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Two Held – Shotgun, Ammunition Found in Blanchisseuse

Two persons were arrested for trafficking in narcotics and the discovery of a shotgun and ammunition by officers of the Northern Division during an anti-crime exercise conducted in Blanchisseuse yesterday.

Officers of the Blanchisseuse Police Station conducted the exercise between 3 pm and 8 pm, on Wednesday 31st March, 2021, during which they proceeded to the Avocat forest, where they conducted a search in the vicinity of a makeshift wood structure.

The officers found one double-barrelled 12-gauge shotgun loaded with two 12-gauge cartridges and a camouflage jacket.

Searches of known drug blocks in La Fillette, Lower Village Blanchisseuse, and Upper Village Blanchisseuse, were conducted leading to the arrest of two suspects wanted in connection with narcotics trafficking.

Investigations are ongoing.

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