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## August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024 **MEDIA RELEASE Firearm, Ammo, Various Narcotics Seized in San Fernando**

An anti-crime exercise in the Southern Division has resulted in the seizure of a firearm and ammunition, various narcotics and the recovery of a stolen vehicle in the past 24 hours.

Officers of the San Fernando Enquiries Unit and the San Fernando Police Station conducted an intelligence-led anti-crime exercise between 2 pm on 2<sup>nd</sup> August, 2024, and midnight, today. Based on previous surveillance and credible information, the officers proceeded to Roy Joseph Street, San Fernando and conducted a search. During the search, the officers found a black bag containing 1.8 kilograms of high-grade marijuana, two cell phones, 29 grams of cocaine in several packets, ten capsules resembling molly pills and five green coloured tablets resembling ecstasy, which were all seized.

Acting on further information, the officers then proceeded to Union Hall, San Fernando, where they observed a silver Nissan Sylphy bearing a haphazardly attached license plate, concealing another plate below it. Further checks revealed the concealed plate to be the genuine plate of the vehicle which was reported stolen on 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2024, during a kidnapping and robbery in the district. The vehicle was wrecked to San Fernando Police Station pending further enquires.

Also, at approximately 11:45 pm the officers then proceeded to the San Fernando Wharf, where they conducted a search and found and seized a silver and brown .38 Special Revolver firearm and one round of .38 ammunition.

This exercise was coordinated by Snr Supt Soodeen, Supt Singh, ASP Phillip, ASP Ramsaran, and Insp Lewis, and Supervised by Sgt Alexander, Sgt Ramnarine Sgt Singh and Ag. Cpl Huggins.

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