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**P**OLICE will step up operations and raids to hunt down leaders of drug syndicates, Bukit Aman Narcotics Criminal Investigation Department (NCID) director Datuk Ayob Khan Mydin Pitchay said.

He said efforts to prevent drug trafficking would be futile until the drug lords were eliminated.

“Over the past four months, NCID detained 1,500 drug lords in Op Tapis conducted nationwide.”

He said this after attending the

Hari Raya Aidilfitri celebration hosted by the department at the Kuala Lumpur Police Training Centre here yesterday.

Inspector-General of Police Tan Sri Acryl Sani Abdullah Sani and his deputy, Datuk Razarudin Husain also attended the celebration.

Ayob Khan said NCID was taking on the challenge posed by Home Minister Datuk Seri Hamzah Zainudin to eliminate drug trafficking to ensure the future of teenagers in the country.

“Drug trafficking will not end just like that, (because) they (drug syndicates) will find ways to continue their activities,” he added.

On Friday, Hamzah, when opening the National Anti-Drugs Agency’s Mobile Recovery Treatment service, urged police to step up efforts to curb drug trafficking  
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Bukit Aman Narcotics Criminal Investigation Department director Datuk Ayob Khan Mydin Pitchay and his wife, Datin Zalena Mohd Ariffin, giving 'duit raya' to orphans during the Aidilfitri celebration at the Kuala Lumpur Police Training Centre yesterday. BERNAMA PIC