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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **Speyside Man Granted \$20,000 Bail for Assaulting Woman**

A Speyside man, who allegedly assaulted the mother of his children, was granted \$20,000 bail after appearing virtually before a Scarborough Magistrate on June 10<sup>th</sup>.

**AKO 'DUMBA' GEORGE**, 34, a plumber, was arrested and charged by WPC Kerr, of the Gender Based Violence Unit, on June 9<sup>th</sup> 2021 and appeared virtually before Scarborough Magistrate Jo-Anne Connor on June 10<sup>th</sup> 2021.

**GEORGE** was charged with assault causing actual bodily harm and was not called to plead. He was also ordered to refrain from any form of violence towards the woman nor is he to have any interactions with her whatsoever.

On May 7<sup>th</sup> 2021, a woman reported to police that a man allegedly confronted her at the home of a friend and began hitting her about her face and head causing injuries.

WPC Kerr carried out extensive investigations into the incident and later charged **GEORGE** with assault occasioning bodily harm.

The woman was referred to the Victim and Witness Support Unit for counselling and support.

#### **SEE ACCOMPANYING PHOTOGRAPH**

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