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MEDIA RELEASE

Preysal Man, 23, Gets \$150K Bail for Shooting at Couple

A 23-year-old Preysal man was granted \$150,000 bail with a surety today by a Rio Claro Magistrate on two counts of Shooting with Intent against a man and his wife which allegedly occurred on May 7th.

KYLE AKIEL ROOPNARINESINGH was also ordered to stay 100 metres away from the couple by Senior Magistrate (Ag.) Taramatie Ramdass.

ROOPNARINESINGH will reappear before the court on July 7th to answer to the charges.

The accused was arrested on May 7th and charged with the offenses on May 9th by Cpl (Ag.) Heeraman of the Rio Claro Criminal Investigations Department (CID).

According to police reports, at 3.45 pm on May 7th, 2023, a man and his common-law wife were walking along Guayaguayare Road, Rio Claro, when two male suspects allegedly levelled accusations against them.

One of the suspects, police were told, was allegedly armed with a shotgun and handed it over to the other suspect. The armed man subsequently pointed the firearm at the couple who then heard loud explosions.

The woman later felt a burning sensation on her lower back. She and her husband escaped after running through some nearby bushes.

Meanwhile, the suspects ran away from the scene.

The couple later received medical treatment at a health facility in the area and a team of police officers responded to the report.

Following enquiries, Rio Claro CID detectives later arrested one of the suspects.

A search is underway for the other man.

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