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Editorial

Some Dangers Of False Propaganda

Last week's edition of The Democrat Newspaper carried, at page 3, an article in which the writer purported to offer an explanation of the Westminster system of government, how it should function, but with a rather heavy emphasis on the supposed status and roles of the prime minister.

Normally we would pay no attention to such an item, but in this case find ourselves constrained to do so, essentially because it is misleading in many regards, and most worryingly, it paints a false picture of the prime minister's status and could cause many to go about, for years, with serious misunderstandings that could lead to bad judgement and numerous attendant woes.

In many regards the article shows-up a number of yawning gaps in the writer's knowledge and understanding of the subject, which in part, accounts for many deep flaws in 'interpretations'.

For example there is the following statement: *"The system clearly outlines the constitutional/legal powers of a prime minister (PM), who in the real sense of the word is the Head of State as the Governor-General and Presidents' powers are mainly ceremonial."*

That is as dangerous and as misleading a statement as there has ever been. Rather unfortunately the classification of the role of the Head of State as being 'purely ceremonial' is one that has been tossed around for decades, mainly by those who are opposed to the monarchy, and because it helps them in the advancement of their power hungry, self-serving agendas.

Those misleading statements also influence our people's thinking because many rushed our countries into independence without any serious attempt to explain the true nature of new arrangements, and so our people became carried away only by the notions of new flags and new anthems, and little else.

Her Majesty The Queen is Head of State, NOT - repeat NOT - the prime minister. Her representative in the realm is The Governor General. With certain limitations he does most everything that she is able to, save and except for those instances in which she reserves certain functions to herself.

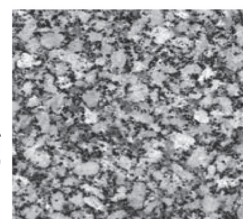
As a constitutional monarch, The Head of State acts on the advice of his or her ministers (which includes the prime minister), but there are what are known as 'the



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residual powers of the crown', which are used only in certain rare (and usually most extreme) circumstances.

The prime minister is Head of Government. 'Constitutionally' he holds that position for only so long as he enjoys the support of most members of the parliamentary majority, and, strictly speaking, he is *primus inter pares*, first among equals. The moment he loses that support, it is all over for him.

Now, we quite readily accept that there may be instances wherein the prime minister holds certain controlling influences over some of his cabinet. For example, some members may find themselves beholden to him because they are in legal jeopardy, and he purports to exert certain influences over the judicial system.

There may be other instances in which monetary considerations play powerful roles, and some members of the cabinet may have indulged in financial hanky-panky which can allow a corrupt prime minister to exert control of them and just about everything that they do.

But such should be the exception and not the rule.

Another statement runs thus: "The Prime Minister is King of the Land with supreme powers whose efforts are supported by the ministers and citizens."

Really?!? What a truly dangerous statement! On what planet was the writer born?

It is precisely that kind of crud, always self-serving, which causes our people to become misguided, and leads them to misjudge matters to the point where they

act contrary to their better interests.

Whenever ministers and citizens encourage a prime minister to behave as though he is a king, they contribute to the undermining, and eventual breakdown, of the state's constitutional framework.

Rather, the citizens and the parliamentarians of the country should spare themselves no effort, and never flinch from, keeping the prime minister fully seized of his constitutional roles and functions, and they should also keep the government mindful of the fact that they hold office only for so long as they enjoy the people's confidence and support.

The article has the aura of having been written by someone who is learned and well versed in the subject. A second, and perhaps even a third reading soon dispels that assessment.

Indeed, the article is seriously dangerous, and there are indications that, in some instances, parts of it may very well have been dictated by a 'naked emperor' who, contrary to expectations, now finds that the 'ground is moving under him', and so has to try, most desperately, to shore-up his shaky position and give some credence to the grand theft which took place in June of this year.

Sadly, ever so sadly, the article fails the odor test. And, while we hope that is not the case, we have to point out that it does have the characteristics of having been written by someone 'sucking-up' to a particular official, perhaps hoping for a 'big position'.

If so, that makes the whole matter even more dangerous than at first appeared to have been the case.



