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### Deputy PM and National Security Minister commends the Police

Deputy Prime Minister and National Security Minister, the Hon. Dr. Horace Chang, is commending the police on a swift and comprehensive investigation which has resulted in murder charges being laid on a suspect in connection with the brutal murder of Khanice Jackson.

Minister Chang says a priority of law enforcement is to prevent the commission of crimes, in particular vicious acts of criminality against the citizenry.

However, he adds **“it's important that when these crimes occur a diligent investigation is carried out and moves made by the police to swiftly bring perpetrators to justice. it's in that context that I commend the police for work done in the Khanice Jackson investigation.”**

Minister Chang is again renewing his call for a re-awakening of the consciousness of the Jamaicans to protect all citizens and in particular women, children and the elderly.

The Deputy Prime Minister is reiterating that the Government of Jamaica will not relent or be dissuaded by naysayers who appear willing to attempt to disrupt strong, proven and credible measures intended to reduce violent crimes.

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