviewing regulations to shorten approval processes for benefit of the *rakyat*, traders and investors **RM25m**

- Establish centralised channel at Urban Transformation Centres (UTCs) to assist *rakyat* in requesting for assistance across various agencies, including: -
 - a) Road Transport Department (RTD) counter operating hours extended by an hour;

 - b) Develop UTC in Seberang Perai, Penang and provide Queue Management System (QMS) at all UTCs to allow *rakyat* to obtain queue numbers online (RM4m);

- c) *Kiosk Sentuhan MADANI* initiative by gathering various Government service kiosks in focal areas to enable dealings with Government outside office hours;
 - d) Use of iPayment at all Government counters as a cashless payment platform; and
 - e) Upgrade health clinics at UTCs (RM6m)
- Empower mobile services to meet needs of rural and remote communities: **RM100m**
 - a) Expand Mobile Community Services in Sabah and Sarawak, including proposed locations in Kampung Pangaraan, Sabah and Pulau Bruit, Sarawak (RM2m);
 - b) Expand mobile clinic treatment services encompassing physiotherapy, psychosocial support, training for family members to care for bed-ridden patients at home as well as mammogram screenings by university teaching hospitals such as University Malaya Medical Centre (UMMC) (RM13m);
 - c) Mobile Health and Dental Clinics, including nine (9) additional mobile dental clinics, totalling 54 nationwide (RM63.4m);
 - d) Instil financial literacy among communities through Financial Education Network (FEN) roadshows nationwide by Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM);
 - e) Science on Wheels by National Science Centre as mobile mini science centre to expand outreach and

access of STEM programme to rural, interior, and remote areas (RM5m);

- f) Empower *Perkhidmatan Menyemai Kasih Rakyat* (MEKAR) JPN through 4WD MEKAR (RM1m);
- g) Mobile Court and Legal Aid (Justice on Wheels) (RM5m); and
- h) The Mobile BSN Bank increased by four (4) units, bringing the total to 16, with a focus on Sabah and Sarawak, to facilitate the transfer of assistance (RM10m)

12. Sejati MADANI

- Allocation between RM50,000 and RM100,000 for community committee economic activities -
- Intensify Sejati MADANI initiatives through broader collaborations, including: **RM1b**
 - a) Boost economy of communities in villages, cities, rural areas and Orang Asli villages under ICU JPM supervision. Village committees will decide economic activity to be ventured into by the respective committees (RM600m);
 - b) Extend Kampung Angkat MADANI Programme benefits in 200 villages led by Ministries/Departments (RM200m);
 - c) Allocation for public universities to implement Kampung Angkat MADANI and TVET institutions to

provide community and TVET services (RM100m);
and

d) Empower Program Perumahan Rakyat (PPR) communities through various socioeconomic programmes (RM100m)

- Major palm oil companies such as Kuala Lumpur Kepong (KLK), IOI Group, SD Guthrie, TH Plantations and United Plantations will adopt adjacent palm oil smallholders to provide assistance including supply of latest seeds and best fertilisers as well as helping them comply with sustainability standards -
- Facilitate procurement process for *rakyat*-critical projects through increased thresholds for: -
 - a) *Gotong-royong* activities to RM200,000;
 - b) Quotation value for lift maintenance and replacement works in public housing and quarters to RM1.2 million; and
 - c) Increase value limit for direct appointments and quotations for all maintenance and minor repair works, to RM200,000 and RM1 million, respectively, in addition to projects for schools, dilapidated clinics, and existing healthcare facilities

13. Optimal Use of Resources

- Relocate foreign offices not operating under one roof to the Chancery Office or merge with nearest offices to optimise operating costs and resources -

- STAR will review vacant spaces and buildings owned by Government agencies, GLICs and Government-linked Companies (GLCs) to be used as preschools, childcare centres, and skills training centres -
- Centralise Government agency applications such as Pangkalan Data Utama (PADU), Road Transport Department (JPJ) and Inland Revenue Board of Malaysia (IRBM) under the MyDigital ID Single Application in line with digital transformation -
- Utilise the proceeds from the sale of Special License Plates (NPK) to extend the MyLesen initiative to 15,000 secondary/university students and B40 youth seeking employment by reducing the burden on the cost of acquiring the Malaysian Driving License (LMM) Class B2 (Motorcycle) -
- Finance existing *rakyat*-centric initiatives such as Free Helmet Replacement to 67,000 B40 families, MyLesen, and Self-Employment Social Security Scheme (SKSPS-SOCSO) Contributions through bulk sales of Special Registration Numbers (NPIs) to automotive companies -
- Improve governance of Outcome Based Budgeting system to ensure allocations provided achieve their objectives and meet expectations and needs of *rakyat* -

14. Cyber Security

- Strengthen role of National Scam Response Centre (NSRC) involving collaboration with BNM, Royal Malaysian Police (RMP), and financial institutions **RM20m**
- Launch National Fraud Portal to combat online fraud through automatic detection of suspicious transactions -
- Amendments to the Penal Code [Act 574] and Criminal Procedure Code [Act 593] to enable more effective action by enforcement agencies in curbing mule account syndicates -
- Enactment of Online Safety Bill to ensure service providers are responsible to enhance safety of users, especially involving children -
- Add 100 positions at the National Cyber Security Agency (NACSA) to strengthen nation's cybersecurity **RM10m**
- Allocation for CyberSecurity Malaysia, including: **RM53m**
 - a) Develop advanced cyber technology security assessment and testing capacities (CENTREACT) (RM8m);
 - b) Strengthen cyber threat monitoring, detection, and reporting (RM8m);
 - c) Digital security and privacy certification (RM7m);
 - d) Strengthen cyber forensic system capacity (RM6m);

e) Malaysia cyber security empowerment promotion programme for SMEs (RM6m); and

f) Strengthen cyber ethics on nation's human capital towards cyber security professionalism (RM2m)

- Ensure artificial intelligence is harnessed to detect, prevent, and combat cyber crimes **RM2.5m**
- Government, through the Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission (MCMC), will reinforce regulatory oversight via Special Task Force to Combat Cyber Crimes, involving various Ministries -

15. Catastrophe & Disaster

- Clean and upgrade drains and ditches to reduce flooding in several hotspot areas under local authorities (PBT) **RM150m**
- Allocation for National Disaster Management Agency (NADMA) in preparation for floods (RM300 million provision for this year in the event of floods at the end of the year) **RM582m**
- Matching grant immediately provided to GLICs' and GLCs' foundations to intensify response and distribution of aid to victims in flood-affected areas **RM20m**
- The Department of Irrigation and Drainage (JPS) and Local Councils (PBT) are allowed to carry out procurement of up to RM1 million through quotation method among registered G1 to G3 contractors through voting **RM50m**

- Letters of Acceptance (SST) for 12 Flood Mitigation Projects (RTB) issued, including: **RM3b**
 - a) RTB Sungai Damansara, Selangor;
 - b) RTB Sungai Likas, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah;
 - c) RTB Sungai Triang, Bera, Pahang;
 - d) RTB Sungai Tepoh and Banggol Air Lilih, Kuala Nerus, Terengganu; and
 - e) Development of Lembangan Sungai Bersepadu Sungai Kelantan Fasa 2, Kota Bharu

- Landslide and Slope Mitigation and Repair Programmes across Malaysia **RM251m**

- Programme to curb issue of soil slips (*Program Pemulihan Tanah Jerlus*) in Kerian Laut, Perak; Kedah; and Perlis **RM21m**

- Implement Geotechnical Survey of Soil Layer Structure on major roads around Kuala Lumpur Golden Triangle **RM10m**

- Repair damage to Volunteer Fire Brigade (PBS) stations nationwide **RM3m**

- Enhance capacity of consular assistance to Malaysian diaspora, including during emergencies, evacuations, and other urgent needs **RM20m**

FOCUS II: REINVIGORATING THE ECONOMY

16. New Investment Incentive Framework

- Introduce New Investment Incentive Framework focusing on high-value activities in the third quarter of 2025, with an emphasis on economic complexities, across sectors, creation of high-income jobs, set up of special economic groupings, and reduction of economic disparities between regions, as well as ESG-oriented investments -
- Facilitate inclusive investments to boost a balanced economic growth nationwide through the introduction of a strategic investment fund to enhance local talent capacity and spur high-value activities within the country **RM1b**
- Government committed to streamline existing incentives, create new non-tax incentives as well as study feasibility of Tax Credit Strategic Investment to mitigate impact of Global Minimum Tax (GMT) -
- MIDA to be the approving authority for employment pass for non-citizen graduates from public higher education institutions to fulfil human capital needs of NIMP sectors -

17. Strategic Investments

- Strategic Co-Investment Fund (CoSIF) under NIMP 2030 for matching investments through equity crowdfunding (ECF) and peer-to-peer (P2P) financing platforms to support expansion of local vendors in electrical and electronics (E&E), specialty chemicals, and medical devices industries to strengthen local supply chains **RM131.5m**

Securities Commission Malaysia (SC)

Programme/ Scheme	Allocation	Purpose	Financing Terms
NIMP 2030 Strategic Co-Investment Fund (CoSIF)	RM131.5m	Co-investment funds through SC-approved ECF and P2P platforms aims to attract investor participation in financing priority sectors and new growth sectors identified under NIMP 2030	<p>ECF/P2P platforms will assess SMEs and Mid-Tier Companies (MTCs) applicant eligibility in NIMP 2030 sectors based on the conditions determined by MITI</p> <p>Financing rate, size and tenure: Determined by ECF/P2P platforms which will publish financing campaign of applicant company</p> <p>Matching ratio of 1:3 (For every RM3 issued from ECF/P2P campaign, RM1 will be funded by CoSIF)</p>

- NIMP Industrial Development Fund to encourage innovation of local companies through technology adoption, targeting creation of 3,000 smart factories by 2030 **RM68.5m**

- Collective pledge by GLICs for domestic direct investments amounting to RM120 billion over the next five (5) years under the first phase of Government-linked Enterprises Activation and Reform Programme (GEAR-uP). RM25 billion will be invested in 2025

Domestic Direct Investment Commitments by Government-linked Investment Companies (GLICs) in line with Key Economic Sectors

<p>A renewed focus on Malaysia ...</p>	<p>... to transform the nation's strategic sectors and companies ...</p>	<p>... and be a lighthouse for Malaysian corporates to workers and communities ...</p>	<p>... acting united as one across GLICs and Government</p>
<p>Domestic Direct Investments RM120b Over 2024-28</p> <p>On top of RM440b steady state investment in public markets</p> 	 <p>Invest to create high value ecosystems to achieve national ambitions ...</p> <p>... with a relay race across GLICs to support Malaysian entrepreneurs at each stage of growth</p>	<p>Recognise responsibility to be a catalyst for nation building and social justice (e.g. GLICs' commitments to RM3,100 living wage)</p> 	 <p>Cross-collaborations across GLICs on strategic areas (e.g. joint investments by Khazanah and KWAP to strengthen the VC ecosystem)</p> <p>Cooperation between GLICs and Government to enhance public healthcare (e.g. <i>Rakan KKM</i>)</p>

Private Market Investment Programmes by GLICs

Programme/Fund	Programme Size (RM million)	Period	Objective
Dana Pemacu (KWAP)	6,000	2024-2028	Strengthen domestic private market across private equity (PE), infrastructure, and real estate classes
Dana Perintis (KWAP)	1,000	2024-2028	Facilitate efforts to advance Malaysia's startup and venture capital (VC) ecosystem via direct and indirect investments
National Fund-of-Funds (NFOF) (Khazanah)	1,000	2024-2028	Invest in innovative and high-growth startups via PE and VC funds
Mid-Tier Companies (MTCs) Programme (Khazanah)	1,000	2024-2028	Enhance competitiveness of local MTCs through funding as well as capacity and capability building programmes
Semiconductor (Khazanah)	1,000	2024-2028	Lead investments that support local semiconductor industry

