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November 12th, 2020 **MEDIA RELEASE** 2 Persons Arrested, firearm and ammunition seized

Two men were arrested for being in possession of a firearm and ammunition during an anti-crime exercise conducted in Oropune Gardens, Piarco, on Wednesday 11th November, 2020.

Based on information received, officers proceeded to 4th Avenue Oropune Gardens, Piarco, around 5.55pm yesterday, where they intercepted a white Nissan Sentra B15 vehicle. Police searched the vehicle, where one Glock 17 pistol fitted with an automatic fire selector, along with one magazine containing 12 rounds of nine-millimetre ammunition were found and seized.

The driver and the front seat passenger of the vehicle were both arrested and conveyed to the Arouca Police Station along with the said vehicle. Searches were also carried out at the homes of both suspects, however, nothing illegal was found.

The exercise was supervised by Ag Cpl Beddasie along with a party of officers from the Area Central Task Force of the Northern Division.

Enquiries are continuing.

SEE ACCOMPANYING PHOTO.

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