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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **IATF Officers Seize Firearm, Ammo, Narcotics**

Officers seized a firearm with several rounds of ammunition, a quantity of cannabis, and issued multiple fixed penalty notices during operations in the Port of Spain and Tobago divisions.

Between 2 pm and 4 pm on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2024, officers of the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) conducted an anti-crime exercise at the Charford Court Plannings. Searches were conducted on the ground floors and stairwell areas of buildings A, B, C, and F. While on the fifth floor of building F, PC Sanchez searched a plastic bag concealed in a flower pot and discovered a P80 Glock firearm fitted with a magazine containing 16 rounds of ammunition. The items were seized for further processing by the Crime Scene Investigations Department.

On the same day, in Tobago, between 10 am and 5 pm, officers of the IATF, Guard and Emergency Branch conducted anti-crime operations in the Crown Point, Shirvan Road, and Scarborough districts. During the exercise, a search of a bushy area along Robert Street, Bon Accord, led to the discovery and seizure of 297 grammes of cannabis hidden in a bag among the bushes.

The team of officers then conducted a roadblock exercise along the Claude Noel Highway, issuing ten fixed penalty notices for various traffic offences.

These exercises were spearheaded by Snr Supt Spence, Supt Ramesar, ASP Simon, Insp Ali, ACP Subero, Snr Supt Elie, Snr Supt Montrichard, and Supt Frank.

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