

Customs Officers Seize 457 Counterfeit Garments at Goodlands



Customs officers at the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) have seized 457 counterfeit garments during an inland operation at Goodlands on 19 September. The operation was conducted by the Brigades des Marchandises (BDM) Unit of the Customs Department.

The action followed field intelligence gathered regarding the sale of intellectual property rights (IPR) infringing goods. Acting on this information, BDM officers searched the premises of a trader at Goodlands and uncovered a quantity of fake branded clothing, including 194 Lacoste garments, 123 Quiksilver pieces, 61 Puma items, 56 Hugo Boss products and 23 bearing the Tommy Hilfiger brand. The total seizure amounted to 457 T-shirts, shorts and joggers.

The MRA reiterated that enforcement actions of this nature are essential to protect intellectual property rights, ensure fair competition in the market, and shield consumers from substandard and potentially harmful counterfeit products.

Members of the public are reminded that they may report suspected drug cases/ illicit activities to the MRA through the MRA Stop Drug Platform (www.mra.mu) or by calling on the Hotline 8958.

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