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December 10th, 2023 **MEDIA RELEASE**

Toco Labourer, 40, Charged with Shotgun, Ammo Possession

A 40-year-old man who was charged on Friday with Possession of a Homemade Shotgun and Possession of a 12 Gauge Cartridge is expected to appear virtually tomorrow before the Sangre Grande Magistrates' Court to answer the charges.

GERALD JOSEPH, a labourer, of Toco Main Road, Balandra, was charged on December 8th by Cpl Andrews, of the Toco Police Station (TPS), who led a raid in search of firearms and ammunition at the suspect's home.

According to police reports, at 1.35 pm on December 8th, police officers executed a search warrant during at the suspect's home during which they allegedly found the firearm and ammunition.

The suspect was immediately arrested and subsequently charged with the offences.

The operation was coordinated by Inspector (Ag.) Sankar and supervised Sgt Edwards and included personnel from the TPS and Mounted and Canine Branch.

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