18. Venture Capital & Startup Ecosystem

- Khazanah to establish National Fund-of-Funds (NFOF) with a total allocation of RM1 billion deployed over next four (4) years to support VC fund managers investing in startup companies **RM300m**
- KWAP through Dana Perintis will allocate RM1 billion over next four (4) years to accelerate development of local startup ecosystem **RM200m**
- Programmes under Cradle Fund to identify and support startups with high potential to expand regionally and globally **RM50m**
- Cradle Fund through Corporate Innovation Accelerator Programme to provide matching grants in strengthening linkages between GLCs with local startups and corporate VC initiatives **RM15m**
- BNM to facilitate the approval process for cross-border fund flows under the Foreign Exchange Administration Policy to strengthen the VC ecosystem, ensuring it remains competitive in attracting foreign investments. Approvals for cross-border fund flows involving VC and PE fund managements companies can now be granted based on the total fund size mandate **-**
- Provide conducive facilities to attract startup companies in Kuala Lumpur **RM5m**
- Various entrepreneurship training programmes for MSMEs under Centre for Entrepreneur Development and Research (CEDAR) **RM2m**

- Business Export Programme for internationalisation of MSMEs in high-value sectors (SME Bank) **RM5m**
- *Dana Mudahcara MySTI* – Catalyst fund to promote use of local R&D innovations for Government procurement **RM5m**
- Allocations for startup ecosystem, including: **RM77.5m**
 - a) Cradle Fund (RM24.5m)
 - b) Malaysia Debt Ventures (MDV) (Technology Acceleration and Commercialisation Scheme – TACT 2.0) (RM30m)
 - c) MDV (Financing Microfund Guarantee Scheme – Tech FMG) (RM18m)
 - d) Malaysian Research Accelerator for Technology & Innovation (MRANTI) (RM5m)

19. Digitalisation & Automation

- Investments totalling USD16.9 billion for the period up to 2038 from global technology giants such as Amazon Web Services (AWS), Microsoft, Google, and Oracle **-**
- Establish National Artificial Intelligence Office (NAIO) to enhance AI adoption through collaboration between academia and industry **RM10m**
- Establish ASEAN AI Safety Network (ASEAN AI Safe) to mobilise AI expertise and security together with neighbouring countries **RM3m**

- Government plans to implement a multi-tiered levy mechanism early next year to reduce dependence on foreign workers. Proceeds from levy will be channelled to the industry for automation and mechanisation -
- Digital PMKS Matching Grant and Digital Penjaja Grant under BSN for local entrepreneurs to remain competitive **RM50m**
- Empower National Information Dissemination Centre (NADI) nationwide as a community platform to increase income through online entrepreneurial activities, allocated for five (5) years under MCMC **RM100m**
- Continue Rural Community Centres' initiative to bridge the digital divide in rural areas **RM10.5m**
- Increase productivity through matching grants for R&D expenditure and eligible training: **RM20m**
 - a) Domestic Investment Accelerator Fund (DIAF) for domestic companies (RM5m); and
 - b) Foreign Investment Accelerator Fund (FI AF) for multinational corporations (RM15m)
- Allocation for promotion of e-commerce activities under MATRADE, MARA, and MDEC **RM24m**
- Upgrade basic infrastructure in existing integrated industrial areas **RM15m**
- Launch InvestMalaysia's one-stop investor portal as the main touchpoint for local and foreign investors to obtain information, data, and strategic narrative related to the country's economic direction -

20. Johor-Singapore Special Economic Zone

- Forest City has been approved as a Duty Free Island to boost tourism and local economic activities. In addition, an incentive package for the Forest City Special Financial Zone was announced in September 2024 to boost financial services activities, such as global business financial services and fintech -
- Single Family Office scheme for Forest City Special Financial Zone to promote family wealth management. The Securities Commission (SC) will serve as the appointed approving authority for pass applications for the entry of capital market investors, subject to stipulated conditions -
- Government will provide special incentives under the Johor-Singapore Special Economic Zone (JS-SEZ) to attract high-quality investments and high-value jobs, which will be announced by the end of this year -
- Establish Invest Malaysia Facilitation Centre - Johor (IMFC-J) to expedite approval processes including advisory services to reduce bureaucracy in facilitating investments in JS-SEZ -

21. Facilitating Export Markets

- Launch of the mid-tier companies (MTCs) programme by Khazanah Nasional aims to provide funding that supports local companies in building their capabilities **RM1b**
- *Skim Insentif Pemampanan Pengeksport* by EXIM Bank to encourage local exporters to expand operations globally **RM750m**

- Market Development Grant to assist Malaysian exporters in promoting Made in Malaysia products and services globally, and focus on exploring new markets in Africa, Latin America, and the Middle East **RM40m**
- Construct and upgrade Pulau Indah Ring Road and Northport Klang, Selangor **RM107m**

22. Tourism & Culture

- Visit Malaysia 2026 campaign to elevate Malaysia as a preferred tourist destination in Asia **RM400m**
- Tourism Sector Matching Grant (GSSP) to organise tourism events **RM50m**
- Cultural Sector Support Grant (GSSK) for arts and cultural events **RM30m**
- International & Charter Flights Matching Grant (GSPC) to increase number of international flights **RM30m**
- *Dana Galakan Melancong Malaysia* (GAMELAN) to enhance tourism promotional activities **RM20m**
- Promote activities related to arts, culture and heritage **RM5m**
- Promote arts and culture through heritage cuisine **RM5m**
- Foster development of handicraft and *batik* communities **RM5m**
- Establish a digital repository of national heritage artifacts to safeguard national treasure and heritage **RM15m**

- Improve and enhance key tourist areas with basic amenities, establish ecotourism partnerships, and support nominations for UNESCO, including: **RM110m**
 - a) Enhance facilities at Endau Rompin National Park, Johor; Pulau Redang, Terengganu; and Tusan Bekenu Beach, Sarawak;
 - b) Establish ecotourism partnerships with UNDP and Habitat Foundation; and
 - c) Nominations for UNESCO such as the Sungai Lembing Tin Mining Site, Pahang; and cultural elements like the Chingay Cultural parade and lion dance

- Restoration efforts to rejuvenate Bangunan Sultan Abdul Samad Complex and Carcosa Seri Negara by Khazanah to uplift Kuala Lumpur as a creative and cultural district. These include building a multi-storey bridge that connects the Perdana Botanical Gardens with Carcosa Seri Negara commencing next year **RM600m**

- Conservation of Putrajaya Monorail Suspension Bridge as a tourist landmark **RM15m**

- Incentive for tourism programmes including international sporting events **RM4m**

- Malaysian Healthcare Travel Council (MHTC) allocation for health tourism related programmes **RM31m**

- Allocation for Malaysia Convention & Exhibition Bureau (MyCEB) **RM8.2m**

- Allocation for museums **RM60m**

23. ASEAN-Malaysia 2025 Chairmanship

- All ministries and departments involved in organising meetings and activities to source handicrafts from local entrepreneurs to support handicraft artisans in conjunction with the ASEAN-Malaysia 2025 Chairmanship -
- Facilitate procurement of souvenirs up to RM100,000 and quotations of up to RM1 million to support local artisans in conjunction with ASEAN-Malaysia 2025 Chairmanship -

24. Energy Transition

- Allocation for National Energy Transition Facility fund to support energy transition projects towards achieving net-zero emission targets by 2050 **RM305.9m**
- NETR projects entering the execution phase: -
 - a) Kenyir Hybrid Hydro-Floating Solar Farm with a generation capacity of 1,000 MW, of which half of the energy output will be allocated towards the first green hydrogen hub project in Terengganu through a collaboration between PETRONAS and Tenaga Nasional Berhad (TNB); and
 - b) Large-Scale Solar (LSS) programme to develop LSS power generation projects with a total quota of 2,000 MW through a competitive bidding process with evaluation to be completed by December 2024
- Initiative to enhance access to renewable energy (RE) -
- Investment by UEM Lestara and TNB to enhance the capacity of transmission and distribution networks as well as decarbonise industrial parks to meet RE demand **RM16b**

- Corporate Renewable Energy Supply Scheme (CRESS) is an open grid access initiative enabling corporates to source green electricity directly from RE generators in the market -
- Extension of existing Net Energy Metering (NEM) programme to 30 June 2025 encouraging solar PV systems installation as follows: -
 - a) Additional quota of 50 MW for domestic category under NEM *rakyat* programme; and
 - b) Additional quota of 300 MW for commercial and industrial category under NEM NOVA programme
- Introduce specific programme prioritising on structural design of dual-layered systems for RE generation such as agrivoltaics concept to avoid the negative impact of the RE power plant on food production -
- Introduce Energy Performance Contracts (EPC) for all Government agencies to save up to 10% of total electricity bills -
- Provision of e-rebates by the *Nikmat Untuk Rakyat PETRA* (NUR@PETRA) programme to encourage: **RM70m**
 - a) Domestic consumers purchase electrical equipment such as refrigerators and air conditioners that are energy-efficient; and
 - b) Industrial and commercial sectors to replace existing chillers to be more energy-efficient

- Provide solar panelled-covered walkways and parking lots in Putrajaya, as an example for other cities -
- The Carbon Capture, Utilisation and Storage (CCUS) Progressive Regulatory Framework Bill will be tabled imminently -
- Continuation of Electric Motorcycle Use Promotion Scheme of RM2,400 cash rebates for purchase of Completely Knocked Down (CKD) electric motorcycles, applicable to *rakyat* with an annual income below RM120,000 **RM10m**
- Financing facilities through the Conditional Energy Audit and Energy Management Grant Programme in the industrial and commercial sectors **RM24m**
- Develop a holistic solar rooftop programme factoring into considerations surrounding grid and network capacity to spur installation of solar photovoltaic (PV) systems on rooftops of residential, commercial, industrial and agricultural premises -

25. Preserving Natural Treasures

- Ecological Fiscal Transfer (EFT) allocation for efforts to protect forests and wildlife, including tree replanting programs by the State Government. 50% of allocated amount distributed is subject to the implementation and expenditure performance by the State Government **RM250m**

- Increase number of community rangers to 2,500 through the Biodiversity Protection and Patrolling Programme (BP3) and Smart Patrol in the Permanent Reserved Forest (PRF) in the Central Forest Spine (CFS): **RM80m**
 - a) Veterans of Malaysian Armed Forces (ATM) and Royal Malaysia Police (RM27m);
 - b) Orang Asli (RM20m); and
 - c) Local communities, Sabah & Sarawak community rangers (RM33m)

National River Trail (DSK) and Community River Cleanup Programmes to be complemented with communication, education & public awareness (CEPA) involving local communities in: **RM10m**

- a) Sungai Anak Bukit, Kedah;
- b) Sungai Pegalan, Sabah; and
- c) Sungai Entanak, Sarawak

- Upgrade existing regional sewage treatment plants and construct a sewage pipeline network to curb water pollution at Sungai Kim Kim, Johor **RM693m**
- Amend National Trust Fund Act 1988 broadening sources of contributions to the National Trust Fund (KWAN) as well as reinforce governance of fund's withdrawal -
- Strengthen enforcement programme by Department of Environment (DOE) and enhancement of Environmental Quality Act 1974 **RM3.9m**

- Improve efficiency of Marine Protected Area (MPA) management, including planning, monitoring and enforcement **RM3.3m**
- Forest restoration projects **RM98m**

26. Food Security

- Continue Land Use Optimisation Programme in collaboration with State Governments for agricultural projects, including: **RM300m**
 - a) Prisma 1: Conservation of Sawah Nogori in Negeri Sembilan;
 - b) Perak Onion Project SADC;
 - c) Commercial Red Tilapia Livestock Project in Pahang;
 - d) Smart Agriculture & IoT Rice Field in Penang; and
 - e) Fishermen's Jetty Repair & Seed Release Programme in Penang
- Utilise nearly 8,800 acres of idle land under regional development authorities and affiliated agencies to implement agricultural projects such as cluster crops, paddy redevelopment and organic chicken and cattle enterprises **-**
- Onion Industry Development Programme for farmers in Perak, Kelantan, Selangor, Johor, Kedah and Penang **RM6m**
- Incentives for small ruminant farmers with an existing livestock birth rate of at least 100% **RM12m**

- Incentives for beef cattle farmers with an existing livestock birth rate of at least 60% **RM8.8m**
- Phase 1 of Five Seasons in Two Years Paddy Cultivation using 11,000 hectares land across the MADA region **RM784m**
- Expand FELCRA paddy estates in Sarawak and Sabah for food security agenda **RM10m**
- Development and maintenance projects on water resources and irrigation infrastructure of rice granary zones and adjacent areas **RM55m**
- Pilot project to introduce precision farming including usage of organic fertilisers through an open tender process following the success of paddy field management -
- Special provisions of subsidies, assistance and incentives for farmers and fishermen, including: **RM2.7b**
 - a) *Skim Takaful Tanaman Padi Perlindungan Pertanian* (RM45m);
 - b) Paddy Price Subsidy Scheme (RM825m);
 - c) Huma or hill paddy allocation (RM57.2m);
 - d) Monthly subsistence allowance for fishermen (RM144.2m); and
 - f) Incentives for fish landings (RM15m)
- Ceiling rate for new construction or relocation assistance for fishermen's houses at RM84,000 for Peninsular Malaysia and RM90,000 for Sabah and Sarawak -

