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MEDIA RELEASE

Stolen Items Recovered, Cannabis Seized During SOE Operation in Eastern Division

State of Emergency Operations continued in the Eastern Division, as targeted raids and search exercises were conducted in the Sangre Grande, Toco, and Matura districts on Friday, January 3rd, 2025.

Sangre Grande Operation: Between 3:30 pm and 7 pm, officers executed a search at the residence of a priority offender, located at Upper Cunapo Road, Maraj Hill, Coalmine, Sangre Grande. During the search, several stolen items were recovered, including:

- One multi-coloured LED lighting strip
- One Stihl mist blower
- Two Stihl weed cutters
- One Stihl chain saw
- One Lifan 2-inch water pump
- One Gemini speaker box

These items were linked to a housebreaking and larceny incident that occurred between November 16th and 23rd, 2024. The suspect was arrested, and investigations are ongoing.

Toco and Matura Joint Operation: Later that day, between 4 pm and 7 pm, a joint raid and search operation was conducted in the Toco and Matura districts. Officers proceeded to an abandoned structure located 1 1/2 miles along Alandale Settlement Road, Toco, where they discovered 5 kilograms of cannabis hanging from makeshift lines.

The Trinidad and Tobago Police Service (TTPS) remains committed to maintaining public safety and urges citizens to report any suspicious activities to their nearest police station or via 999, 911, 555 or 800-TIPS.

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