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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **Three Held, Two Pistols and Drugs Seized in Ongoing Exercises**

Officers continue to make inroads in removing illegal guns and narcotics off the streets and out of the hands of criminals, with the arrest of three persons and the seizure of two firearms and a quantity of drugs, during anti-crime exercises conducted across the Northern and North-Central Divisions yesterday.

Officers of North-Central, Area West and the Canine Branch conducted an exercise between 3 am and 10 am, on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2022, in the Maracas, St. Joseph and Tunapuna districts.

During the exercise, two men were held for possession of quantities of marijuana.

Meanwhile, in a separate exercise conducted between 3 pm and 7 pm yesterday, officers of the Maloney Criminal Investigations Department and the Northern Division Task Force, Area North, conducted several searches in the Northern and Eastern Divisions.

The searches resulted in one Beretta pistol and a Taurus pistol being discovered in the Eastern and Northern Divisions respectively.

One man, a 33-year-old, of Princes Town, was arrested in connection with the finds.

Investigations are ongoing.

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