Bus Association President Comments On New Terminal

By: Precious Mills

BASSETERRE, St.Kitts (Friday 28th August 2020) - "It's been mostly positive feedback. It's only some drivers who are accustomed to just come and go who would have an issue but it's mostly positive; folks are glad that we have a system whereby everybody can benefit."•

So said President of the West Line Bus Association Nicholson 'Rambo' Webster during a one on one interview on Thursday 27th August 2020 when asked what the feedback has been like from his fellow bus drivers using the new West Bus Terminal as of this week.

That day, this media house paid a visit to the area whereby a two-lane system was observed as the buses lined up and passengers got on accordingly going about that type of queue flow. The facility includes a roof for shelter protection against sun and rain.

"Yesterday, we began a test run of the terminal because it's been refurbished so it's a new terminal so what we wanted to do was implement a system that would be fair to everybody. So yesterday we had the dry run and it started off a bit slow because

it's a new system so folks were trying to familiarize themselves with it but after midday it got going and it was flowing much better than in the morning," Webster said.

When asked to make a comparison of the operations at the new facility, Webster had this to say: "Well, this system is a system where everybody would benefit equally versus what we had before, most of the time only the popular guys would benefit on a daily basis. So you have those who would be struggling to barely make even \$80 some times. •

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS NEVIS CIRCUIT (TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT)

Application No.
NEVHCV2018/0045

Between:

RBTT BANK (SKN) LIMITED
- Applicant

and

ADELE DORE
- Respondent

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Applicant, RBTT BANK (SKN) LIMITED, on July 27, 2020 filed a Scheme of Division of the Sale Price settled on July 22, 2020 and an Order dated July 22, 2020 in the captioned matter (hereinafter "the Documents").

The said Documents can be accessed by a formal search conducted at the Registry of the High Court situated at Theodore L. Hobson Q.C. Court Building, Main Street, Charlestown, Nevis with respect to the captioned High Court matter.

A popular bus driver, as described by him, is "somebody who comes down and most of the passengers just automatically go on his bus versus a non-popular guy who would struggle to get people on his bus."•

Commenting on the working relationship with police officers who monitor the area, he told "Sometimes it is a bit challenging; some officers come down here and they don't seem to know what's going on or they seem reluctant in trying to enforce certain things we try to get

implemented but mostly positive but just a little challenging when you have a change in officer."

Asked his take on a solution to such an observation made, he replied: "What I would like is that the Police High Command would pass down the information. I think sometimes the information gets lost between the departments."•

In speaking with a police officer, when asked how the system has been flowing, he

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King Ayatollah Is Dead

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE, St.Kitts (Friday 28th August 2020) - Well-known calypso giant and former three-times crowned Calypso Monarch Dion "King Ayatollah" Stevens passed away on Wednesday, 26th August 2020, from natural causes due to an illness.

The National Carnival Committee issued a statement praising his involvement in the art form saying: "Over the course of his life, the thrice crowned 'Bad Boy' King made an enormous contribution to the development of Calypso and to National Carnival in the Federation."•

Further details shared that King Ayatollah's numerous accolades include winning the National Carnival



Junior Calypso Monarch title on several occasions, capturing the top spot at the senior level in 1996, 1999 and 2003 and

also winning the Leeward Island Calypso Competition in 2004.

"There are not many calypsonians

who could capture an audience's attention like Ayatollah did, with his distinct voice and his powerful lyrics," the statement read whilst adding "•

The committee also highlighted that as a very talented calypsonian with an ear for what the people wanted to hear, King Ayatollah has left his mark with powerful hits such as "Three long years", "Writing on the Wall", "Bruise Our Knees", "Bad Boy King" and "Kaiso Terrorist".

"He was a semi-finalist in last year's National Carnival Senior Calypso Competition. We offer our deepest condolences to his family, friends and many fans. His legacy as a champion of the Calypso art-form will not be forgotten. Rest In Eternal Peace Ayatollah,"• the statement concluded.

Photo: Dion 'King Ayatollah' Stevens

Premier Brantley Wants Nevis' Fair Share Of CBI Monies

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St.Kitts (Friday 28th August 2020) - Nevis' Premier Mark Brantley continues to air his view that the monetary benefits of the Citizenship by Investment (CBI) programme of the Federation has seen Nevis being unfairly treated over the years and he is hoping to further address the issue at an upcoming meeting with Prime Minister Dr. Timothy Harris.

