

Man pleads guilty to damaging mum's house, jailed one year

KUCHING: A man who terrorised his mother and damaged her house was sentenced yesterday to a year in prison.

Mohamad Nor Nasriq Ismail, 36, pleaded guilty before Magistrate Syarifah Fatimah Azura Wan Ali to a charge of committing mischief, framed under Section 427 of the Penal Code.

The Section provides imprisonment for not less than one year and not more than five years, or with a fine, or both, upon conviction.

He committed the offence in Kampung Sungai Lumut, Jalan Sultan Tengah at around 1.20pm on Jan 10 this year.

According to the facts of the case, Mohamad Nor Nasriq's mother was in the living room when she heard him shouting and aggressively calling for her.

Fearing for her safety and suspecting her son was under the influence of drugs, she refused to open the door.

Moments later, ceiling debris began falling in the living room, prompting her to flee to a neighbour's house from where she observed the accused on the roof of her house.

She then contacted her other son—the complainant in the case—requesting his assistance.

Not long after, the complainant and police personnel arrived at the house and instructed the accused to come down from the roof, before police placed him under arrest.

An inspection of the house revealed damage to the kitchen door, living room ceiling, and side of the roof, with total damages estimated at RM1,984.

ASP Arman Ibrahim handled the prosecution, while the accused was not represented by legal counsel.