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**IPOH:** Two "close friends" have been arrested for trafficking several types of drugs worth RM334,000 at an entertainment centre in Seri Manjung, some 90km from here.

Perak police chief Deputy Comm Datuk Hasnan Hassan said the suspects, a 29-year-old waitress at the centre and her 45-year-old unem-

ployed male friend, were arrested at about 2am on May 14.

He said police found a total of 16,000 Eramin 5 pills, 2,100 ecstasy pills, and 446.54gm of ketamine in a room of the outlet, believed to be for distribution to customers of the centre.

DCP Hasnan said the illegal activity

had been going on for about three months.

"The two are believed to be part of a distribution ring.

"Both suspects have no previous criminal records, and their urine tests came back negative," he told a press conference at state police headquarters here yesterday.