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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **Manson Hall Labourer Granted Bail for Alleged Sexual Acts to Girl, 15**

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A 39-year-old man was granted bail in the sum of \$85,000 or a cash alternative of \$15,000 after appearing before the Scarborough Virtual Court yesterday to answer to sexual charges against a female minor.

The accused is also to report to police every Saturday as a condition of the bail granted.

The labourer of Mason Hall, Tobago, was arrested and charged by PC Caby of the Tobago Child Protection Unit (CPU) on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, following the culmination of an investigation into a report made by a 15-year-old girl that she was allegedly sexually assaulted by a man.

According to the victim's account, the incident in which she was reportedly assaulted is said to have occurred on June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

The investigation led to the man being charged with one count of sexual penetration of a child and one count of procuring a minor for sexual gratification.

The matter will be brought up before a Scarborough Magistrate on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2020, where the accused is scheduled to reappear.

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