- Fishermen Housing Assistance to refurbish and build new homes for fishermen **RM10m**
- Investment funds through venture fund for agricultural, biotechnology and agritech-based companies **RM10m**
- Expand the MADANI community gardens (*Kebuniti*) programme by All-Party Parliamentary Party Group Malaysia (APPGM) for identified locations to support food security agenda **RM10m**
- Continue the *Pembangunan Semula Hasil Baharu Pekebun Kecil* programme provide income generation opportunities through short-term crops and livestock farming **RM112.6m**
- Sustainable agriculture agenda includes development of agrifood sustainability, soil conservation programmes **RM49m**
- Agricultural Disaster Fund (TBP) to assist those affected by the disaster to ensure the recovery and sustainability of national agrifood projects **RM25m**
- Promotion Programme for Good Agricultural Practices (GAP) Scheme to promote production of quality and safe produce for consumption **RM5.5m**
- Implement a Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) in an effort to strengthen enforcement of national agrofood regulation to eradicate middlemen **RM10m**

27. Plantation & Commodities

- Allocation of plantation and commodity agencies namely FELDA, FELCRA and RISDA to mitigate global challenges and incorporate modern technology within agri-commodity sector **RM2.6b**
- Oil Palm Replanting Incentive Programme for smallholders to replace aged oil palm trees that are no longer productive through a hybrid scheme in form of a 50% grant and 50% soft loan **RM100m**
- Collaboration between PETRONAS, and leading palm oil companies to produce sustainable aviation fuel (SAF) using residual palm oil waste from palm oil mill waste -
- Empower palm oil industry sustainability and global anti-palm oil campaigns: **RM65m**
 - a) Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil Certification Programme (MSPO) (RM50m); and
 - b) Anti-palm oil campaign (RM15m)
- Matching grants for Smallholders' Latex Productivity Enhancement (PROTEKS) programme under RISDA to enhance latex production for smallholders in meeting industry demands while reducing import dependence **RM60m**
- Incentive for smallholders to re-cultivate abandoned and untapped rubber plantation areas through a land leasing approach, where abandoned land will be leased for re-cultivation and profits will be divided according to agreement between smallholders, implementing agencies and landowners **RM20m**

- Disaster relief fund for treatment and control of diseases and pests for the agri commodity sector to protect crops from diseases such as Pestalotiopsis Leaf Fall Disease (LDP), bagworms (*Metisa plana*), Ganoderma, Sooty Mold and others **RM10m**
- Upgrade and maintain Smallholder Farm Roads (JLPK) nationwide **RM19m**

28. Islamic Financial Innovation

- Matching grants for Islamic financing based on Islamic principle from Islamic banking institutions and private investors. Pioneered financing options include fair risk and profit-sharing, with a focus on climate finance and food security projects **RM100m**
- Additional allocation for matching grants to support more micro-entrepreneurs and encourage greater participation from financial institutions in the iTEKAD initiative. A total of RM5 million is earmarked for contributions to insurance or takaful premiums, which RM1 million is specifically allocated for the procurement of mobile devices in collaboration with digital banking institutions to assist iTEKAD entrepreneurs in their digitalisation efforts **RM20m**
- Allocation to Malaysia Co-investment Fund (MyCIF) for matching investments in 2025 to promote Islamic financial risk-sharing models based on concepts of *musharakah* and *mudharabah* through ECF and P2P platforms **RM40m**

- Support joint venture between International Islamic University Malaysia and INCEIF University to enhance application of Islamic economic values. Development of research and academic programmes will help to integrate Islamic economics into current policy formulation, ensuring alignment with the principles of *maqasid shariah*, fairness, inclusivity and sustainability for shared prosperity **RM10m**

29. Halal Industry Development

- Addition of 100 new officers as halal auditors under JAKIM to expedite issuance of halal certificates **RM5m**
- Enhance MYeHALAL system to reduce processing time for halal certificates issuance to between 15 and 23 days from 30 days, as well as centralise 20 Government agencies and 100 international halal certification bodies under a single platform **RM5m**
- Halal industry development including Halal Go Global to be more competitive and able to penetrate foreign market **RM20m**
- Assistance for local halal entrepreneurs' transition towards green practices to enhance export businesses abroad in collaboration with BNM, Islamic Development Bank (IsDB), World Bank Group in Malaysia and selected implementation partners **RM15m**

30. Waqf Land Development

- Funds from KWAP to enhance development of waqf land for building independent retirement homes for low-income senior citizen pensioners **RM300m**
- Funding through UDA for the development of affordable housing for *rakyat* on waqf lands **RM200m**
- Funding provision through Public Sector Home Financing Board (LPPSA) for the benefit of civil servants purchasing homes on waqf land -
- Government guarantee through *Syarikat Jaminan Kredit Perumahan* (SJKP) for programmes under financial institutions that offer financing for the purchase of a first house worth up to RM500,000 developed on waqf land -
- PNB through Wakaf ASNB continues to be empowered as a channel for unitholders to make charitable donation while investing with ASNB through a combination of investment and waqf. The unitholders' dividend proceeds will be channelled to waqf projects for the benefit of the ummah -
- Wakaf MARA MADANI fund to attract waqf contributions from the corporate sector, including figures who have benefited from MARA to achieve the RM1 billion fund target -

31. Business Assistance and Financing

- Indian Community Programme – Empowering socio-economy of the community (MITRA) **RM100m**
- Skim Pembiayaan Usahawan Masyarakat India (SPUMI) under TEKUN Nasional **RM30m**
- Allocation for Buy Malaysian Goods Campaign (KBBM) **RM10m**
- Franchise Development Programme: **RM8.7m**
 - a) Enhanced Franchise Development Programme (EFDP) to increase exports (RM2.7m); and
 - b) Be Your Own Boss Project (RM6m)
- Vendor development through research and commercialisation grants: **RM9m**
 - a) Vendor Capacity Development Programme (RM7m); and
 - b) Vendor Research and Commercialisation Programme (RM2m)

Business Loan Facilities

RM40b

- Total value of loans and financing guarantees available for the benefit of MSMEs, include:
 - a) Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN) micro financing scheme to provide business capital, equipment purchase, premise as well as marketing to hawkers and small traders (RM1.4b);
 - b) Skim Pembiayaan Inklusif to empower micro-entrepreneurs and small traders under TEKUN Nasional (RM330m, including dedicated business financing for the Indian community amounting to RM30m);
 - c) Dedicated allocation to encourage women and youth to venture into business (RM650m);
 - d) BNM Loan Fund to support MSMEs, including RM3.3 billion dedicated for low-income micro enterprises and entrepreneurs, small contractors, to encourage adoption of sustainable practices and sectors related to food security (RM7.1b);
 - e) Government Guarantee Schemes through Syarikat Jaminan Pembiayaan Perniagaan (SJPP) to continue assisting SMEs in focus sectors such as halal, high technology, ESG and tourism (RM20b);
 - f) Malaysia Co-operative Societies Commission (SKM) Working Capital Financing to strengthen capability of co-operatives in supply chain (RM100m); and
 - g) CAKNA 1 and CAKNA 2 schemes to support Government vendors' cash flow (RM200m)

MICRO CREDIT SCHEME

Financing terms subject to conditions and credit ratings by financial institutions

Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM)

Programme / Scheme	Available Funds	Purpose	Financing Terms
Micro Enterprises Facility (MEF)	RM700m	Access to financing for micro-entrepreneurs under the <i>Skim Pembiayaan Mikro</i> , especially for segments that do not or have limited access to financing from financial institutions	Financing rate: To be determined by financial institution Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 7 years
iTEKAD	RM80m	Assist low-income micro-entrepreneurs strengthen financial management and business acumen towards generating sustainable income	Financing rate, size and tenure: To be determined by respective financial institution <i>Note: RM50 million allocation from MEF and RM30 million from startup capital (e.g. matching grants and social finance funds)</i>

Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN)

Programme / Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Skim Mikro Umum	RM520m	Nano/micro/small businesses in all sectors	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Mikro Wanita	RM250m	Women in nano/micro/small businesses	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Mikro Belia	RM150m	Nano/micro/small traders aged 30 years and below	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim MulaNiaga	RM50m	Nano/micro/small businesses, youth entrepreneurs aged 30 years and below	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM20,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Mikro Industri Desa	RM40m	Rural industry entrepreneurs in nano/micro/small businesses	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Mikro Bakti	RM20m	Nano/micro/small businesses by veterans of uniformed bodies and civil servant retirees	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Mikro GIG	RM20m	Nano/micro/small businesses by gig workers, including delivery services using motorcycles	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM20,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years

Programme / Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Skim Mikro Penjaja	RM100m	Nano/micro/small businesses by hawkers	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM20,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Mikro Sinar	RM50m	Nano/micro/small businesses by former inmates, National Anti-Drugs Agency (NADA) trainers, Department of Social Welfare (JKM), persons with disabilities (PWD), and SOCSO recipients	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Pembiayaan Perkampungan Baru Cina	RM150m	Micro/small businesses of residents of kampung baru Cina or those operating in the area	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM150,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Pembiayaan Usahawan Perusahaan Kecil Komuniti Cina	RM90m	Chinese community micro/small businesses	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
Skim Penjaja Kecil Cina	RM5m	Chinese community hawkers	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM20,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years

TEKUN Nasional

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Tabung Ekonomi Kumpulan Usaha Niaga – Bumiputera 2.0	RM300m	Bumiputera micro-entrepreneurs	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 10 years
Skim Pembangunan Usahawan Masyarakat India	RM30m	Members of the Indian community who venture into business	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 10 years

Bank Negara Malaysia Fund for SMEs – Selected Facilities

- More than RM7 billion available under BNM Fund
- Funds will be channelled through participating financial institutions (PFIs), consisting of licensed banks, designated development financial institutions (DFIs) and Credit Guarantee Corporation Malaysia Berhad (CGC)
- Applications to be made through PFIs and approvals subject to credit assessment by the PFIs

Scheme	Available Funds	Purpose	Financing Terms
All Economic Sectors (AES) Facility	RM2.1b	Improve SMEs' access to financing and support economic growth	Financing rate: Up to 7% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM5m Tenure: Up to 5 years
Agrofood Facility (AF)	RM1.3b	Increase food production for domestic and export markets	Financing rate: Up to 3.75% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM5m Tenure: Up to 8 years

Scheme	Available Funds	Purpose	Financing Terms
High Tech and Green Facility (HTG)	RM1.3b	Assist innovative SMEs and startups to expand businesses and invest in strategic sectors and digital, green and biotechnology	Financing rate: Up to 3.5% (not including guarantee fee); up to 5% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM10m Tenure: Up to 10 years
Low Carbon Transition Facility (LCTF)	RM600m	Assist SMEs to adopt sustainable and low-carbon practices in business operations	Financing rate: Up to 5% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM10m Tenure: Up to 10 years
SME Automation and Digitalisation Facility (ADF)	RM600m	Incentivise SMEs to automate processes and digitalise operations to increase productivity and efficiency	Financing rate: Up to 4% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM3m Tenure: Up to 10 years
PENJANA Tourism Financing (PTF)	RM200m	Dedicated fund for businesses in tourism sectors still affected by the pandemic	Financing rate: Up to 3.5% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM500,000 for SMEs and up to RM75,000 for micro-entrepreneurs Tenure: Up to 7 years (including moratorium tenure)
Disaster Relief Facility (DRF)	RM300m	Alleviate financial burden on SMEs affected by floods and enable them to continue their business operations.	Financing rate: Up to 3.5% (including guarantee fee) Size: Up to RM700,000 for SMEs and up to RM150,000 for micro-entrepreneurs Tenure: Up to 7 years (including moratorium tenure)

From allocation of more than RM7 billion under BNM, RM600 million is allocated for four (4) segments:

1. Low-income micro enterprises and entrepreneurs

- RM200 million under MEF, where RM50 million is specifically allocated for iTEKAD programme

2. Small contractors (G1-G4)

- RM200 million under AES for CAKNA 2 programme to finance pre-contracts of G1-G4 Bumiputera small contractor up to RM1.5 million per contract for small-scale Government projects

3. Food security

- RM100 million under AF to increase food production and import capacity to meet rising demand for food

4. Sustainable and low carbon practices

- RM100 million under LCTF to support certification related to sustainable and green practices

SME SOFT LOANS

Financing terms subject to conditions and credit ratings by financial institutions.

