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NEWS RELEASE

CENTRAL NORTH POLICE COMMAND ARREST FORTY-TWO PERSONS INVOLVED IN DRUG PEDDLING AND PROSTITUTION.

1. On 16th April, 2025 between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm the Central North Regional Police Command's Special Taskforce conducted an intelligence led swoop at some criminogenic areas within its area of operation (AOR).
2. The exercise took place at Ayamfuri where thirty-two (32) females and ten (10) males were arrested. The female suspects who are foreign nationals have their ages ranging between 22years and 32 years whereas the male suspects also have their ages ranging between 20 years and 31 years.
3. The forty-two (42) suspects were arrested at two separate brothels and ghettos indulging in drug peddling and prostitution. Also found with the suspects were a quantity of dried leaves suspected to be Indian Hemp, concoctions suspected to be laced with Indian Hemp, a quantity of condoms and cigarettes.
4. Meanwhile, the thirty-two (32) female suspects who are foreign nationals will be handed over to the Ghana Immigration Service for further investigations and necessary action taken against them. Whereas the ten (10) male suspects who are Ghanaians will be screened and those found culpable will be put before the law court.

The Central North Regional Police Command will continue to fight crime within its jurisdiction for safer communities and a prosperous Region.

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