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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **Fisherman Convicted for Arms, Ammo Possession**

A 23-year-old fisherman was sentenced to two years in jail for possession of firearm and ammunition, when he appeared virtually before the Scarborough Magistrates' Court for sentencing on May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

**TREY PIERRE**, of Cocowatty Trace, Mason Hall, pleaded guilty to the offences when he appeared before Magistrate Rajendra Rambachan.

**PIERRE** was sentenced to two years for possession of firearm and two years for possession of ammunition. The sentences are to run concurrently.

According to a police report, on February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 officers of the Tobago Divisional Task Force were on mobile patrol along Carrington Street, Scarborough, when they received information of a man armed with a firearm. Officers upon locating the man, approached him and conducted a search of a bag that was in his possession. The search resulted in one wooden handle revolver, along with five rounds of .38 ammunition being discovered and seized.

**PIERRE** was immediately arrested and charged with the offences on February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022, by PC Oneil. He appeared in court on the same date to answer to the charges, was denied bail and was remanded into custody until his sentencing hearing.

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