Agrobank

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Dana Pembiayaan Agromakanan	RM200m	Agropreneurs intending to expand operations and new entrants venturing into agro-food sector	Financing rate: As low as 3% Size: Up to RM5m Tenure: Up to 10 years Grace period: Up to 6 months depending on eligibility
Program Modenisasi Rantaian Nilai Agromakanan	RM30m	Agropreneurs intending to adopt technology to modernise operations	Financing rate: As low as 3% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: Up to 10 years Grace period: Up to 12 months depending on eligibility
Program Tanam Semula Pekebun Kecil Sawit (TSPKS) 2.0	RM100m	Individual smallholders with land ownership of less than 10 hectares for Sabah and Sarawak and 6.5 hectares for Peninsular Malaysia	Financing rate: As low as 0% for first 4 years, 2% after 4 years Size: Up to RM117,000 Tenure: Up to 12 years

Bank Rakyat Malaysia

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
BRPlus – i BizLady	RM30m	Women in MSMEs and co-operatives for business continuity and mitigate cash flow issues	Financing rate: SME: BFR+1.5% (including guarantee fee) Co-operative: BFR+0% Micro: 7.5% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: Up to 7 years
Financing for MSMEs	RM750m	Spur growth and encourage entrepreneurs venturing into MSME sector	Financing rate: As low as BFR+0% Size: Up to RM30m Tenure: Up to 15 years
Financing for Co-operatives	RM250m	Spur growth and competitiveness of co-operative sector	Financing rate: As low as BFR+0% Size: Up to RM10m Tenure: Up to 20 years

EXIM Bank

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Skim Insentif Pemampanan Pengeksport (SIP ²)	RM750m	SMEs to penetrate international markets	Financing rate: Current financing rate – Incentive 1% Size: Up to RM20m Tenure: Up to 7 years

Majlis Amanah Rakyat (MARA)

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
SPIKE and SPIKE GLC Entrepreneurship Development Programme	RM320m	Bumiputera contractors for working capital of Government/agencies/GLCs contracts	Financing rate: 6% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: According to contract duration
Youth Entrepreneurship Development Programme	RM30m	Bumiputera youth aged 40 years and below	Financing rate: 0% Size: Up to RM500,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
MARA Integrated Smart Auto Financing Scheme	RM20m	Bumiputera entrepreneurs in automotive sector providing 3S services (sales, services and spare parts)	Borrowing rate: 2% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: Up to 10 years
Professional Entrepreneur Development Financing Scheme	RM40m	Bumiputera entrepreneurs in field of professional entrepreneurship	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM250,000 (Sole proprietorship/ Partnership) or RM500,000 (private limited company) Tenure: Up to 10 years
Special Business Financing Scheme for Women	RM90m	Bumiputera women entrepreneurs	Financing rate: 3.5% Size: Up to RM150,000 Tenure: Up to 10 years

Malaysian Industrial Development Finance (MIDF)

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Skim Pembiayaan Mudah bagi Automasi dan Pemodenan	RM180m	Manufacturing and manufacturing-related services companies	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM20m Tenure: Up to 25 years
Industrial Investment Fund in Aerospace and Electrical and Electronics Fields	RM50m	Aerospace and electrical and electronics companies	Matching grant: Up to 80% based on eligible expenses Total: Up to RM40m Project tenure: Up to 12 months Management fee: 2%
Second Chance Financing	RM29m	SMEs in manufacturing and services sectors	Financing rate: 3% Size: Up to RM5m Tenure: Up to 10 years
Matching Grant for Bumiputera SMEs in the Aerospace Industry	RM10m	Bumiputera SMEs in aerospace industry	Matching grant: Up to 80% based on eligible expenses Size: Up to RM2.5m Project tenure: Up to 12 months Management fee: 2%
Green and Sustainable Business Financing	RM39m	Manufacturing and services companies in green technology ecosystem	Financing rate: 2% Size: Up to RM10m Tenure: Up to 25 years

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Sustainable Mobility Business Financing	RM10m	Companies in automotive ecosystem	Financing rate: 2% Size: Up to RM5m Tenure: Depending on type of financing

Perbadanan Usahawan Nasional Berhad (PUNB)

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
PROSPER Financing	RM300m	Bumiputera SMEs	Financing rate: 5% – 8% Size: Up to RM10m Tenure: Up to 7 years

Malaysia Co-operative Societies Commission (SKM)

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Working Capital Financing (TMP)	RM100m	Co-operatives to undertake viable projects	Financing rate: 1% – 6% Size: Up to RM30m Tenure: Up to 25 years Grace period: 3-6 months

SME Bank

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
SME Technology Transformation Fund	RM400m	MSMEs that undertake technological transformation and/or adopt Industry4WRD	Financing rate: Up to 6% Size: Up to RM3m Tenure: Up to 10 years
Jaguh Serantau Programme	RM200m	Bumiputera SMEs in regional markets or ready to penetrate regional markets	Financing rate: Based on risk Size: Up to RM10m Tenure: Up to 10 years
Program Pembiayaan HalalBiz	RM100m	MSMEs in halal industry ecosystem	Financing rate: Up to 6% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: Up to 7 years
MySMELady 2.0	RM100m	Women MSMEs	Financing rate: 5% Size: Up to RM3m Tenure: Up to 5 or 7 years
Tabung Khas Pelancongan ("TKP")	RM200m	MSMEs in tourism industry to meet working capital and/or asset acquisition requirements	Financing rate: Up to 5.5% per annum Size: Up to RM20m Tenure: Up to 20 years

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Skim Pembiayaan Perusahaan Sosial	RM15m	Social enterprises to meet working capital and asset acquisition requirements	Financing rate: 3% – 4% Size: Up to RM500,000 Tenure: Up to 5 or 7 years
Pembiayaan Ekosistem Payung	RM50m	Bumiputera MSME entrepreneurs	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: Up to 7 years
Dana Kelestarian Alam	RM100m	Bumiputera MSME entrepreneurs	Financing rate: Up to 6% Size: Up to RM5m Tenure: Up to 5 or 7 years

Bank Pembangunan Malaysia Berhad (BPMB)

Type	Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Terms
Subsidised loans	MADANI Development Scheme	RM2b	Companies involved in activities contributing to Twelfth Malaysia Plan, Ekonomi MADANI and not within coverage of existing programmes, including general infrastructure related development, utilities, social infrastructure development, food security and tourism	Financing rate: Government: COF + Margin - Subsidy 1% Commercial: BFR + Margin - Subsidy 1% Sukuk/Bond: Guarantee Fee - Subsidy 1% Size: RM20m and above
	Logistics and Transportation Scheme	RM1b	Companies involved in activities related to marine, oil and gas supply chain, aerospace, logistics and transportation	
	Sustainable Development and Transition Scheme	RM1.4b	Companies involved in activities related to climate adaptation and risk mitigation, sustainable development, circular economy as well as transition (excluding energy)	
	Renewable Energy and Energy Transition Programme	RM500m	Companies involved in energy activities under National Energy Transition Roadmap (NETR)	
	Bumiputera Economic Development Programme	RM500m	Bumiputera companies involved in activities contributing to Bumiputera Economic Transformation Plan 2035 such as (but not limited to) halal ecosystem and supply chain	
	Digital Infrastructure Programmes and High-Impact Sectors	RM600m	Companies involved in activities related to Fourth Industrial Revolution (including Digital Economy) as well as projects contributing to New Industrial Master Plan 2030 (NIMP 2030)	
Loan/equity financing	Capital Access Programme	RM400m	Companies involved in activities related to new growth sectors as well as support development of MSMEs requiring capital	Financing rate: As low as 8% Size: Up to RM30m Tenure: Up to 5 years

Financing Guarantee Scheme

1. Green Technology Funding Scheme (GTFS 5.0) with total financing value of RM1 billion (without profit rate subsidy)
2. Syarikat Jaminan Pembiayaan Perniagaan (SJPP) Guarantee Schemes amounting to RM20 billion will be provided for financial institutions funding. Focus sectors for guarantees include:
 - Bumiputera (RM5 billion)
 - High Technology and ESG (RM3 billion)
 - Halal (RM1 billion)
 - Tourism (RM1 billion)

SJPP Guarantee	Funding Terms
Funding Guarantee	Up to 70% Focus sector: Up to 80%
Funding Limit	Up to RM20m
Guarantee Fee	Up to 1% a year Focus sector: Up to 0.75%
Tenure	Up to 7 years

Women

Programme/ Scheme	Fund Size	Target Group	Financing Terms
Bank Rakyat Malaysia BRPlus - i BizLady	RM30m	Women in MSMEs as well as co-operatives for business continuity and to reduce cash flow issues	Financing rate: SME: BFR+1.5% (including guarantee fee) Co-operative: BFR+0% Micro: 7.5% Size: Up to RM1m Tenure: Up to 7 years
BSN Women Micro Scheme	RM250m	Women in micro/small businesses	Financing rate: 4% Size: Up to RM100,000 Tenure: Up to 5 years
SME Bank MySMELady 2.0	RM100m	Women MSMEs	Financing rate: 5% Size: Up to RM3m Tenure: Up to 7 years
MARA Special Business Financing Scheme for Women	RM90m	Bumiputera women entrepreneurs	Financing rate: 3.5% Size: Up to RM150,000 Tenure: Up to 10 years

32. Hawkers and Small Traders Facilities

- Allocation for the following purposes: **RM100m**
 - a) construct and repair of stalls and public market infrastructure in local PBT nationwide;
 - b) provide business spaces for hawkers at Tamu Desa Sabah and Sarawak; and
 - c) upgrade business facilities under DBKL and MARA
- SHIFT@Wilayah Programme to facilitate business registration and licensing process for 2,000 informal entrepreneurs **RM1.2m**

33. Bumiputera Economic Transformation

- Strengthen support chain throughout Bumiputera business lifecycle: -
 - a) Early-stage: MARA to assist Bumiputera startup companies;
 - b) Mid-stage: Ekuinas to investment in preparing Bumiputera companies for public listing; and
 - c) Final-stage: PNB to undertake role as a strategic investor in next phase of development
- Total allocation for small and medium contractors G1-G4 to provide opportunities for contractors of small and medium projects **RM1.3b**

- 50 acres of the Bandar Malaysia strategic development project will be allocated as Malay Reserve Land -
- PNB and PHB to enhance cooperation in development of Malay reserve land for affordable housing projects, houses for rent, student accommodation and elderly care facilities -
- Initiatives under Bumiputera Economic Transformation Plan (PuTERA35) to raise Bumiputera status and dignity **RM100m**
- Empower Bumiputera entrepreneur development programme under MARA **RM500m**
- Loan facility for Bumiputera entrepreneurs: **RM185.5m**
 - a) Evaluation and Counselling (RM29.5m);
 - b) Islamic Loan/Financing (RM140m); and
 - c) Rural Economic Development (RM16m)

FOCUS III: PROSPERING THE *RAKYAT*

34. Cost of Living of the *Rakyat*

- *Sumbangan Tunai Rahmah (STR)* and *Sumbangan Asas Rahmah (SARA)*:

RM13b

- a) 5.4 million STR recipients in the household category will receive SARA of up to RM100 per month;
- b) SARA assistance will be distributed through the MyKAD to eligible recipients commencing April 2025;
- c) STR rate for single's category is increased to RM600; and
- d) Maximum amount received by households is increased to RM4,600

STR & SARA Assistance Rate

Recipient Category	STR & SARA Category / Monthly Income	No. of Children	Sum STR Assistance	STR Recipients eligible for SARA (RM100 / RM50 for 9 months)	Total STR & SARA	Additional SARA for the Poor & Hardcore Poor Categories	Maximum & Minimum STR & SARA
Household (no age limit)	RM2,500 and lower <i>(3.1 million recipients)</i>	Nil	RM1,000	RM900	RM1,900	RM1,200/ RM600 yearly (RM100/ RM50 monthly)	Maximum RM4,600 Minimum RM600
		1 – 2	RM1,500	RM900	RM2,400		
		3 – 4	RM2,000	RM900	RM2,900		
		≥ 5	RM2,500	RM900	RM3,400		
	RM2,501 - RM5,000 <i>(1.0 million recipients)</i>	Nil	RM500	RM900	RM1,400		
		1 – 2	RM750	RM900	RM1,650		
		3 – 4	RM1,000	RM900	RM1,900		
		≥ 5	RM1,250	RM900	RM2,150		
Single Senior Citizen <i>(≥60 years)</i>	RM5,000 or lower <i>(1.3 million recipients)</i>	Nil	RM600	RM450	RM1,050		
Single <i>(21 - 59 years)</i>	RM2,500 or lower <i>(3.4 million recipients)</i>	Nil	RM600	-	RM600		

