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**Man Identified in Gun Related Incident in Emancipation Garden,  
Turned Himself in**

**St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands** – On Monday, July 31, 2023, Kishon Melford Herbert self-surrendered after being informed that there was an active warrant for his arrest. Herbert was identified as the individual who pointed a firearm at two individuals in the Emancipation Garden, on or about April 25, 2023.

Mr. Kishon M. Herbert, age 39, was arrested, booked, and processed. Bail was set at \$25,000.00 in this matter. He was charged with Assault in the Third Degree, Possession of a Firearm during a Third Degree Assault, Brandishing a Firearm, Simple Assault, and Reckless Endangerment (Misdemeanor).

This case is presently under investigation by the Criminal Investigation Bureau. Any persons having information regarding this incident are asked to contact the Criminal Investigation Bureau at (340)774-2211 ext. 5576/5572. Contact can also be made to 911, Crime Stoppers V.I. at 1(800)222-TIPS, the Chief's Office at (340)715-5548 or the Commissioner's Office at (340)715-5506.

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