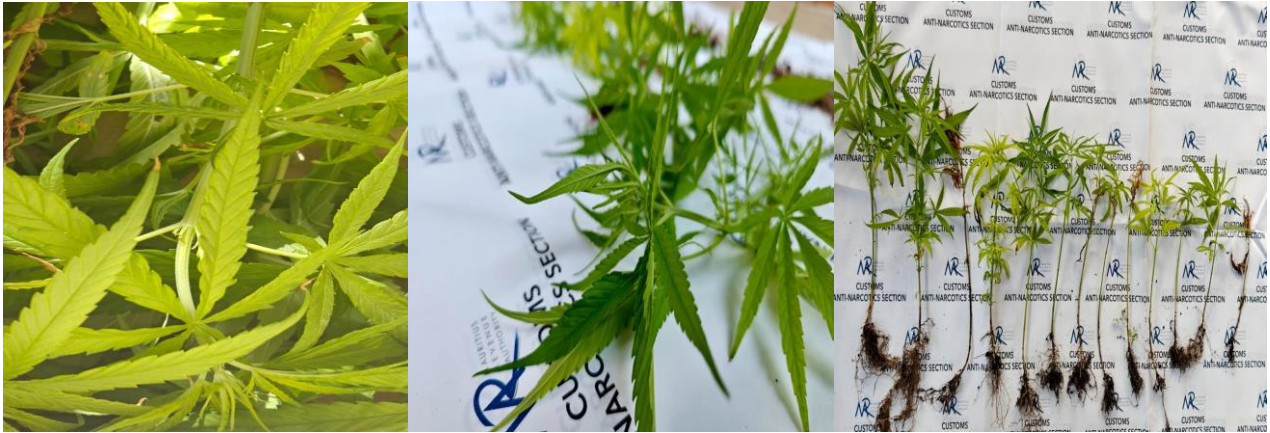


Seizure of 13 cannabis plants at L'Ile D'Ambre



The Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) in collaboration with the Maritime Intelligence Cell, National Coast Guard/ Divisional Crime Intelligence Unit seized 13 Cannabis plants with a market value of approximately Rs 52,000 at L'Ile D'Ambre, Poudre D'or on Tuesday 28 January, 2025.

Following information received from MRA Customs Anti-Narcotics Section (CANS), a search operation was mounted jointly by officers of MRA CANS and Maritime Intelligence Cell at Bois Noires L'Ile D'Ambre. A thorough search was carried out and thirteen (13) plants with height ranging from 25 cm to 45 cm in black plastic pots, suspected to be cannabis plants were found in two different locations. The exhibit was transferred to ADSU Exhibit Room. A police investigation is underway.

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.