- Several welfare assistance programmes are provided under the Department of Social Welfare (JKM), including cash assistance for poor families, persons with disabilities (PWDs), and the senior citizens, with the following monthly rates:
 - a) Senior citizens assistance raised to RM600 from RM500 per month;
 - b) Child assistance for low-income families increased to RM250 from RM200 for each child aged 6 and below or to RM200 from RM150 for each child aged 7 to 18 years old, with a maximum of RM1,000 per family; and
 - c) Federal Territories, general assistance raised from a minimum of RM100 to RM150, with a maximum of RM500 per month per family
- RM2.9b**
- Continuation of allocation for the *Payung RAHMAH* initiative, including the *Jualan Malaysia 2025* and *Jualan Mega RAHMAH*. *Jualan RAHMAH* will be amplified to offer essential goods at affordable prices in all state constituencies (DUN) every month
- RM300m**
- Price control programme, including through cooperation with supermarket entrepreneurs, wholesale markets, retail stores, farmers' markets, cooperatives and so on
- RM700m**
- Continued allocation for the expansion of the Distribution Programme of Essential Goods (*Program Penedaran Barang Perlu*) to several zones, including new distribution areas in Magandai, Kota Marudu, dan Nanga Pelawan, Bintulu
- RM250m**

- Continuation of the Electricity Bill Rebate Programme of up to RM40 per month for hardcore poor households **RM55m**
- Price Standardisation Programme in Sabah, Sarawak and Labuan **RM40m**

35. Income of the *Rakyat*

- Raising minimum wage from RM1,500 per month to RM1,700 per month, effective 1 February 2025 -
- Enforcement of a minimum wage of RM1,700 per month for employers with fewer than five (5) workers will have a grace period of six (6) months, effective from 1 August 2025. The Ministry of Human Resources (KESUMA) will publish a starting salary guideline as a reference for all employment sectors -
- Progressive Wage Policy piloted in June 2024 to reform labour market with the goal of increasing workers' incomes, to be fully enforced in 2025 and benefit 50,000 employees **RM200m**
- People's Income Initiative (IPR) – assistance for hardcore poor and B40 to generate additional income sustainably through agriculture (INTAN), food business (INSAN) and service operator (IKHSAN) initiatives **RM250m**
- *Ekonomi MADANI Dalam Kem Tentera* aims to provide entrepreneurial opportunities to the wives of armed forces personnel at army camps throughout Malaysia **RM10m**
- Malaysia Short-term Employment Programme (MySTEP) initiative will be continued in 2025 -

- 2-Years Exit Program (2YEP) by the Department of Social Welfare (JKM) which aims to encourage welfare recipients towards self-sufficiency through employment opportunities and income-generating programmes **RM2m**

36. Social Protection

- Increment in the Government's matching incentive rate for the i-Saraan programme from 15% to 20% from total annual contribution of individuals, subject to a maximum annual matching incentive limit of RM500 or RM5,000 for lifetime **RM150m**
- Continuation of the EPF i-Suri Programme matching incentive, with the Government contributing 50% of annual contributions. Maximum annual incentive is capped at RM300 or RM3,000 for lifetime, with active contributions required from participants **RM20m**
- Continuation of the Self-Employment Social Security Scheme (SKSPS) Subsidy Programme under SOCSO: Government will cover up to 70% of the contribution amount by self-employed individuals such as food delivery riders, farmers, fishermen, artists and others **RM100m**
- Continue the Perlindungan Tenang scheme, a collaboration between BNM, insurance and takaful industries benefiting 2 million STR recipients. Eligible STR recipients may claim a RM30 voucher to finance part of the Perlindungan Tenang cost that offer protection from death, personal accidents and general risks such as fire and flood **RM60m**

- EPF is reviewing its scheme to strengthen its intergenerational transfer approach, whereby a portion of members' EPF savings can be transferred directly into the EPF accounts of their immediate family members -
- The Government plans to make it mandatory for all non-citizen employees to contribute to the EPF. This proposal will be implemented in phases. -
- MYInsentif KESUMA Programme under the purview of HRD Corp as follows: **RM30m**
 - a) Persons with Disabilities (PWD) development;
 - b) Seniors Back in Action (SEBA);
 - c) Second Chance and Opportunities for People to Excel (SCOPE); and
 - d) Initiative to upskill Indian youth

37. Mainstream Education

- Allocation for Ministry of Education (MoE) **RM64.1b**
- Maintenance, improvement and upgrade of school buildings and facilities nationwide, including: **RM2b**
 - a) Maintenance of facilities, including canteens for all types of schools: national schools, Chinese schools, Tamil schools, religious schools, schools in military camps, and special education schools for persons with disabilities (RM1 billion); and
 - b) Upgrade of dilapidated infrastructure in 543 schools, particularly in Sabah and Sarawak (RM1 billion)

- Construct 44 new schools, including: -
 - a) SK Bandar Putra Indah, Batu Pahat, Johor;
 - b) SMK Bandar Seri Putra (2), Hulu Langat, Selangor;
 - c) SMK Lok Kawi, Putatan, Sabah;
 - d) SMK Semeling, Sungai Petani, Kedah; and
 - e) SK Dudong, Sibul, Sarawak
- Fixed-Line Broadband Infrastructure Connectivity Programme for internet connectivity at 4,323 schools in remote areas of Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah and Sarawak **RM100m**
- Continued funding for point-of-presence (PoP) projects under *Pelan Jalinan Digital Negara* (JENDELA) **RM830m**
- Repair facilities such as sinks, lights, fans, dining tables and dilapidated surroundings at canteens and musollas **RM100m**
- Encourage contributions from private entities, GLCs, alumni associations, and philanthropists for improvement of facilities such as school assembly halls -

- Total allocation for 17 types of educational assistance, including meal programmes for dormitories and preschools, such as: **RM5.3b**
 - a) Boarding School Food Assistance (BMA) (RM2b);
 - b) *Rancangan Makanan Tambahan* (RMT) for 867,000 students to ensure children from low-income families receive nutritious meals (RM870m); and
 - c) Early School Assistance (BAP) amounting to RM150 will be provided to students from Standard 1 to Form 5, regardless of their parents' income levels. This assistance will benefit 5.2 million students, with payment starting January 2025 (RM791m)

- Increase Poor Students' Trust Fund (Kumpulan Wang Amanah Pelajar Miskin) **RM180m**

- Raise TVET Education Per Capita Grant rate to 15% **RM913m**

- Additional Rural School Assistance for 687 rural schools **RM10m**

- Increase in the living allowance for trainer teachers under the Bachelor of Education Programme in *Institut Pendidikan Guru* (IPG) to RM530 per month -

- STI 100³ programme involving 100 local scientists with a target of 100 schools within 100 days to promote the adoption of STI in schools **RM1m**

- Empower science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education in MoE schools by computer laboratories upgrade and new equipment supplies **RM36m**

- Preschool Food Assistance (BMP) **RM137m**

38. Higher Education

- Allocation for Ministry of Higher Education (MoHE) **RM18b**
- Allocation for scholarships, loans and education allowances to benefit all youth in pursuing higher education **RM4b**
- GLICs and GLCs commitment to ensure at least 50% of scholarships are allocated for children from low- and middle-income families -
- *Perbadanan Tabung Pendidikan Tinggi Nasional* (PTPTN) education financing funds to prioritise students pursuing studies in STEM fields at public HEIs **RM500m**
- GAPAI matching grants initiative of RM5,000 for savings under the *Simpan SSPN* account for students who continue their studies at HEIs is expanded to cover families with an income of up to RM6,000 **RM5m**
- Implement Celik MADANI Programme by Permodalan Nasional Berhad (PNB) with Amanah Saham Bumiputera (ASB) accounts opening worth RM50 for free to 100,000 students pursuing higher education **RM5m**
- Replace, upgrade and restore outdated infrastructure and equipment in public HEIs to create a conducive higher education environment that aligns with industry needs **RM501.6m**
- Digitisation of higher education through DIGITAL FIRST initiative, involving teaching and learning (PdP) in public universities, cloud computing, upgrade and expand dilapidated campus local area network (LAN) and Wi-Fi network infrastructure **RM135.6m**

- Allocation for UiTM to produce more E&E engineers **RM20m**
- Construction of Matriculation College Terengganu **RM27m**
- Upgrade Advanced Medical and Dental Institute, Universiti Sains Malaysia (IPPT USM) to the Clinical and Cancer Research Specialist Centre, Universiti Sains Malaysia (PPKPK USM) **RM2m**
- Nurturing knowledge and skills aligned with E&E industry needs through implementation of programmes such as: **RM3.1m**
 - a) Structured Industry Apprenticeship Programme (SIAP); and
 - b) MOHE-Intel Elite Internship Programme
- Enhance capacity and targeted community development by making public research outcomes from public HEIs via Komuniti@UniMADANI programme, including proposed lighting project for the northern border area of the country through installation of solar lights by UniMAP in collaboration with MINDEF (RM3m) **RM15m**
- Malaysia Research and Education Network (MYREN) project at public HEIs, polytechnics, and community colleges will continue to upgrade broadband capacity **RM80.7m**

39. Artificial Intelligence (AI)

- Expansion of facility upgrades and provide platforms to empower AI for Research Universities: **RM50m**
 - a) Universiti Malaya focusing AI for medical field to address life-threatening diseases such as cancer;
 - b) Universiti Putra Malaysia advancing AI application in quantum computing to boost readiness against complex cybersecurity threats;
 - c) Universiti Sains Malaysia exploring AI developments in semiconductors, aligning with Malaysia's status as a global semiconductor hub; and
 - d) Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia leading AI efforts in language translation to elevate Malay language as a language of knowledge
- R&D funds under MoHE and Ministry of Science, Technology, and Innovation (MOSTI) as follows: **RM595m**
 - a) MoHE (RM400m)
 - b) MOSTI (RM195m)
- Malaysia Science Endowment (MSE) Trust Fund to drive R&D initiatives in science and technology involving private entities and industry players through provision of matching grants **RM170m**
- Inculcate Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) through Malaysia Techlympics Programme, which include tournaments, exhibitions, focused trainings and conventions **RM10m**

40. TVET Empowerment

- Total allocation for TVET programmes with priority to: **RM7.5b**
 - a) Enhance cooperation with industry
 - b) Provide training opportunities for vulnerable youth including urban poor, marginalised, remote and Orang Asli communities; and
 - c) Deliver TVET services for the benefit of community
- Matching grants for 'Anak Angkat ILKA' programme by industries **RM50m**
- GLCs will lead development of new skills training for their respective industries such as TNB (energy transition) and SD Guthrie (mechanisation and automation in plantation) -
- Employers entitled to utilise up to 50% of HRD Corp funds to finance skills training facilities, including equipment purchases and renovations of training facilities -
- Incentive of RM600 per month for three months to employers who employ vulnerable groups such as PWDs and inmates under supervision of SOCSO **RM20m**
- Vocational colleges and technical secondary schools to continue training for 77,000 students **RM1.2b**
- Funding by the Skills Development Fund Corporation (PTPK) to benefit over 20,000 trainees including RM100 million dedicated to priority sectors of NIMP such as MRO, EV, aerospace and AI **RM543m**

- HRD Corp will offer 3 million training opportunities and re-allocate special fund of 15% from total levy collection to MADANI training programmes for vulnerable groups. Employers are permitted to utilise levies to cover allowances of up to RM1,000 for one year, aimed at graduates and including provisions for skills training

RM3b
- Khazanah Youth Development Programme (K-Youth) under Khazanah developing 11,000 local talents in key sectors such as semiconductor

RM200m
- Tahfiz TVET Empowerment programme for Bumiputera to increase skilled professional huffaz, including:

