



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO POLICE SERVICE CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS UNIT

Police Administration Building,
Corner Edward and Sackville Streets, Port of Spain
Telephone: 1 (868) 625-8395 Facsimile: 1 (868) 625-7133
Email: corporatecommunications@tpps.gov.tt

August 3rd, 2022

MEDIA RELEASE

\$3.6M Bail for 2 Cops Charged with Corruption

Two police officers are expected to appear before the Tunapuna and Arima Magistrates' Court later on next month to answer seven charges of Misbehaviour in Public Office, Unlawfully and Dishonestly Agreeing to Accept and Receiving Monies.

PC RONALD RANSOME, 27, and **PC RISHI MOHAN**, 36, were both granted \$1,800,000 bail, each with a surety to cover all charges, by Justices of the Peace Ms. Marilyn Martin and Abraham Ali respectively, at the St Joseph Police Station.

According to police reports during the month of April 2022, a man met the officers at a location in North Trinidad where the police officers allegedly solicited TT\$700,000 from him to forgo prosecution in the investigation of a criminal matter. According to the man, over a period of time he allegedly made five payments totalling TT\$201,100 to two police officers.

A report was made to the police and an exercise was conducted by officers of the Professional Standards Bureau. An investigation was spearheaded by Senior Superintendent of Police (Ag.) Suzette Martin, supervised by Superintendent Montrichard and included Insp. Narine, Sgt (Ag.) Mohammed, Cpl (Ag.) Joefield and Cpl (Ag.) Sampson and both PCs Mohan and Ransome were arrested on July 26th, 2022.

The men were subsequently charged by PC Horsford on August 1st, 2022, following the advice received from the Director of Public Prosecutions, Roger Gaspard, SC.

SEE ACCOMPANYING PHOTOGRAPHS

Corporate Communications Unit

August 3rd, 2022

END