

PRESS RELEASE MRA SEIZES 380 GRAMS OF CANNABIS AT A COURIER SERVICE



The Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) seized 380 grams of cannabis worth around Rs 228,000, on Saturday, 02 October 2021 at a courier service by MRA Customs from a consignment which arrived in Mauritius on Air Austral Flight UU 108 of 01 October 2021 from Reunion Island.

The consignment comprising a carton box of shoes was selected for scanning and examination by officers from the Customs Anti-Narcotics Section (CANS) of the MRA. During examination, two plastic bags containing green leaf matter, suspected to be Cannabis, were found stuffed inside one pair of used shoes.

Custom Narcotics sniffer dog 'Milan' was deployed and reacted positively to the substance. A field test for Cannabis on the green leaf matter was positive.

The exhibit was secured and referred to ADSU for further enquiry.

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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