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FACTORY WORKER LOSES RM24,300 IN MACAU SCAM

BALIK PULAU: A 29-year-old factory worker has lost RM24,300 in a Macau scam. Police said the victim had earlier received a phone call from someone purportedly from the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission claiming that he had opened a bank account in Kota Kinabalu and was using it to launder money. The worker was alleged to have transacted RM530,000 through an account and taken deposits of another RM1.6 million that were proceeds from drug deals. The worker was told that he would not be prosecuted if he paid the money. He then deposited the money into an account number given to him by the scammer. District police chief Supt V. Anbalagan advised people to be cautious when they received unknown calls.