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Two Arrested, Firearm, Ammunition and Drugs seized in Central Division

A series of anti-crime exercises conducted by officers in the Central Division has led to the arrest of two suspects, the seizure of a firearm, ammunitions and drugs.

During an exercise aimed at curbing the circulation of illegal firearms and ammunition in the Central Division, officers went to a residence at Lange Park, Chaguanas and executed a search, and found a pistol armed with six rounds of .45 ammunition hidden in the kitchen ceiling. A 33-year-old male occupant of the home was arrested and is assisting police with further investigations.

The officers acting on intelligence information, intercepted a white Nissan Tiida along Southern Main Road, Chaguanas and conducted a search of the vehicle, which resulted in the seizure of 255 grams of cocaine in a black plastic bag. The drug has an estimated street value of \$277,000.00 TT. The 32-year-old driver of the vehicle was arrested and taken to the police station.

This initiative was organized by members of the Special Operations Unit, with coordination from ACP Richard Smith and Snr. Supt. Roger Alexander, and supervised by ASP St. Clair and Sgt. Baptiste. The exercise involved collaborative support from the TTPS K-9 Unit and members of the Trinidad and Tobago Defence Force (TTDF) Special Operations Force (SOF).

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