

MRA SEIZES CANNABIS WORTH RS 32 MILLION



The Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA), in collaboration with the Anti-Drug and Smuggling Unit (ADSU), seized 26.69kg of a compressed leaf matter, suspected to be Cannabis, worth Rs 32,028,000, on 12 October 2025, at the SSR International Airport.

A British passenger was profiled while leaving Customs through the green channel.

After completing the usual Customs formalities, he was taken to the MRA Customs counter for a luggage examination.

Upon inspection of his two registered luggage, a total of 31 parcels were found. Each was slightly cut open, and was found to contain a compressed leaf matter suspected to be cannabis.

The exhibits were secured. The passenger was arrested by the Anti-Drug and Smuggling Unit (ADSU).

An enquiry by ADSU is currently in progress.

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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