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KUALA LUMPUR: Coin deposit machines are now available nationwide to facilitate deposit of coins by businesses and the public.

Bank Negara said 236 coin deposit machines had been placed at participating financial institutions, hypermarkets and Tabung Haji branches.

The central bank said a significant amount of coins issued were not returned for re-circulation and the public were encouraged to return their coins while, at the same time, benefit from additional savings.

"The coin deposit machines are automated, self-service coin machines that enable cus-

tomers of participating financial institutions and Tabung Haji to deposit their coins without any charges," it said in a statement.

The machines offer same day credit for coins that are deposited before 4pm and next day credit for coins deposited after 4pm.

"For coin deposit machines that are located at participating hypermarkets, customers will receive a shopping voucher equal to the value of coins deposited which they can use to pay for goods purchased at the participating stores."

More details are available on Bank Negara's website.