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MEDIA RELEASE

One Held, Two Firearms and Quantities of Cannabis and Ammunition Seized

One suspect was arrested and two firearms and quantities of ammunition and cannabis seized, by officers as State of Emergency Operations were ramped up across the country.

In the Tobago Division, a search operation was conducted between 5:40 pm and 6:45 pm, on Wednesday 8th January, 2025, directed by ACP Subero and coordinated by Snr. Supt. Elie and included officers of the Tobago Divisional Task Force, the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF), Guard and Emergency Branch (GEB), the Trinidad and Tobago Regiment and the Canine Branch.

During the exercise, the officers proceeded to Windward Road, Delaford, where they conducted searches of two unoccupied concrete structures.

The search resulted in the discovery of 11.1 kilogrammes of cannabis hidden in plastic bottles and packets.

In the Northern Division, Task Force officers conducted an exercise between 5 pm and 8 pm, yesterday, during which they proceeded to Trainline Pinto Road, Arima, where they conducted a search of a bushy area.

The search resulted in one pump-action shotgun and three rounds of 12 gauge cartridges being discovered.

Meanwhile, in the Port of Spain Division, a 25-year-old man of Beetham Gardens was arrested at his home, for being in possession of two magazines and 30 rounds of ammunition.

The exercise was conducted by officers of the IATF, the Canine Branch, GEB, Air Support Unit and the Port of Spain Task Force.

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And, officers of the North Central Division's Gang and Intelligence Unit, with the support of the Major Crimes Unit, the St. Joseph Criminal Investigations Department, Task Force and personnel of the Trinidad and Tobago Defence Force, returned to the scene of a Police-Involved Shooting, which occurred in the St. Joseph District, on Tuesday 7th January, 2025.

A comprehensive search of the area was conducted, which resulted in a firearm being discovered hidden in some bushes on the bank of a river.

In the Western Division, officers of the Maraval Police Station conducted an exercise last night in the district.

During the operation, they proceeded to Celestine Trace, where they found 27 rounds of ammunition in a busy area.

Investigations are ongoing into all of the above matters.

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