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## MEDIA ADVISORY

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## MOTORIST TO APPEAR IN COURT FOR ATTEMPTED BRIBERY OF A POLICE OFFICER

A motorist, arrested by the National Traffic Anti-Corruption Unit (NTACU) for attempted bribery during a multidisciplinary operation held on 13 July 2024 in Brooklyn district, will appear in court this morning on charges of corruption.

The motorist, who is allegedly an illegal immigrant, offered a police officer a bribe of R300 in an effort to avoid detention. The officer refused the bribe, and immediately alerted NTACU who swiftly arrested the suspect.

The suspect was stopped at a roadblock in the Brooklyn district, conducted jointly by the South African Police Service (SAPS), the National Traffic Police (NTP), and the Gauteng Traffic Police (GTP). Upon inspection, the motorist was found without a valid passport and other necessary documents.

The suspect was detained at the Brooklyn SAPS and will appear in this morning to face charges levelled against him.

Members of the public are urged to remain vigilant and report any suspected acts of fraud, corruption, or malfeasance to ntacu@rtmc.co.za or via WhatsApp at 083 293 7989.





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