

Man jailed, fined for chicken essence, formula milk theft



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imprisonment and fined RM1,000 in default one month's jail for stealing a box of chicken essence from a supermarket in Sibujaya at about 6.24pm on May 2.

The stolen box contained 15 bottles of chicken essence and was valued at RM79.90.

According to the facts of the case, a sales assistant at the supermarket stopped Duncan on suspicion of taking items without making payment.

An inspection of his sling bag found the chicken essence inside, and he failed to produce any payment receipt.

The accused attempted to flee but was successfully detained by the sales assistant before being handed over to police.

On the second charge, Duncan

was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and fined RM1,000 in default one month's jail for stealing two tins of formula milk together with another person who had already been convicted.

The offence was committed at a pharmacy along Jalan Channel on April 1 at about 5.30pm.

The stolen items were valued at RM209.90.

The court heard that an individual wearing a helmet entered the pharmacy and stole the formula milk.

Duncan was arrested after a police report was filed, and he later led investigators to a shop where he had resold the stolen items.

ASP Sokolinkam Changgan prosecuted, while the accused was unrepresented.

SIBU: The Magistrates' Court here yesterday sentenced a man to a total of seven months' imprisonment and a fine of RM2,000 for stealing goods from a supermarket and a pharmacy.

Magistrate Ramario Jonoi convicted Duncan Lawrence, 28, from Sarikei on his own guilty plea to two charges under Section 380 of the Penal Code read together with Section 34 of the same Code.

On the first charge, the accused was sentenced to four months'