RM55m

 - a) A target of 10,000 Tahfiz TVET students undergo training under GIATMARA and community colleges over a period of five (5) years for those without SPM qualifications;
 - b) Tahfiz TVET programmes for SPM graduates from Tahfiz schools to diversify skills while continuing their memorisation studies; and
 - c) Expanding access for students of tahfiz institutions and religious schools through TVET Skills Training @Community Colleges, incorporating digital technology and artificial intelligence (RM5m)
- Short-term training for over 3,000 gig workers by GiatMARA

RM10m
- SOCSO will build a rehabilitation centre in Terengganu that offers comprehensive services covering rehabilitation treatment as well return to work programme

RM600m

- Enhance involvement of target communities with TVET skills, entrepreneurship and digital technology through the lifelong learning programmes at community colleges to improve socio-economic conditions **RM5m**
- Establish Malaysia-China Institute (MCI) in Bagan Datuk, Perak for High Impact TVET **RM20m**
- Implement courses for Sports TVET and Autistic Youth TVET to produce skilled youth **RM1m**
- Empower TVET talents in aerospace industry through MyAERO Centre of Excellence, NAICO **RM15m**
- Funding of skills training by the port authority for 60 local seafarers to obtain a Certificate of Competency in Unlimited Trade Voyage, to improve the skills of local seafarers and reduce dependency on foreign seafarers **RM1.5m**
- Collaborative Research in Engineering, Science and Technology (CREST) in collaboration with Qualcomm to develop certification modules for Bluetooth Radio Frequency Testing and Wi-Fi for the automotive sector **RM10m**

41. Healthcare

- Allocation for the Ministry of Health (MoH) **RM45.3b**
- Medicine supply, reagents, vaccines and consumables **RM6b**
- Overall allocation for maintenance of healthcare infrastructure, such as dilapidated toilets and wards, including allocation of RM300 million to continue actively upgrading dilapidated clinics across the whole country **RM1.3b**

- Revenue gained from this additional collection of excise duty on sugary drinks will be used for these initiatives:
 - a) Strengthen Diabetes Mellitus treatment which use SGLT-2 inhibitors in hospitals and clinics across the country;
 - b) Expand Peritoneal Dialysis (PD) treatments for End Stage Kidney Disease (ESKD) for more MoH patients nationwide, apart from FELDA which will also improve dialysis centres in FELDA settlements; and
 - c) Strengthen cancer patient treatment with Targeted Therapy Method in MoH hospitals

- Agenda Nasional Malaysia Sihat (ANMS) 2.0 **RM51m**

- Enhance public accessibility to sports (Sports for All) by increasing access to sports facilities and programmes for specific target groups such as: **RM23.9m**
 - a) Development of motorsports;
 - b) PWD Sports Development Programme;
 - c) Basic Sports Skills Training Program (KLAS) for swimming;
 - d) Sports Culture Programme for the Senior Citizens;
 - e) Large Screen Viewing Events;
 - f) Empower Wall Climbing Sports; and
 - g) Fitness Talent Development Programme (Cheerleading and Aerobic Dance)

- Organisation of National Sports Day **RM3m**

- The *Rakan KKM* initiative in cooperation with GLICs to enhance public healthcare service, while providing options for paid services at reasonable rates. The pilot phase will commence with five selected MoH hospitals that have high demand and suitable infrastructure, such as Hospital Cyberjaya **RM25m**
- Allocation for outsourcing patients to military, public and private hospitals, through a public-private partnership with 91 private hospitals to outsource patients from public hospitals for specific treatments and services such as cardiology, radiology, and nephrology **RM144m**
- Implementation of the offtake policy or specific procurement of critical pharmaceutical products and medical devices using appropriate focused mechanisms from local firms, aimed at providing local suppliers with opportunities to expand their businesses and foster growth in the national pharmaceutical and medical device industries -
- Establish halal vaccine production -
- Enhancements to identified Centres of Excellence, including procurement of latest equipment **RM100m**
- Establishment of a Cancer Specialist Hospital in Kuching and a Heart Specialist Hospital in Kota Kinabalu -
- Procurement of new state-of-the-art healthcare medical equipment **RM520.3m**
- Build 15 new healthcare facilities including Klinik Kesihatan in Mersing, Johor; Keningau, Sabah; Betong, Sarawak; Pasir Puteh, Kelantan and Chemor, Perak **RM1b**

• Medical costs for treatment of rare diseases that are increasingly on the rise	RM25m
• Expand mySalam scheme to cover, among others, rare diseases and Rheumatoid Arthritis	-
• Improve and replace equipment for physiotherapy services at MoH clinics	RM5m
• Ambulance procurement to ensure healthcare service readiness to respond to emergency calls	RM195m
• Allocation for Cloud-based Clinical Management System (CCMS)	RM19.8m
• Mental Health Initiatives	RM24.6m
• Dental Health Initiatives	RM119.4m
• Allocation for MADANI Healthcare Scheme (<i>Skim Perubatan MADANI</i>)	RM100m
• Initiatives for babies and children	RM380m
• <i>Skim Peduli Kesihatan Untuk Kumpulan B40 (PeKA B40)</i>	RM80m
• Haemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis services for vulnerable groups in collaboration with Yayasan Hasanah	RM5m

42. *Rakyat Residential Homes*

- Continuing 48 *Projek Residensi Rakyat* (PRR), including two new ones in Port Dickson, Negeri Sembilan and Seberang Perai Tengah, Penang. A total of 30 PRR projects is expected to be completed by end-2025, benefiting nearly 17,500 new residents **RM405m**
- 14 *Rumah Mesra Rakyat* (RMR) to be continued which involves construction of 5,410 unit of new housing units **RM452m**
- Government Guarantees under SJKP on housing financing for the benefit of 20,000 home buyers **RM10b**
- Streamline and increase the assistance to build new public houses such as PPRT residents, fishermen, Kampung Baru Cina, to a maximum of RM90,000. Ceiling rate for public housing repairs has also been raised to a maximum of RM20,000 **-**

Housing Assistance Rate Adjustment – New Build					
Ministries	Region	Area (Existing) (sq. ft.)	Ceiling / House Price (Existing) (RM)	Area (Revised) (sq. ft.)	Ceiling / House Price (Revised) (RM)
KPKT	Semenanjung	750	85,000.00	750	90,000.00
	Sabah, Sarawak, Labuan				
KKDW	Semenanjung	660	66,000.00	700 (minimum)	84,000.00 (minimum)
	Sabah, Sarawak, Labuan		79,000.00	750 (maximum)	90,000.00 (maximum)
KPKM NEWLY BUILT/ RESETTLEMENT OF FISHERMEN (PSN)	Semenanjung	700	56,000.00	700 (minimum)	84,000.00 (minimum)
	Sabah, Sarawak, Labuan		68,000.00	750 (maximum)	90,000.00 (maximum)

Housing Assistance Rate Adjustment – Repairs					
Ministry	Region	Area (Existing) (sq. ft.)	Cost (Existing) (RM)	Area (Revised) (sq. ft.)	Cost (Revised) (RM)
KPKT	All	750	Up to 20,000.00	750	Up to 20,000.00
KKDW	Peninsular	660	Up to 15,000.00	660	Up to 20,000.00
	Sabah, Sarawak, Labuan		Up to 17,000.00		
KPKM	Peninsular	700	Up to 13,000.00	700	Up to 20,000.00
	Sabah, Sarawak, Labuan		Up to 15,000.00		

- Maintenance of low-cost and medium-cost strata public housing **RM97m**
- Maintenance and replacement of lifts under *Penyelenggaraan Perumahan Mampu Milik Berstrata* (LIF) programme **RM88.1m**
- Upgrade 48 MADANI Public Parks and landscapes for the use of urban and small-town local communities **RM96m**
- Upgrade basic and social amenities for Kampung Baru Cina **RM84m**
- Coordinate needs among village areas for the Indian community **RM10m**
- Empower *Anak Kita* programme under Yayasan Hasanah to address the school dropout issue affecting approximately 80,000 school children **RM30m**
- A Government pilot project jointly funded with UNICEF to address child malnutrition issues in Klang Valley People's Housing Programme (PPR) **RM5m**
- Dapur Digital platform by Pepper Labs and Yayasan Hasanah to stimulate economic activities at the *rakyat* level such as food enterprises **RM5m**
- Installation of 180 high-definition closed-circuit cameras (CCTV) and 45 panic buttons to strengthen public safety in Putrajaya and Labuan **RM11m**
- A community empowerment framework to strengthen the role of residents' associations as facilitators at the community level with the leadership training by Yayasan Sime Darby, non-governmental organisations (NGO) and relevant Government agencies **RM10m**

- Construction of crematoriums in several states, including Kedah, Johor, Selangor, Negeri Sembilan and Penang **RM20m**

43. Basic Rural Infrastructure

- Allocation for basic infrastructure in rural, village, and remote areas will be further upgraded to provide comfort to the residents, including: **RM2.9b**
 - a) Construction and repair of village roads like in Kota Belud, Sabah; Pasir Puteh, Kelantan and Kuala Lipis, Pahang;
 - b) Construction and upgrade of 142 bridges that are no longer safe;
 - c) Project Lampu Jalan Kampung;
 - d) Electricity supply connectivity specifically for Sabah and Sarawak covering 1,050 housing units;
 - e) Clean water supply specifically for Sabah and Sarawak covering 4,100 housing units; and
 - f) Construction and repair of other basic facilities such as village halls, public halls, and covered walkways in rural and interior areas
- Support will be given for collaborations among public HEIs to improve village infrastructure -
- *Skim Pembangunan Kesejahteraan Rakyat*, to refurbish rural housing **RM464m**

44. Digital Connectivity

- Development announcements of the second 5G network will be made to increase competitiveness in the ICT field -
- Implement 5G Use Case Pilot Project (ASEAN 5G Showcase) to fund the implementation of 5G enterprise pilot projects for various sectors **RM20m**
- Allocation to enhance internet coverage in public HEIs, schools, army camps and MARA institutions through MCMC **>RM300m**

45. Public Transport and Road Network

- Subsidies for air transport services to benefit *rakyat* of Sabah and Sarawak, including opening new routes such as from Kota Kinabalu to Layang-Layang and from Miri to Long Banga **RM209m**
- Continue monthly My50 pass: **RM216m**
 - a) Benefit 180,000 Klang Valley residents using buses and Prasarana rail services
 - b) Subsidy of RM150 per month or RM1,800 per annum
- Expand Stage Bus Service Transformation (SBST) and Interim Stage Bus Support Fund (ISBSF) in every state and major city. Expand complimentary travel on all BAS.MY rides across the country for students at all universities, polytechnics, community and matriculation colleges under the SBST programme **RM273m**

- RM10m**
 - Expand dedicated bus lanes encompassing three corridors, namely Jalan Ipoh, Jalan Cheras and Jalan Gombak, spanning 47km

- Procure 250 electric buses by Prasarana Malaysia Berhad and 12 passenger train sets by Ministry of Transport. Further 50 passenger train sets will be procured on lease through a collaboration with Government of China -

- Strategic collaboration between GLCs and private entities to upgrade 100 bus stops in the Klang Valley -

- Expand current Demand Responsive Transit (DRT) by Prasarana in the areas nearby and around schools from selected train stations with a fare of 50 cents per trip: -
 - a) Stations at LRT Sri Rampai ke Giant Ulu Kelang and SMK Seksyen 5, Wangsa Maju; and
 - b) Stations at LRT Melati ke Danau Kota, SMK Gombak Setia Seksyen 1 and 2, SRA Al-Nawawi, Setapak as well as SRA Zaid Harithah, Gombak

- Construct new roads to enhance accessibility, such as: -
 - a) Construct bridges and roads from Nanga Belawai to Song-Kapit, Kapit, Sarawak (RM321m);
 - b) Upgrade Jalan Bahau-Keratong, Jempol, Negeri Sembilan (RM190m);
 - c) Upgrade Jalan Persiaran Wawasan, Kangar, Perlis from two to four lanes (RM80m); and
 - d) Upgrade motorcycle lane of Lebuhraya Persekutuan (RM20m)

