

SEIZURE OF HASHISH AT SSR INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT



On Thursday 13th July 2017, a 21 years old passenger was intercepted with 5 grammes of brownish matter suspected to be Hashish by the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) Customs Anti-Narcotics Section (CANS), in collaboration with ADSU, at the SSR International Airport.

The male passenger arrived from Switzerland via Dubai on board EK0703 flight and he was questioned while leaving through the Green Channel on the basis of profiling. Upon verification of his luggage, the brownish matter was found concealed in a Lindt Lindor chocolate box and 5 booklets of roll-your-own-cigarette papers were found among his personal belongings.



The passenger, a student residing at Vacoas, revealed that the suspected drugs were for his personal use. He was arrested and the drugs were handed over to ADSU for further inquiry.

Members of the public are reminded that they may report suspected drug cases to the MRA through the **MRA Stop Drug Platform (www.mra.mu)** or by calling on the **Hotline 8958**.