



PRESS RELEASE

RM500 SPECIAL PAYMENT FOR GOVERNMENT PENSIONERS

*With regard to the Prime Minister's announcement of RM500 special payment for pension recipients during his Budget speech, the Public Service Department (PSD) wishes to clarify that this payment will be made to **all pension recipients** (including optional retirees, retirees on other grounds, widows, widowers and children). Similar payment will also be made to pensioners of the Malaysian Armed Forces. The payment will be made to all pension recipients entitled to pensions in December 2009.*

*Payment through the banks will be made on **14th December 2009 (Monday)**, a day before regular pension payment is credited, which would be on 15th December 2009 (Tuesday). Those paid through warrants will receive an additional warrant for RM500 early December enabling encashment on 14th December 2009.*

Further details are available in the website www.jpapencen.gov.my.

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