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MEDIA RELEASE

Labourer Gets \$250,000 Bail for Wilful Assault of Child, 1

A 27-year-old man was granted \$250,000 bail with a surety when he appeared virtually before Magistrate Cheron Raphael at the Sangre Grande Magistrates' Court last Friday charged with two counts of wilful assault.

The accused is expected to reappear at the Sangre Grande Magistrates' Court on December 10th.

According to a police report, on November 4th, 2021, a woman and a man had an argument and sometime after the man allegedly took the child to an event.

When the child was later returned, the woman told police that she observed marks on the child's chest and back. Burn marks were also seen around the child's neck.

WPC La Fortune of the Eastern Division, Child Protection Unit (CPU), conducted an investigation into the matter which resulted in the arrest of the accused on November 16th, who was subsequently charged on November 18th, 2021 with the offences.

Investigations were supervised by W/Supt (Ag.) Claire Guy-Alleyne, ASP Roberts and Sgt. Baptiste of the CPU.

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