



## Queensland Government Flood Relief Appeal

We have been watching over the TV the devastation the people of Queensland have been going through over the last two weeks facing massive rain and flooding. Flooding has been inundated, something I have never seen like this in my entire life. Many cities in the state of Queensland are virtually under water and people have lost everything they possessed including, farms, farm animals, food crops, businesses, homes, personal belongings and many, many more. The latest report this morning over the TV is that 13 people have been killed and many more are missing or unaccounted for. It has been devastating for many people in Queensland. PNG gets the biggest share of the Australian aid each year and the Australian Government and its people are the first ones to come up here to support us when we have major disasters, and we as people must do something to assist them. The government of PNG has pledged to donate K10 million and I am not sure if this is all we can do. Surely the government is not poor.

What can we do as a community? I think we can do something and I am willing to set up a small box at the reception for people to make a donation to support the Premier Anna Bligh's Flood Relief Appeal. Any amount you can donate would be appreciated. Please see the girls at the reception and give them your donation. The second thing all of us can do is to offer our prayers and remember the families affected by the flood.

Please donate with a willing heart.

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