

OPERATING ILLEGALLY

# PARKING TOUT FINED, JAILED 30 DAYS

Four others get 14 days' jail, three ordered to pay fines

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**A**PARKING tout was sentenced to 30 days in jail and fined by the Kuala Lumpur City Hall's magistrate's court after being found guilty of operating illegally.

The tout, along with seven people, including five foreigners, were charged after being detained by City Hall's Enforcement Department during an operation targeting unauthorised parking attendants (Op Jaga) last Thursday.

City Hall said the operation was

carried out around Jalan Tun Sambanthan, Jalan Sri Hartamas, Jalan Beremi, Jalan Tengkat Tong Shin, Jalan Alor and Jalan Raja Alang.

"An operation was carried out from 12.30pm to 9.30pm, in which three local men and five foreigners — consisting of three Indian, one Bangladeshi, and one Myanmar citizen — were detained.

"They were taken to the Enforcement Department for further action and the documentation process.

"Yesterday (Friday), City Hall's magistrate's court sentenced one person to 30 days in jail, four others were sentenced to 14 days in jail, and the remaining three were fined," it said.

Previously, it was reported that parking touts here disturbed road users. The touts charged up to RM20 per vehicle in crowded areas, such as shopping malls, dining spots and near entertainment centres.



Policemen escorting seven people caught during Kuala Lumpur City Hall's 'Op Jaga' to City Hall's magistrate's court on Friday.  
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