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MEDIA RELEASE

Assault Rifle, Pistols, Ammunition and Drugs Seized

Three suspects were arrested and three firearms and quantities of ammunition and marijuana seized by officers during ongoing anti-crime exercises overnight into this morning.

An intelligence-led exercise was conducted between 8 pm on Sunday 9th June, 2024 and 4 am, on Monday 10th June, 2024, in the Southern and Central Divisions.

During the exercise, two male suspects, ages 23 and 24, of Arima and Chaguanas, were arrested by officers of the Southern Division Task Force for possession of 53 kilogrammes of marijuana for the purpose of trafficking.

Meanwhile, officers of the Western Division Gang and Intelligence Unit conducted an exercise between 2 am and 7 am, today, during which they proceeded to the Maraval district where a search warrant was executed.

During the search officers found on AR-15 Assault Rifle along with a Taurus pistol and an assortment of ammunition at a house along Pierre Street.

One male suspect was arrested in connection with the finds.

And, in Tobago, officers conducted an exercise around 11:50 pm, on Saturday 8th June, 2024, during which they proceeded to Government House Road.

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There a search was conducted which resulted in one Glock pistol loaded with a magazine containing 10 rounds of ammunition were found hidden in a crocus bag.

Investigations are ongoing into all of the above matters.

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