Headline: RISE IN 'MACAU SCAMS'

Publication/Portal: The Sun

Date: 1 August 2018

Language: English

Section: News Without

Borders Page: 4

RISE IN 'MACAU SCAMS'

KUALA LUMPUR: A total of 208 cheating cases committed through fake phone calls, or 'Macau Scam', involving losses of RM14 million have been reported in the city said KL police chief Commisoner Datuk Seri Mazlan Lazim. He said the 'Macau scam' has seen a rise in cases compared to last year's statistics in Kuala Lumpur. From January to July this year a total of 208 cases were reported compared to 2017 where during the same period 197 cases were reported. He was also commenting on a case where recently a famous oil firm executive manager lost RM10,500 of her savings to a Macau scam syndicate.