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## HM Customs seize 60,000 cigarettes

During a Customs operation in the area of Emmerson's Place yesterday afternoon (Monday), HM Customs Officers seized a total of 60,000 cigarettes. A vehicle was also seized. In this operation which targeted illegal tobacco exports, one person has been arrested and is helping Customs with their enquiries.

The cigarettes seized have been valued at £5000.