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Teen Gets \$5K Bail Following Alleged Rio Claro House Breaking

An 18-year-old male suspect was today granted \$5,000 own bail when he appeared virtually before the Rio Claro Magistrates' Court, charged with House Breaking and Larceny.

RECARDO BAKSH, unemployed, of Sydney Street, Rio Claro, was granted bail by Magistrate Ava Vandenberg-Bailey after being charged last night by PC Rampersad of the Rio Claro Criminal Investigations Department (CID).

BASKH was wanted in connection with a September 26th police report in which a woman reported to detectives that her house was broken into about 30 minutes after she left her home.

According to the report, at 3 pm on the said day, the woman secured her home located in Rio Claro and went away. Upon her return around 3.35 pm, she allegedly discovered the front door forced open and several items missing from her home, including a birthday cake, a pack of milk and porridge.

She subsequently made a report to officers at the Rio Claro Police Station who launched an investigation.

Following enquiries by Cpl (Ag.) Sookwah and PCs Rampersad and Mahabir of the Rio Claro CID, under the supervision of Sgt Maharaj, police located the 18-year-old suspect.

BASKH will reappear before the court on October 26th, 2023, to answer the charge.

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