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PETALING JAYA: The Anti-Corruption Agency (ACA) has arrested a policeman for allegedly receiving a RM2,000 bribe from a housewife to not act against her husband who tested positive for drugs.

Malacca ACA arrested the 39-year-old Lans Koperal at 7.10pm on Tuesday. He has been remanded until Saturday for further investigation under Section 11(a) of the Anti-Corruption Act 1997.

Two technical administrative officers of a corporate firm were arrested for allegedly receiving RM1,000 each from a manager for appointing an engineering company to carry out a Telekom Malaysia Bhd telephone wiring project worth RM7,500.

One of the suspects, aged 48, was arrested at 7.55pm on Monday, and the other, aged 49, at 2.35pm on Tuesday.

In another incident, the Negri Sembilan ACA arrested two civil servants for receiving a RM1,650 bribe to not report a student who broke a clamping device to the Universiti Putra Malaysia Student Affairs Department.

The two, both aged 50, are a management and professional group officer, who was arrested at 3.35pm on Monday, and an administration officer, who was arrested at 12.15pm.

They were released on RM2,500 bail in one surety each. They are liable to a maximum jail term of 20 years and a fine five times the bribery sum or RM10,000 if found guilty.