

APPLICATIONS FOR CHILD ADOPTION TO THE NATIONAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT				
State	Year			
	2001	2002	2003	2004
Perlis	3	5	5	13
Kedah	33	12	31	8
Penang	40	39	51	31
Perak	56	76	54	52
Selangor	195	307	286	296
Kuala Lumpur	49	53	69	114
N. Sembilan	21	2	16	33
Malacca	88	84	112	152
Johor	246	334	266	290
Pahang	17	19	28	25
Trengganu	4	7	10	10
Kelantan	20	7	9	34
Sarawak	0	4	0	0
Sabah	0	0	18	0
Labuan	0	0	5	0
TOTAL	772	949	960	1,058

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