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## MEDIA RELEASE

### Introduction of Canine Detection at Piarco International Airport

Airports Authority of Trinidad and Tobago ("the Authority") is pleased to advise that effective Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2017, canine detection will be introduced as an additional security measure at the Piarco International Airport.

This new feature will be introduced on a trial basis, and is aimed at increasing the effectiveness of the security systems at the Piarco International Airport. The dogs and their handlers have been highly trained to perform in the aviation environment, and will function in accordance with international standards.

Canine Detection is a standard component of the security operations at several international airports.

The Authority is kindly asking for the cooperation of the travelling public, customers and stakeholders, as this new feature will provide an additional level of security which will benefit all airport users.

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