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NEWS RELEASE

Port Police Arrest Man on Drug Charges

Piti, Guam, April 7, 2022: A Mangilao man was arrested by Port Police this morning after officers allegedly found drugs and drug paraphernalia during routine patrol of the Seaplane Ramp area.

Port Police Officers were conducting routine patrol at 8:40a.m. today when they noticed a red sedan parked in the corner of Seaplane Ramp area. The officers noticed one individual sitting on the driver's side. They approached the vehicle to conduct a wellness check and requested to see the male individual's driver's license. The individual complied with the request, however he showed signs of being nervous and stuttered when responding to the questions.

As a result, officers conducted a search of the vehicle. A hard plastic case was discovered which allegedly contained drug paraphernalia and crystal methamphetamine, also known as "ice." John A. Salas Rosario, 29, of Mangilao was booked and released in connection with possession of a schedule 2 controlled substance.

"I want to commend Port Police Chief Jesse Mendiola for his leadership and the officers who worked on this case," said Port General Manager Rory J. Respicio. "We remain vigilant in keeping the Port safe and drug-free."

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