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MEDIA RELEASE

9 Arrested, Ammunition Seized in Mayaro SOE Operation

Nine suspects were arrested during a targeted anti-crime operation conducted in the Mayaro district on March 21, 2025.

The operation, executed between 3 am and 6:30 am under the provisions of the ongoing State of Emergency, was coordinated by Senior Superintendent Paponette and supervised by Sgt Mohammed and Cpl Jaikaran. As part of the operation, officers also searched two known drug areas—the Guayaguayare Fishing Port and Ortoire Fishing Port. During the operation the officers discovered illegal ammunition and prohibited items.

Three suspects were arrested for possession of ammunition after officers found 12-gauge cartridges. One individual was arrested for possession of a prohibited camouflage-patterned item of clothing.

Three suspects were arrested on outstanding First Instance Warrants and were also jointly charged for possession of ammunition after officers discovered 5.56 rounds of ammunition.

Another suspect was arrested for outstanding Affiliation warrant and another man was arrested for a TAC warrant.

Investigations are continuing.

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