



## ABOUT US

### No More Mules warns vulnerable persons duped into becoming drug mules

Our campaign's mission is to raise awareness of the dangers of trafficking drugs into Hong Kong and its extremely long and punitive prison sentences. By sharing prisoners' letters, we help to spread the message and inspire change within the prisoners' countries of origin.

The campaign is lead by Hong Kong prison chaplain Father John Wotherspoon.

Since 2013, Father John's anti-drug campaign has greatly reduced the number of drug mules entering Hong Kong from Africa and South America.



**From Dec 28, 2018 to Jan 24, 2019 fr John will be in Malaysia and available to meet media, concerned groups and individuals in Malaysia who want to stop young Malaysians from being sent to prison in Hong Kong.**

# Campaign “No More Mules” comes to KL

DEC 28 - JAN 24

We are bringing our campaign to Malaysia due to the exponential increase of young drug mules from the country:

- The majority of drug mules arrested in Hong Kong International Airport typically arrived from Africa and South America, but **in 2018 the number of Malaysians was greater than the total of Africans and South Americans combined**
- In 2018 there were **23 young Malaysians arrested** at Hong Kong International Airport for drug trafficking compared to only four arrested for the same offence in 2017
- All **23 were found trafficking dangerous drugs**, and each face about **10 years of prison** – that's 230 years wasted in Hong Kong prisons!
- The **youngest arrested was a 16-year-old female student** visiting Hong Kong in March, who concealed 700g of heroin with a street value of HK\$1.05 million. She arrived at Hong Kong International Airport from Kuala Lumpur alongside a 19-year-old man
- Smuggling syndicates prey on teenagers and young adults to do their dirty work by offering them **free overseas trips, entertainment, or cash to carry goods**
- **Kuala Lumpur Airport security is lax.** One recent young mule to Hong Kong had 6kg of Ice and 3kg of cocaine in his checked-in luggage. No problem going through KLIA!
- Drug trafficking in Hong Kong is a serious offence and carries a maximum penalty of **life imprisonment and a HK\$5 million fine**

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## PRESS RESOURCES

Drug smuggling Hong Kong news

<https://www.scmp.com/news/hong-kong/hong-kong-law-and-crime/article/2151691/hong-kongs-young-smugglers-told-get-caught>

<https://www.scmp.com/magazines/post-magazine/short-reads/article/2137493/hong-kong-dishes-out-severe-punishment-drug>

Published true stories for the campaign

<http://nomasmulas.com/2018/12/from-kl-to-hk-with-complimentary-flight-tickets-to-jail/>

<http://nomasmulas.com/2018/12/jailed-at-18-young-malaysian-in-hong-kong-prison/>

<http://nomasmulas.com/2018/12/looking-for-extra-cash-for-the-new-year-malaysian-chef-turns-drug-mule/>

Press about the campaign

<https://www.scmp.com/news/hong-kong/education-community/article/2094665/prison-chaplain-who-has-stopped-150-drug-mules>

<https://www.scmp.com/magazines/post-magazine/long-reads/article/2137465/hong-kong-priests-mission-save-drug-mules-system>

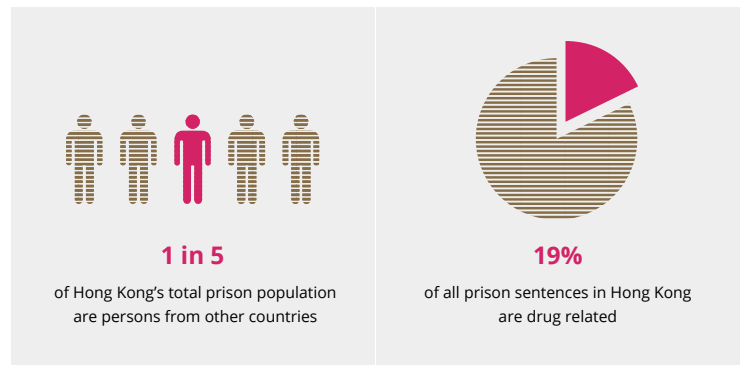
Videos about the campaign

<https://youtu.be/pGuQyMhfbmA>

<https://youtu.be/qr9D6L67fTQ>

<https://youtu.be/rVcqHWflv2s>

## USEFUL STATISTICS



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