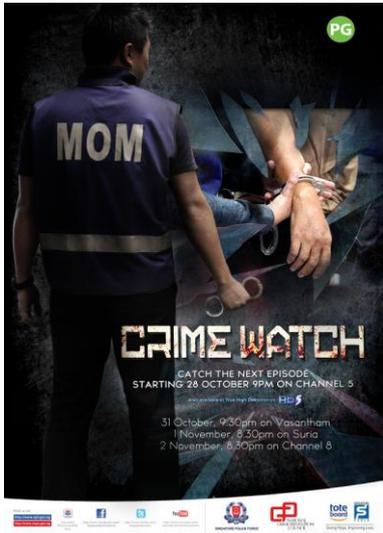


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CRIMEWATCH EPISODE 8 – ILLEGAL EMPLOYMENT AGENT

In an effort to educate the public and stakeholders, MOM has produced an episode on Crimewatch together with the Singapore Police Force.

In the upcoming episode of Crimewatch, we are featuring an illegal employment agent who had been on the run from law enforcers. She operated an illegal employment agency and coaxed a Filipino to be her runner. The episode shows how officers from the MOM eventually arrested the elusive suspect, who was responsible for a series of employment scams. The programme also features MOM officers in action during

a "live" raid at Golden Mile Complex enforcing against illegal workers.

The trailer for the episode can be watched on our YouTube (www.youtube.com/watch?v=DstpCPdY91g&feature=youtu.be) and Facebook (www.facebook.com/sgministryofmanpower/posts/108914645934549) channels. The show will be available in four languages – English, Mandarin, Tamil and Malay. We encourage employment agencies to tune into the show on the following dates/timings

English version (Channel 5) - 28 Oct 2012 @ 9pm
Tamil version (Vasantham) - 31 Oct 2012 @ 9.30pm
Malay version (Suria) - 1 Nov 2012 @ 8.30pm
Mandarin version (Channel 8) - 2 Nov 2012 @ 8.30pm

We hope you will find the episode educational and useful. MOM will not hesitate to take strong actions against illegal employment agents. As part of public education efforts, we also advise members of the public, who may fall prey to such employment scams, to only use licensed and MOM-registered employment agencies.

We appreciate your support and viewing of the programme.