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The tiger traps set up by the Kelantan Wildlife and National Parks Department at Kampung Remau in Pos Bihai, Gua Musang. PIC COURTESY OF DEPT

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SIGHTINGS IN ORANG ASLI VILLAGE

Traps set up to catch 2 tigers in Gua Musang

KOTA BARU: The Kelantan Wildlife and National Parks Department has set up traps to capture two tigers that were spotted in Gua Musang last week.

Department director Mohamad Hafid Rohani said the cages, with a goat as bait, were placed at Kampung Remau near Pos Bihai.

He said they were set up a day after the department received a report on the animals in the area on Dec 10.

"We received a report about 5pm on Friday about the two tigers roaming in the Orang Asli village.

"We also received pictures and videos of the tigers that went viral recently.

"Following this, we set up the cages that we call 'Perangkap Wahab', as well as a camera to track down and capture the animals," he said in a statement yesterday.

Hafid said the seven Orang Asli families residing in the village were told to evacuate to a nearby village.

"For security purposes, the Orang Asli people have temporarily moved to Kampung Tendrik in Pos Bihai.

"Our eight rangers are monitoring the area." **By Sharifah Mahsinah Abdullah**