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MEDIA RELEASE

THPB Nets Two, Seizes Firearm Cache in SD

The patrol policy implemented by the Traffic and Highway Patrol Branch (THPB) continues to have its intended successes, with the arrest of two suspects and the seizure of a large cache of firearms, firearm components and ammunition in the Southern Division yesterday.

Reports indicate that around 8:30 am, on Sunday 28th August, 2022, officers of the Highway Patrol Task Force were conducting road traffic exercises in accordance with the patrol police, along the northbound lane of the Sir Solomon Hochoy Highway, in the vicinity of the Brian Lara Cricket Academy, when they stopped a white Mercedes Benz with a male occupant.

A search of the vehicle resulted in officers finding one firearm component. Further enquiries led officers to the suspect's home, where they executed a search warrant.

The search resulted in the discovery of 40 rounds of 9mm ammunition on the premises.

As the officers continued their investigations, they proceeded to the home of a second suspect, where a large cache of firearms, ammunition and firearm components, namely slides and barrels were found. Officers observed that the suspect had allegedly reconfigured numerous pistols with other parts, thereby creating an entirely new firearm.

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The two suspects were arrested in connection with the finds.

Investigations are ongoing.

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