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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

## **Two Held, Firearm, Ammunition and Drugs Seized in Tobago**

Two men were arrested and a firearm and quantities of ammunition and marijuana seized by officers of the Tobago Division during an anti-crime exercise yesterday.

The exercise which was conducted between 2:45 am and 8:20 am, on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2024, included officers of the Tobago Task Force, Inter-Agency Task Force, Guard and Emergency Branch and Canine Branch.

During the exercise, officers executed search warrants for firearms and ammunition at Moriah, Tobago, which resulted in a 32-year-old man being arrested for possession of seven marijuana trees.

The same party of officers then proceeded to Golden Lane, where a 38-year-old man was arrested for possession of one Glock pistol loaded with a magazine containing 14 rounds of ammunition.

Meanwhile, in the Northern Division, officers of the Arima Intelligence and Operations Unit executed several search warrants in the district between 5:50 pm and 11:55 pm, yesterday.

During the exercise, the officers proceeded to Church Street, Arima, in the vicinity of the Arima Girls' R.C. School where they observed a male suspect standing along the roadway.

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As the officers approached the man, he allegedly ran into a nearby yard. The officers entered premises and observed a number of non-nationals sitting around a table. A search was conducted and several packets of cocaine were discovered on the table.

Eight non-nationals were arrested in connection with the find and the Immigration Division contacted.

Investigations are ongoing into all the above matters.

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