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**SIBU:** A civil servant claims to have lost RM50,000 to a Macau scam on May 10.

The woman fell victim to the scheme after she was deceived by a syndicate into believing that she was involved in drug smuggling activity and money laundering.

Sibu police chief ACP Zulkipli Suhaili, in a statement yesterday, said the woman received a call from someone claiming to be from a delivery service company..

He said the caller told the woman that she had unclaimed

items and were currently under police investigation.

“The call was then transferred to a ‘police headquarters’ when a ‘sergeant’ told the woman that she was involved in a drug smuggling activity and money laundering. To make sure that woman’s account had never been involved in any crime activities, she was told to transfer here money to another account for auditing process,” he said.

The woman did what she was told. It was only later when she realised that she had been

scammed that she lodged a police report.

Zulkipli advised everyone not to be easily fall into Macau scam.

“Everyone can always go to the nearest police station if they receive such calls to check or visit <http://semakmuke.rmp.gov.my>,” he said.

He also called upon members of the public to reach out to CCID info-line 013-2111222, CCID Response Centre (03-26101559/03-26101599) or via Facebook ‘CyberCrimeAlertRMP’.