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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **School Driver Granted \$40,000 Bail for Sexually Touching Girl, 13**

A 51-year-old school driver was granted \$40,000 when he appeared before a Port-of-Spain Magistrate today charged with one count of sexual touching of a child.

The accused will reappear before the court when the matter comes up for hearing on February 18<sup>th</sup>.

The man, who resides in Diamond Vale, Diego Martin, was arrested on January 20<sup>th</sup> and charged today by WPC Kerr of the Western Division Child Protection Unit (CPU).

WPC Kerr laid the charge following an investigation into a report made by a 13-year-old girl in January 2020, that while on her way to school seated in the taxi driven by the man, her school driver, he allegedly assaulted her.

Investigations, spearheaded by W/Superintendent (Ag.) Claire Guy-Alleyne, ASP (Ag.) Roberts and Sgt James, of the CPU, resulted in the man being charged with one count of sexual touching.

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