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MEDIA RELEASE

\$200k Bail for PH Driver Charged with Sexual Touching

A 45-year-old PH taxi driver was granted bail in the sum of \$200,000 with a surety, when he appeared before Magistrate Armina Mohammed Deonarinesingh, at the Princes Town Magistrates' Court on Monday 13th February, after he was charged with two counts of Sexual Touching.

As part of the bail condition, the accused must have no communication with the victim, a 15-year-old girl, or her family. He must not be within 20 feet of the victim, and he is to report to a Police Station three times each week.

The accused is expected to reappear in court on 13th March, 2023.

According to police reports, the alleged incidents of sexual touching occurred on two occasions in June 2022. The victim reported the incident to the Child Protection Unit Southern Division. The matter was investigated. As a result, a 45-year-old man was arrested on 10th February, and subsequently charged on 12th February, 2023 with two counts of Sexual Touching.

Charges were laid by Corporal Thompson.

The investigation was supervised by Senior Superintendent Claire – Guy Alleyne, ASP Secharan and Inspector Ramphal and Sergeant Baptiste.

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