

Revellers opt to party with 'safe and legal' pills

PETALING JAYA: They are cheaper, easily available and supposedly legal these are some of the reasons why young revellers are turning to the new craze in party pills.

The trend is catching on like wildfire among avid partygoers because the pills not only cost less than alcohol but users can also escape being pulled over by the police.

A user, who wanted to be identified only as Kris, 25, said roadblocks were common, especially after 3am when most nightclubs close.

"I've nearly been busted a couple of times after having one too many drinks. But with these legal pills, I don't have to worry about getting into trouble with the police even if there is a urine test.

"I believe I won't be caught because the pills contain substances that are said to be permitted by law. Even consuming alcohol can get one behind bars if there's a breathalyzer check. These drugs give me a more energetic high, unlike alcohol which can result in one feeling a bit disoriented. So, it's also pretty helpful when I'm on the road as it keeps me alert," said Kris.