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MRA SEIZES 58G OF SYNTHETIC DRUG

The Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) Customs Department, in collaboration with ADSU, seized 58g of whitish powder suspected to be synthetic drug worth Rs 200,000 on Saturday 18th March 2017 at Courier Services located at SSR International Airport.

The suspected drug was concealed inside an aluminum packet. The MRA Sniffer dog reacted positively to the suspected parcel and when examined, it was found to contain one aluminum sachet which in turn included one plastic sachet with the drug stuffed inside. A drug field test confirmed the presence of opiates. The drug was secured and handed over to ADSU for inquiry.

The consignee, residing at Quatre Bornes, who was on the watch list of the Customs Anti-Narcotics Section (CANS) of the MRA Customs Department, has been arrested by ADSU for inquiry.



Members of the public can provide information relating to drugs to the MRA through the **MRA Stop Drug Platform (www.mra.mu)** or by calling on the **Hotline 8958**.

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