- Repair secondary, FELDA and industrial roads, including bridge upgrade works, and federal roads damaged from flooding **RM1.2b**
- Allocation to upgrade Federal Roads in 2025, including RM450 million designated for G1 to G4 small and medium Bumiputera contractors **RM1.6b**
- Funding for the Malaysian Road Records Information System (MARRIS) to maintain state roads, including damaged drainage, slopes and bridges due to disasters, as well as procurement of temporary Bailey bridges for all State Government **RM5.5b**
- Enhance road user safety through the maintenance of streetlights, smart traffic lights, and Federal Road infrastructure **RM178m**
- Enhance District Engineers' services to address minor and unexpected complaints of Federal Roads through the allocation of 115 District Engineers **RM30m**
- Install High-Speed Weigh in Motion (HS-WIM) through strategic collaborations with private entities to reduce the accident risk, road congestion and damaged roads due to overweight vehicles **-**
- Subsidy for the operating costs of uneconomical train services in East Coast **RM22m**
- Replacement of streetlights to LED in phases in urban and rural areas **-**
- Upgrade bridges in rural areas **RM85.8m**
- Allocation for *Dana Mudah Cara Infrastruktur* **RM55m**

46. Women

- Target to have at least 30% of female representation in decision-making management level among the listed companies. The Government urges all companies to achieve this target by the end 2027 -
- Advocacy and Women's Professionalism Enhancement Programmes such as: **RM25m**
 - a) Empowerment of Women's Professionalism;
 - b) Women's Leadership Apprenticeship (PERANTIS);
 - c) Empowerment of Single Mothers;
 - d) Mammogram and Cervical Cancer Subsidy;
 - e) Providing Post-Breast Cancer Assistance
 - f) Women's Welfare; and
 - g) Women's Wellbeing and Empowerment
- BNM and SC to organise a returnship programme, a pilot initiative to facilitate women's return-to-work in the financial sector through a pilot initiative. Targeted programmes funded by the Asian Banking School and InvestED are aimed to encourage women returning to the workforce in financial and capital market sector **RM5m**

- Family institution empowerment via the following programmes: **(a)(b)(c)**
RM20m
 - a) National Family Foundation Building programme;
 - b) Youth Value Strengthening Programme (Social Health Programme);
 - c) Subsidy for Fertility Treatment; and
 - d) Increase in the eligibility threshold for bedridden patient assistance under JKM based on household income to RM5,000

- *Pusat Sokongan Sosial Setempat* (PSSS) offers social services providing emotional support, including guidance and counselling, to target groups such as women, children, elderly and PWDs to address and reduce psychosocial issues **RM8m**

- Introduce *Kesejahteraan Komuniti* initiative with the aim to improve the living of the *rakyat* in Federal Territories, while creating a competitive society via the following programmes: **RM3m**
 - a) Empower Women Programme;
 - b) Federal Territory Urban Poverty Eradication Synergy Programme;
 - c) Reactivate of the Anjung Kelana Homeless Transformation Center;
 - d) TUAH Fund Programme for children born in the Federal Territories starting January 1, 2025;

- e) Expand the social protection and security scheme to hawkers and housewives in the hardcore poor category;
 - f) Expand of the Tuition Mission programme in all three Federal Territories; and
 - g) Organise e-sports programmes in the Federal Territories
- Improve quality of life for the *rakyat* of the Federal Territories through the maintenance and upgrading of basic facilities at PPR & PA in Kuala Lumpur, as well as in Taman Mutiara Damai and Taman Mutiara Permai, Labuan
 - Continue to strengthen the awareness on Gender Responsive Budgeting (GRB) comprehensively to the Ministries and agencies

47. Youth

- The National Service Training Program (PLKN) 3.0 will be initiated as a pilot project with a new concept for cadet training. The Royal Malaysia Police (PDRM) and other uniformed agencies will also be involved in the execution of PLKN 3.0, utilising existing facilities in collaboration with the National Academy **RM50m**
- Implementation of the Rakan Muda Programme as a platform for developing the youth's potential and identity **RM25m**
- Step-Up Financing Scheme under SJKP to be introduced as a government guarantee specifically for youngsters seeking to purchase their first home with a reduced interest loan repayment term for the first 5 years **RM5b**
- Matching Grant (LiKES) under TalentCorp for SMEs and startups catered to university students, especially those in the STEM fields, to offer structured industrial training placements **RM10m**
- Extending Tunas Usahawan Belia Bumiputera (TUBE) programme to continue its efforts: **RM20m**
 - a) Pushing the youth to leap into the world of entrepreneurship; and
 - b) Training and guidance by SME Corporation Malaysia with a comprehensive model
- Anjung Sinar - Transit Centre, a temporary transit centre providing social support systems for children who have phased out institutions under the Department of Social Welfare (JKM), to empower the potential of these children by offering educational and skills opportunities **RM4.5m**

48. Children

- Implementation of the First 1,000 Days of Life Programme through the Hepatitis B Transmission Elimination Programme from mother to child via early screening, for the benefit of 420,000 expecting mothers **RM5m**

- Construction of 34 new preschools (RM224m), including: **RM262m**
 - a) Sekolah Kebangsaan Pakatan Jaya, Kinta Utara, Perak;
 - b) Sekolah Kebangsaan Jalan Kebun, Klang, Selangor;
 - c) Sekolah Kebangsaan Tawang, Bachok, Kelantan;
 - d) Sekolah Kebangsaan (FELDA) Palong 1, Jempol, Negeri Sembilan;
 - e) Sekolah Kebangsaan Kelebang Jaya, Chemor, Perak; and
 - f) Sekolah Kebangsaan Tanjong Tokong, Timur Laut, Penang

- 16 new *TASKA* and *TABIKA KEMAS* (RM38m), including:
 - a) Taska KEMAS Pekan PKM Gopeng, Kampar, Perak;
 - b) Taska KEMAS PKM Simpang Pertang, Jelebu, Negeri Sembilan;
 - c) Taska KEMAS Taman Seri Duyong, Melaka Tengah, Melaka;

- d)** Tabika KEMAS Taman Astaka Jaya A,
Segamat, Johor;
- e)** Tabika KEMAS Ayer Baloi, Pontian, Johor;
- f)** Tabika KEMAS Kampung Sungai Kualii,
Pontian, Johor;
- g)** Tabika KEMAS Sg. Puteri, Rompin, Pahang;
- h)** Tabika KEMAS Kg. Bukit Mengawan,
Hulu Terengganu, Terengganu
- i)** Tabika KEMAS Bukit Besi, Dungun, Terengganu;
- j)** Tabika KEMAS Kampung Sungai Tapang,
Kuching, Sarawak;
- k)** Tabika KEMAS Sentosa Salim, Sibii, Sarawak;
- l)** Tabika KEMAS Kampung Tambirat, Asajaya,
Samarahan, Sarawak;
- m)** Tabika KEMAS Berkembar Medan Klebang Putra 2
dan 3, Kinta, Perak;
- n)** Tabika KEMAS Taman Ayer Keroh Heights,
Melaka Tengah, Melaka;
- o)** Tabika KEMAS Pekan Juasseh,
Kuala Pilah, Negeri Sembilan; and
- p)** Pusat Pendidikan Awal Kanak-Kanak (PPAK)
Kemas Bukit Katil, Melaka

- Construction of 11 new PERMATA Kurnia centres: **RM125.4m**
 - a) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Melaka;
 - b) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Negeri Sembilan;
 - c) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Perak;
 - d) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Sarawak;
 - e) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Terengganu;
 - f) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Selangor;
 - g) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Pahang;
 - h) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Penang;
 - i) PERMATA Kurnia centre in Sabah;
 - j) PERMATA integrated early childhood centre in Pasir Mas, Kelantan; and
 - k) PERMATA integrated early childhood centre in Johor

- Construction of two new schools for students with special needs, namely Sekolah Menengah Pendidikan Khas Vokasional (SMPKV) Tuaran, Sabah and Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Pendidikan Khas Johor Bahru, Johor. The school in Johor Bahru will be the first school to fully focus on education for autistic children **RM300m**

- Special Needs Student Allowance of RM150 per month for more than 110,000 students with disabilities **RM200m**

- Assistance and support for parents and autistic children are as follows: **RM33m**
 - a) Learning Fees Assistance for 30,000 autistic children to ease the burden on eligible children (RM15m);
 - b) Assistance to MoE-registered private autistic schools to complete learning facilities (RM10m);
 - c) Develop Autistic Service Centres (RM5m); and
 - d) Increase allowance rate for children in institutions under the Department of Social Welfare (RM3m)

- Child development programmes, including: **RM9m**
 - a) Childcare Fee Subsidy for parents/families with per capita income below RM800 for urban and RM500 for rural at institutional nursery
 - b) Childcare fee subsidy for income of RM5,000 and below at community nursery
 - c) Child welfare team/child protection team
 - d) Children's activity centres

- Management and operations of temporary childcare shelters for children affected by the migration processes in Malaysia under the 'Alternative to Detention' initiative **RM2m**

- Allocation for early childhood education programmes under the Department of Community Development (KEMAS) **RM373m**

49. Senior Citizens

- Allocation for welfare of senior citizens comprising of: **RM1b**
 - a) Allowances for senior citizen institutions;
 - b) Socioeconomic assistance for senior citizens;
 - c) Senior Citizens Activity Centres (PAWE); and
 - d) Senior Citizens Care Unit (UPWE)
- Operational grants for senior citizens, children, PWDs institutions by NGOs **RM20m**

50. Persons with Disabilities (PWD)

- Allocation for the wellbeing of PWDs including assistance for chronic patient care, allowances for unfit PWDs and PWD workers **RM1.3b**
- Salary eligibility threshold for recipients of Incentive Allowance for Disabled Workers Salary to be increased to RM1,700 **-**
- Develop and upgrade public HEIs facilities to PWD-friendly **RM20m**

- Enhancing the living standards of PWD to improve the standards of living and income of the community through the Community-Based Rehabilitation Programme (CBR) **RM10m**
- Enhancement of Government Digital Services through GovTech, a unit under Kementerian Digital, which includes ensuring that all contents on the Government's websites are accessible to PWDs, particularly in terms of visual and hearing **RM10m**
- PWD-Friendly Call Center by MyGCC to meet the needs of PWD callers by providing video call facilities with sign language **RM10m**
- Enhance education facilities for student with special needs by improving facilities and infrastructure to be PWD-friendly, as well as providing teaching and learning (PdP) equipment **RM30m**
- Abolishment of business registration renewal fees for PWDs through the *Skim 1 OKU 1 Perniagaan* (S1O1P) **-**
- Critical equipment needs for autistic patients (MOH) **RM2m**

51. Orang Asli

- Allocation for the Orang Asli community, including the Orang Asli Plantation Redevelopment Project across the country **RM376m**
- Collaboration between JAKOA and NGOs to safeguard the welfare of the Orang Asli through:
 - a) Construction of EPIC Homes; and
 - b) Providing water and electricity using innovative, fast, and cost-effective methods
- Development of profile and mapping of high-risk slope areas in Orang Asli villages **RM18m**
- Community Feeding Programme for Orang Asli children **RM15.3m**
- Sponsorship for Orang Asli education in HEIs by MARA **RM7.5m**

52. Second Chance

- Improvement to the Second Chance Policy Initiative (Insolvency 2.0) – "Out of the Box Strategy" to expedite bankruptcy processing, extended to insolvent companies **-**
- Continue to intensify the Second Chance Programme (PEKA) for prisoners to return to society as reformed individuals through the following programmes: **RM10m**
 - a) PEKA by Malaysian Prison Department (RM7m); and
 - b) PEKA by National Anti-Drugs Agency (NADA) (RM3m)

- Expand *Baitul Mahabbah* programme under Immigration Department of Malaysia in collaboration with NGOs and relevant international organisations to ensure children of foreign nationality receive protection in appropriate temporary shelters, besides immigration detention centres -
- Draft new Act to allow provisions for home detention as alternative to imprisonment avenue at appropriate places such as residences, care homes and work dormitories under specific conditions and monitoring system by prison officers -
- Drug Dependants (Treatment and Rehabilitation) (Amendment) Bill 2024 approved in the Senate on August 1, 2024, and will be enforced in 2025. Policy of diverting drug users from imprisonment to treatment and rehabilitation programs, as reflected in the amendments to the Drug Dependants (Treatment and Rehabilitation) Act 1983, is a balanced approach taken by the Government to address the need for drug treatment and rehabilitation while ensuring that public safety and order are maintained -

53. Islamic Principles

- Allocation to the Ministry of Women, Family and Community Development (KPWKM) to handle abused children and restore faith (*aqidah*) following to the ongoing Ops Global **RM25m**
- Total allocation for Islamic Affairs **RM2b**

