# Man electrocuted in alleged cable theft bid

**Page Location**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Sentiment** | Neutral | **Frequency** | Daily |
| **Outlet Country** | Malaysia | **Outlet Language** | English |
| **Impressions** | 581,444 | **Circulation** | 290,722 |
| **PR Value** | 174,433 | **Page** | 5 |

## Man electrocuted in alleged cable theft bid

**IPOH:** A 38-year-old man died after being electrocuted, allegedly while trying to steal a cable belonging to Tenaga Nasional Berhad, at Taman Silibin Ria on the Ipoh-Lumut highway on Monday.

Ipoh police chief ACP Abang Zainal Abidin Abang Ahmad said: "A video shows the deceased and another individual cutting the cable when it exploded, causing both to faint. The other individual got up and fled on a motorcycle. The case has been classified as sudden death."

He said an initial investigation by police found that the deceased had 10 records related to violent and property crimes.

He urged those with information to contact Ipoh district police headquarters Criminal Investigation Department investigator Sgt Liyana Zulaikah Ibrahim at 019-776 5184 or Sgt M.T. Michael Jevadas of the Taman Rishah police station at 016-532 5208 to assist in the investigation. – Bernama