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HM CUSTOMS
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HM Customs cigarette seizure – 2 arrests

HM Customs arrested two local men last night. They were seen acting suspiciously near the frontier fence at British Lines Road. When approached, one of the men threw a large bag over the fence, the other attempted to flee the scene. Both men were apprehended and arrested.

A search of a locally registered vehicle, which had been driven into the area by one of the men, resulted in the seizure of 25,000 cigarettes (125 cartons). The men, aged 30 and 35, have been bailed to surrender on May 8th.

The car and cigarettes have been seized by HM Customs.