

25 TABLETS OF ECSTASY SEIZED AT PARCEL POST OFFICE



25 tablets of ecstasy were seized by officers of the Customs Anti-Narcotics Section (CANS) of the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) on Saturday 23 June 2018 at the Parcel Post Office (PPO). The parcel arrived on board flight BA 2063 from Netherlands.

A sorting exercise was carried out at the PPO and the parcel was tagged by CANS officers. The consignee, an inhabitant of Forest Side, called in person at the PPO to take delivery of the parcel, and same was opened in his presence. Upon examination, a resealable transparent plastic sachet labelled **3-MMC pellet x 25 - Not for Human Consumption**, containing 25 pink square-shaped tablets, was found.

Customs Narcotics Sniffer Dog 'Cassidy' was deployed and reacted positively to the tablets. A field test was also carried out and the result was positive for ecstasy.

Both the consignee and the drug were handed over 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.