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Pathanamthitta, Heavy Rainfall, Widespread Damage

111 houses damaged in Pathanamthitta

Pathanamthitta: A total number of 111 houses were damaged in the district in the heavy rain that lashed the district for the last one week. One pilgrim, Gopakumar, 35, belonging Alappuzha went missing while taking bath in Pampa before climbing Sabarimala. A rescue team from Kottayam was brought on the orders of the District Collector for search operation. The district administration opened 22 relief camps to rehabilitate the families who live in low-lying areas in the western parts of the district in Tiruvalla and Mallappally taluks. Of the 111 houses damaged, 35 are in Tiruvalla taluk, 23 in Mallappally taluk, 22 in Kozhenchery, nine in Ranni and one in Adoor taluk.