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MEDIA RELEASE

Contractor, 63, charged with sexual offences of Girls 11, 7

A 63-year-old man was granted bail in the sum of \$250,000 with a surety by Justice of the Peace, Steven Young, at the Belmont Police Station on sexual charges involving two girls, ages 11 and seven. The accused was also required not to communicate with the victims and, he must report to the Besson Street Police Station on Mondays and Fridays before 6pm.

The accused was charged with four offences:

- One (1) count of Sexual Touching
- Two (2) counts Sexual Touching
- One (1) count of Paying for Sexual Service of a child

The contractor, of La Horquetta, was arrested after relatives of the minors made a report to the La Horquetta Police Station on 24th February, 2021 and 27th February, 2021. One girl reported that the sexual offences occurred during the period 31st December, 2018 to 9th September, 2019. The other girl reported that the offences occurred during the period 1st January, 2017 to 1st January, 2018.

Ag. Sgt Andrews, Cpl Neptune, and WPC Brathwaite, of the Port of Spain Child Protection Unit (CPU), conducted an investigation into the matter which resulted in the arrest and charge of the contractor on the Friday 9th, July 2021.

The accused is expected to appear at the Port of Spain Magistrates' Court on 4th August, 2021 to answer the charge.

Investigations were supervised by W/Supt Ag. Claire Guy- Alleyne, ASP Ramnarine, and Insp. (Ag) Lopez of the Child Protection Unit.

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