

Bukit Aman smashes drug syndicate, seizes drugs worth RM2.14 million

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Mohd Dzuraiddi showing the water filter which was used to stash away the syabu. Shahrill Basri/TheSun

KUALA LUMPUR: The anti-narcotics police have busted two drug syndicates following the arrest of six people, including a local woman, and the seizure of a total of 14.13kg of syabu worth RM2.14 million.

The suspects, aged between 24 and 36, had been active for six months and are believed to have smuggled the drugs from China through cargo services.

Bukit Aman's Narcotics Criminal Investigation Department deputy director DCP Datuk Mohd Dzuraiddi Ibrahim said the suspects were arrested following four raids on March 25 and March 28.

"The raids were conducted by the Bukit Aman Special Tactical Intelligence Narcotics Group (STING) in the city and Selangor," he said.

In the 11.45am raid on March 25, the police team launched two raids and arrested two Nigerian men and a Ugandan woman at Taman Usahawan, Kepong.

"Following the arrest, police seized 13.2kg syabu worth RM2 million, packed in water filter packages," he added.

Three days later, police arrested a Nigerian man, a Ugandan woman and a local woman at Kawasan Perindustrian Tasik Perdana, Puchong and Taman Serdang Perdana, Seri Kembangan between 2.30pm and 5.30pm.

"Police confiscated various boxes of adapters and found 928gram of syabu worth RM140,000 in it.

"The local woman was believed to be involved with the courier service for the drug syndicate," he added.

He said the drugs were believed to be for the local market.

The suspects have been remanded for seven days and the case is being investigated under Section 39B of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1952 which carries the mandatory death sentence upon conviction.

As of March 24, police have seized several types of drugs worth RM58.37 million nationwide.