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of drugs worth RM300,000 during a series of raids in Ayer Itam, Jelutong and Seberang Prai. In the operations conducted between June 10 and 14, the Anti-Narcotics Department also arrested four men and a woman aged between 36 and 47. They also seized two cars and a motorcycle. Penang police chief Comm Datuk A. Thaiveegan said the drugs seized were 18.62kg of heroin, 52.66gm of ketamine and 2,600 ecstacy and Erimin 5 pills. "The raids on a house and flats on the island and near the PLUS office of Penang Bridge bring the amount of drugs seized in Penang since January to more than RM13mil," he told a press conference at the Penang Police Contingent headquarters yesterday. Three suspects have been remanded to assist in investigations while two others had been charged at the Penang Court on June 14. The case is being investigated under the Dangerous Drugs Act.



Big haul: Comm Thaiveegan showing the seized drugs during the press conference at the Penang Police Contingent headquarters in George Town. — Bernama