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HM Customs Cocaine Seizure – one arrest

A 25 year old local man was arrested at the Land Frontier yesterday.

Nicholas VALVERDE was challenged and searched by officers of HM Customs as he crossed the frontier through the pedestrian channel. 0.5 grams of Cocaine, a Class A drug, were seized by customs during the search. VALVERDE had the drug concealed within his mouth.

VALVERDE was charged with importation and possession of the drug and appeared before the magistrate this morning. The matter has been adjourned until August 15th.

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