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MEDIA RELEASE

PH Driver Charged with Sexual Assault Against Girl, 12

A 41-year-old PH Driver will appear before the Siparia Magistrates' Virtual Court today charged with one count of sexual penetration of a child.

The suspect was arrested by officers of the South Western Division Child Protection Unit (CPU) on Tuesday 4th August, 2020, following an investigation launched into the alleged assault of a 12-year-old girl.

The victim reported to police in May 2020 that while in the backseat of a PH taxi along Gambal Street, Siparia, she was assaulted by the driver.

This was later disclosed to her father who subsequently made a report to police.

WPC Rangoo, of the South Western CPU, led the investigation which resulted in the arrest of the 41-year-old suspect of Happy Hill Road, Robert Hill, Siparia.

He will answer to the charge before a Siparia Magistrate today, Wednesday 5th August, 2020, when he appears virtually.

The investigation was spearheaded by W/Supt (Ag) George, ASP (Ag) Sookdeo and supervised by Insp (Ag) Roberts of the CPU.

For 2020, the CPU has arrested and charged 121 persons for 328 charges involving children.

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