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MEDIA RELEASE

3 Arrested as Police Seize 4 AR Rifles, Magazines and Drugs in South

Officers attached to the Southern Division Task Force and Canine Unit, during an anticrime exercise yesterday, found and seized four AR Rifles, eleven magazines, a quantity of marijuana and arrested three persons.

During the exercise, officers went to the M2 Ring Road in the vicinity of the Debe roundabout, when they had cause to stop a white Nissan Ad Wagon driven by a 30-year-old Venezuelan man who resides at Harmony Hall, Marabella.

A search of the vehicle was conducted and within one white crocus bag officers found four AR Rifles together with eleven magazines. The driver was arrested and taken to the Marabella Police Station. W/Cpl Plenty is continuing enquiries.

The officers, based on intelligence information, proceeded to Hill Top Drive, Claxton Bay, where several homes were searched. During the search, officers found and seized a quantity of marijuana at two homes. The drugs amounted to 175 grams. Two suspects were also arrested during the exercise and are expected to be charged for possession of marijuana for the purpose of trafficking.

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