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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **5 Chinese, 2 Venezuelans Arrested Following Arima Raids of Gaming Houses – Large Quantity of Cash Seized**

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Seven foreigners are currently being interrogated by police interpreters following the seizure of a large quantity of cash yesterday afternoon during the raids of four common gaming houses in Arima.

The suspects are five Chinese – ages 27, 32, 47, 48, and 52 – and two Venezuelans – ages 22 and 31.

Police executed raids at the establishments on November 11<sup>th</sup> along King Street, Queen Street, Green Street and Farfan Street, Arima.

According to police reports, in the first exercise, police allegedly seized an undisclosed amount of cash and arrested two Chinese men. They later proceeded to three other locations where similar seizures were made and where they arrested another three Chinese and two Venezuelans.

Enquiries remain ongoing into the seizures.

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