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PETALING JAYA — Actor Datuk Farid Kamil, who allegedly assaulted a policeman and a civilian at the Kota Damansara police station on Thursday, will spend another three nights in the lockup.

Petaling Jaya police chief Assistant Commissioner Mohd Zani Che Din said a four-day remand was granted but did not give further details.

The 37-year-old actor, who tested positive for marijuana, arrived at the

courthouse at around 10.20am yesterday in a police truck and was escorted to the remand room.

Wearing a purple lockup uniform, he re-emerged 15 minutes later but this time with a jacket over his head. He was taken to the magistrate's court.

After magistrate Zaki Ashyraf Zubir granted the four-day remand, Farid left the courtroom about 10 minutes later.

Farid is being investigated under Section 15(1)(a) for administration of drugs and Section 90 of the Police Act 1996 for acting indecently in a police station.

The actor is also being investigated under Sections 323 and 353 of the Penal Code for voluntarily causing hurt and

for using criminal force to deter a public servant from carrying out his duties.

This came following Thursday's incident that saw a policeman allegedly slapped on the face and a civilian allegedly kicked in the leg by Farid at the police station.

When the officer on duty questioned Farid about the accident he had come to report, he flashed his mobile phone at the policeman showing a message that read "300 artistes borrowing money from loan sharks due to lack of jobs".

The officer then questioned him the relevance of the message, but was slapped before Farid lashed out again and kicked another person in the station. He was immediately apprehended and handcuffed.

Farid at the courthouse yesterday.
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