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MEDIA RELEASE

Firearm, Ammunition and Cocaine Seized in North Eastern Division

Police found and seized a firearm, ammunition and cocaine during anti-crime exercises in the North Eastern Division yesterday.

While on an exercise along 2nd Street in the vicinity of the San Juan Market, the officers observed a cardboard box next to a drain, PC Ali searched the box and found 23 grams of cocaine.

Officers then proceeded to Geranium Drive, where they observed two men dressed in dark coloured clothing a short distance away, one of whom was holding a black bag in his hand. Upon seeing the marked police vehicle, the man dropped the bag and both men ran north through a track off the road. The officers pursued the men but they evaded capture. PC Jaggernath took possession of the said bag, which contained one firearm along with eight rounds of .9mm ammunition.

The exercise was coordinated by ACP Oswain Subero, Snr. Supt. Edwards, W/Supt. George and ASP Callender, coordinated by Ag/Insp Ramsingh and Sgt Martin, supervised by Cpl Daniel and included members of the North Eastern Division Task Force.

Inquiries are continuing.

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