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## RHB PLEDGED RM1 MILLION IN HUMANITARIAN AID TO ASSIST FLOOD VICTIMS

**Kuala Lumpur** – RHB Banking Group ("RHB" or the "Group") pledged RM1 million in humanitarian assistance towards aiding families affected by the recent floods as part of its ongoing RHB Touch Hearts Programme.

The Group has taken an active approach in aiding affected communities through this challenging time by providing flood victims with essential items such as dried food, clean drinking water, basic necessities, as well as cash contributions, with the hope of alleviating the tremendous burden faced by flood victims and aid them towards recovery.

"The recent flood had devastated residential areas and villages across various parts of the country and had severely affected thousands of families and have left many without homes and losing their personal belongings. In doing our part to help ease the burden of the communities affected by the flood, we have pledged RM1 million to provide immediate assistance to those affected families and the communities. Our teams across the country have also been mobilised to assist in delivering humanitarian aid as well as cleaning up homes of those families who are in need of help. We hope this small effort of ours will be able to help the affected communities to rebuild their lives to a certain extent," said Dato' Khairussaleh Ramli, Group Managing Director and CEO of RHB Banking Group.

RHB's team has thus far reached out to 400 affected families in Hulu Langat and in Puchong, Selangor.

"Most of our household items have been submerged by flood waters that had risen neck-high in many parts of our *kampung* and we are fortunate to have received generous donations to help us

through this most difficult time. We are grateful for all the support we have received, and additionally, the contributions and assistance given by RHB will help many of us rebuild and recover from this catastrophe," said Siti Shaqira Ramli, a resident and the coordinator of the Kampung Tengah distribution centre in Puchong.

In addition to humanitarian aid efforts, RHB has been providing the necessary financial assistance and support to victims of the recent floods. The Group's Flood Relief Assistance Programme provides financial assistance to individual and Small and Medium Enterprise ("SME") customers in the form of moratorium on financing facilities and loans, waiver of late payment charges and interest on affected Credit Cards, card replacement fee waiver for ATM, Debit Cards, and Credit Cards, as well as flood relief financing for new and existing SME customers.

For more information on the Flood Relief Assistance Programme and RHB's community engagement initiatives, please visit the RHB corporate website at <a href="https://www.rhbgroup.com">www.rhbgroup.com</a>