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MEDIA RELEASE

\$175k Bail for Assaulting Common Law Wife

A 48-year-old man was granted bail in the sum of \$175,000 with a surety, when he appeared before Magistrate Alexander Prince, at the Couva Magistrates' Court on 28th March. The accused was charged with Assault Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm, Threats to Kill and Being Armed with a Weapon.

As part of the bail condition, the accused was ordered to report to a Police Station in his district once per week, he shall not communicate indirectly or directly with the victim, and he shall not go within 100 meters of the victim.

The accused is expected to reappear in court on 24th April, 2023.

A police report stated that on Wednesday 21st December, 2022, a woman and her common law husband had a domestic dispute. During the dispute, the man allegedly dealt his common law wife several blows with a metal fan rod, and allegedly made threats to kill the woman.

The incident was reported on the 6th January, 2023 to the Chaguanas Police Station, Special Victims Department, and an investigation was conducted by WPC Campbell. As a result of the investigation a man was arrested and charged with the three offences on 28th March, 2023.

The investigation was supervised by Senior Superintendent Claire Guy-Alleyne, Ag. ASP Seecharan, and Ag Corporal Jagroop.

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