- Allocation for the maintenance of *sekolah agama rakyat, tahfiz* schools and institutions that implement Al-Quran and Fardu Ain classes (KAFA) across premises beyond the governance of Ministry of Education Malaysia (KPM) **RM150m**
- Increase of 1,500 KAFA teachers which aims to improve the PdP quality and effectiveness of KAFA for students with special needs and Pre-Tahfiz to align to mainstream education -
- Increase allowance for students at the *Institut Pengajian Islam dan Dakwah Sabah (IPDAS) Kampus Kudat dan Keningau, Institut Kemahiran Islam Malaysia Sarawak (IKMAS)* in Kuching and *Darul Quran JAKIM* in Kuala Kubu Bharu, as follows: **RM14m**

 - a) Darul Quran Scholarships
Certificate/Diploma:
From RM450/month to RM550/month
Degree: From RM550/month to RM650/month
 - b) Institut Kemahiran Islam Malaysia Sarawak (IKMAS) Allowance
Certificate/Diploma:
From RM100/month to RM200/month
 - c) Institut Pengajian Islam dan Dakwah Sabah (IPDAS) Allowance
Advanced Certificate/Diploma:
From RM100/month to RM200/month
Certificate: From RM75/month to RM175/month
- Special contributions of RM500 for more than 70,000 KAFA teachers, *Guru Takmir, Imam, Bilal, Siak, Noja and Marbut* **RM35m**

- Develop three JAKIM school projects involving construction of: **RM92m**
 - a) Sekolah Rendah Agama Presint 16, Putrajaya;
 - b) Sekolah Rendah Agama Al-Mahmudiah, Segambut, Kuala Lumpur; and
 - c) New classroom blocks at Sekolah Rendah Agama Saidina Hamzah, Batu Muda, Kuala Lumpur
- Construct Sekolah Menengah Agama MAIWP Labuan (SMA-MAIWPL) in Kg. Sg. Bedaun **RM20m**
- Construct Kompleks Sekolah Menengah Integrasi Sains Tahfiz (SMISTA) Kuala Lumpur **RM10m**
- Grants amounting to RM20,000 to all *sekolah agama rakyat* registered under JAKIM -
- Monthly allowance for *Imam, KAFA teachers* and *Guru Takmir* **RM730m**

54. Sports Development

- Empower high-performance sports in preparation for Olympics, including the Podium Programme, Sports Special Projects - Olympic Sports Development Programme for eight sports (squash, athletics, swimming, diving, badminton, archery, taekwondo, and cycling), and the Road to Gold (RTG) programme **RM134m**
- Paralympians Special Development Programme including participation of the Malaysian Deaf Sports Association (MSDeaf) in the Summer Deaflympics 2025 in Tokyo **RM20m**

- Maintenance of KBS buildings and facilities, which also involves ILKBS and JBSN, with the following scope:
 - a) Maintenance and/or minor repair works such as toilet repairs, replacement of broken tiles, cementing of potholes, minor damage to fences/roofs, painting, and other related tasks; and
 - b) Purchase of loose furniture
- Sports Matching Grant (GPS) with limited scope to the organisation of programmes involving sports competitions and associations/NGOs that are unable to cover their expenses to organise competitions
- Allocation for Harimau Malaya, Under-18 and Under-13 teams in collaboration with Football Association Malaysia (FAM) to secure the best coaches, participate in the best training sessions, and provide fair rewards to the players
- Allocation for cricket
- Empowerment of e-sports through talent development, e-sports TVET, and upgrading existing facilities to be used for e-sports
- Allocation to the National Athletes Welfare Foundation (YAKEB) to meet the medical needs and provide support equipment for those in need
- Development of water sports, including upgrading facilities, maintaining equipment, and promoting the organisation of national and international water sports events in the Federal Territories
- Allocation to maintain, upgrade and build sports facilities

RM50m

RM30m

RM15m

RM1m

RM20m

RM2m

RM5m

RM136m

55. Volunteerism

- Implementation of Unity, National Integration, and Harmony Programmes to foster a spirit of unity and national identity **RM50m**
- Matching grants with GLIC/GLC foundations and NGOs to mobilise various social service programmes **RM100m**
- MADANI *Gotong-Royong* Parent-Teacher Association (PIBG) initiative at all schools across the country **RM20m**
- Empowering the role of Neighbourhood Watch Areas (KRT) as a bridge builder within communities **RM20m**
- Repair and maintenance of unity premises to improve public services for the *rakyat* **RM10m**
- Maintenance of places of worship for non-Muslims (RIBI) nationwide, including Sabah and Sarawak, to assist with repairs, renovations, and maintenance works as designated by the Government under the programme **RM50m**
- *Program Jiwa Murni* or Civil Military Cooperation (CIMIC) as a platform to strengthen the relationship between the armed forces and the *rakyat* through community service events and upgrading of community infrastructure **RM10m**

56. Language and Creative Works

- Allocation for Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka (DBP) to collaborate with cultural and language activists to intensify culture, language and literature, specifically among the younger generation, including preserving languages of ethnic minorities such as Siamese **RM50m**
- Allocation for the Creative Content Fund (CCF) to promote creative works, especially those that embody the spirit of nationalism **RM65m**
- Film in Malaysia Incentive (FIMI) initiative through cash rebates provisions to continue promoting Malaysia as an international film destination **RM38m**
- Develop creative works for the local arts and creative industry through MyCreative Ventures, including:
 - a) Equity injection for high-potential companies (RM10m);
 - b) *Kembara RIUH* programme (RM10m); and
 - c) Financing for Creative Social Entrepreneurs (RM5m)
- MADANI Community Creative Youth programme under the MCMC for youths to increase the production of high-quality creative content, particularly in filmmaking for a period of two years **RM30m**
- Transform Old Post Office building in Ipoh, Perak into a visual arts hub featuring a gallery based on innovation and digital art technology **RM5m**

- Allocation for ASWARA **RM44.3m**
- Concerts & Events in Malaysia Initiative (CEMI) to attract internationally acclaimed artists to perform in Malaysia as a stimulus to domestic economy **RM10m**

57. National Security & Defence

- Allocation for the Ministry of Home Affairs (KDN) **RM19.5b**
- Allocation for specialised assets for the Royal Malaysia Police (RMP) and uniformed agencies under KDN to ensure national security **RM2.1b**
- Construction of new police stations including: **RM2.1b**
 - a) Ibu Pejabat Polis Kontinjen Pahang;
 - b) Ibu Pejabat Polis Daerah Wangsa Maju;
 - c) Ibu Pejabat Polis Daerah Petaling Jaya; and
 - d) Balai Polis Tanjung Minyak
- Allocation for the Ministry of Defence (MINDEF) **RM21.2b**
- Allocation for maintenance and repair work as well as the procurement of new military assets to ensure full readiness of the Malaysian Armed Forces (ATM). Next year, the Government will receive new assets, including: **RM5.8b**
 - a) Three Unmanned Aerial System (UAS) under TUDM; and
 - b) Nine Fast Interceptor Craft (FIC) for TLDM

- Veteran-PROTÉGÉ programme will be introduced specifically to make it mandatory for contractors to provide employment opportunities for ATM veterans, especially those with TVET qualifications -
- Allocations for prison maintenance: **RM80m**
 - a) Facility improvement (capital asset) at the training centres for Malaysian prisons' officers; and
 - b) Building a parade ground and covered open hall as well as other related facilities at the Malaysian Correctional Institute
- Allocation for enforcement activities and Search & Rescue, including K9 dogs, Fire & Rescue Department (BOMBA), KDN and Royal Malaysian Customs Department (JKDM) **RM75m**
- Allocation for developing the military industry through technology transfer from domestic military asset providers, such as Aerodyne -

58. National Borders

- Increase maritime assets, including new procurement under the Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency (APMM), namely: **RM660m**
 - a) Six vessels under the Phase 2 Ship Life Extension Programme (RM150m);
 - b) One Multi-Purpose Mission Ship (RM350m); and
 - c) Two New Generation Patrol Vessels (RM160m)
- Projects to strengthen country borders, including: **RM1b**
 - a) Construct new and upgrading of ICQS in Rantau Panjang and Bukit Berapit;
 - b) Construct two new border posts in Bantul and Serudung, Sabah;
 - c) Equip enforcement agencies with drone technology to enhance monitoring capabilities; and
 - d) Prioritise the development of bordering towns with Kalimantan, Indonesia and Southern Thailand through provision for complete basic infrastructure, including RM50m for the construction of connecting bridges in Rantau Panjang-Golok and Pengkalan Kubor-Tumpat

- RM5m**
 - *Projek Transformasi Bekalan Air Bersih* through hybrid rainwater and groundwater systems at the Eastern Sabah Security Zone (ESSZONE) to address water supply constraints

- - With regards to the management of border entry and exit:
 - a) Establish the Malaysian Border Control and Protection Agency (MCBA) to enhance border management (RM24.9m);
 - b) Expand use of automated gate system to further countries to ease immigration clearance process; and
 - c) Implement QR code immigration clearance at Bangunan Sultan Iskandar (BSI) CIQ and Kompleks Sultan Abu Bakar (KSAB) as the main southern entry point to expedite inspection process of bus passengers and motorcyclists (projected time reduction by up to 40%) (RM20m)

- RM15m**
 - Allocation for maintenance and repair of the United States Coast Guard Cutter (USCGC)

59. Civil Servants

- Implementation of new work system by MoH across all hospitals and health clinics in a targeted manner. The on-call duty allowance at the medical facilities participating in the new system will be increased between RM55 to RM65 for public sector medical and dental officers depending on field service and department -
- Coverage of 50% or a maximum of RM15,000 of tuition fees by the Government for APEL.Q programme managed by INTAN for civil servants with over 15 years of service to further their studies **RM15m**
- Expanding the reach of the Trade Union Affairs Program (PHEKS) to provide more eligible trade unions with support for training initiatives, benefiting a total of 1,743 primary unions and union branches **RM10m**
- The Work-Based Learning (WBL) initiative aims to elevate the education level of ATM personnel, particularly those with SPM qualification **RM3m**
- Build, maintain and refurbish all quarters for civil servants including teachers, army, police, fire and prisons department personnel as well as *Rumah Keluarga Angkatan Tentera* (RKAT) **RM1.8b**
- Enhancing the Consular offices abroad including assets refurbishments **RM5m**
- Youth Housing Financing Scheme under the LPPSA to benefit young civil servants seeking mortgage financing for a term of up to 40 years -

- The Ex-Gratia Work Disaster Scheme has been improved to include the following: -
 - a) One-off Ex-Gratia Operational Benefit (EXO) payment of up to RM50,000, specifically for members of the Security Forces and Enforcement Agencies who suffer permanent disability due to accidents while on duty (wounded in action), for work accidents starting 2024;
 - b) One-off Ex-Gratia Lump Sum Benefit (EXP) of RM20,000 will be provided as an additional payment to the next of kin in cases of death resulting from accidents during duty starting 2024;
 - c) Constant Service Allowance (ELA) will be increased by 200% from RM500 per month to RM1,500 per month for eligible officers;
 - d) Ex-Gratia Temporary Disability Benefit (EXS) will be provided for officers who have been granted Extended Sick Leave due to accidents while on duty, at a rate of RM25 per day, limited to 180 days per year; and
 - e) The coverage scope of the Ex-Gratia Work Disaster Scheme has also been expanded to provide protection for officers directed to attend health appointments at hospitals or health facilities
- Subsistence Assistance Rate for non-pensionable ATM Veterans increased to RM500 in appreciation of their contribution -

- Extension of Special Appreciation Payments to pension recipients from January to December 2025 -
- Organisation of the MADANI Public Service Awards to encourage civil servants to provide the best service to the public, including promoting a culture of innovation -
- Implementation of the Public Service Remuneration System (SSPA) in phases, effective from 1 December 2024, involving a salary adjustment of 15% for the Executive and Professional Management Group, and 7% for the Top Management Group. With the new SSPA, civil servants will receive a minimum income of RM2,115 per month -
- Phased pension adjustments based on a percentage of the retirees' final salary according to their respective service groups, including retirees from the Malaysian Armed Forces (ATM), in line with the implementation of the SSPA -
- Incentive payments for civil servants to be disbursed at the end of February 2025, as follows: -
 - a) Special Financial Assistance of RM500 to all civil servants in grade 56 and below, including contract appointees; and
 - b) Special Financial Assistance of RM250 for all Government pensioners, including pensioned veterans and non-pensioned veterans