Brantley was at the time responding to a question posed by a reporter at his monthly press conference held on Thursday 27th August 2020.

"I continue to speak about it publicly because for many years, it appears that some were under an illusion that the CBI monies that came in from the negotiations of our passports- which is our national patrimony- that it somehow belonged to the government and people of St.Kitts, and I want to make it very clear that our passport says on it St. Christopher and Nevis, and for a lot of years Nevis was locked out."

Brantley told that he is scheduled to sit with the Prime Minister on Friday 28th August and expressed hope that such will be "an item on the agenda to determine what we do going forward in terms of the sharing of the Citizens By Investment monies that have come in."

"So when Nevisians speak up it is not that we're trying to be difficult, it's not that we're trying to create division, we're saying no, we want what is rightfully ours as share," he stated.

Brantley went on to say: "The passport is a national asset and so if it's negotiated and hundreds of millions of dollars roll into Basseterre, I think the blindest of us can see that there has to be some equity in the sharing of those resources. So often I hear the talk because I understand that people look at projects in St. Kitts and St. Kitts appears to be shining but Nevis of course is not shining as brightly but when you look at the underlying circumstances, it is because the CBI monies are disproportionate being deployed on the island of St. Kitts and that is why I've always said we must encourage the kind of government which sees the

nation of St. Kitts and Nevis; not the island of St. Kitts and the island of Nevis but the nation of St. Kitts and Nevis so that the resources are deployed can be deployed across the board to develop the entire country, not to develop one at the expense of the other."

"So those conversations are important conversations. They are conversations that have will have to continue as I certainly will not relent until we have some acceptable sharing formula for those monies that are national asset; that belong to all of the people of St.Kitts and Nevis..."

"It is our money, and so a lot of time I hear talk that St. Kitts is helping Nevis but how are you helping me if you are giving me some of what belongs to me? Think about it! How are you helping me if all I'm getting is some of what belongs to me?" he added.

Brantley applauded the current government's efforts in the matter: "People may criticize the Team Unity Government for a variety of things; it is the only government thus far that has at least

tried. You may argue if it has tried hard enough but at least it has tried to bring some semblance of balance to that, and so for the first time for example, we get a monthly amount that flows from CBI. The question is whether that monthly amount properly reflects the percentage of the inflows but nevertheless we get that monthly amount that comes, and this is the first time that that has happened in a sustained way,



Photo: Nevis' Premier Mark Brantley

and so we have to be thankful for that because people of Nevis were completely locked out."

Duo Accused Of Attempting To Murder Smith-Bartlette

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St.Kitts (Friday 28th August 2020) - Two individuals in Nevis have been charged with the attempted murder of Ellison Smith-Bartlette who was left wounded after being attacked recently in the vicinity of the Alexandra Hospital while in the company of a female.

Accused of the crime are Shakel Campbell of Craddock Road and Keon Moore of Ramsbury who were charged on Sunday 23rd August 2020; eight days after the shooting incident

According to information put out by the Police Public Relations Department on Monday 24th August, the two men have also been charged for the offence of Possession of Firearm with Intent to Endanger Life.

On the day in question, at about 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday 18th August 2020, a report was received that gunshots were fired in the Ramsbury area.

Preliminary investigations revealed that Smith-Bartlette of Stuart Williams Drive and a female were walking along a paved road, in the vicinity of the hospital, when unknown assailants shot at them.

He received a gunshot wound to his arm and was taken to that nearby hospital where he was warded in a stable condition.

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS NEVIS CIRCUIT (CIVIL)

Claim No.
NEVHCV2018/0011

Between:

RBTT BANK (SKN) LTD
- Judgment Creditor

- and -

LAURENN EMMANUEL BARRY
- 1st Judgment Debtor

- and -

TASHEANA RASHEEDA BARRY
- 2nd Judgment Debtor

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

The property described below will be offered for sale by the Registrar of the High Court, Nevis Circuit by PUBLIC AUCTION at the High Court of Justice, Theodore L. Hobson Q.C. Court Building, Prince William Street, Charlestown, Nevis,

on Thursday the 5th day of November 2020,
at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The successful bidder will be required to pay at the time of sale a deposit of one fourth of his or her accepted bid and the balance within one month from the day of sale. The Purchaser shall be entitled to possession of the property on payment of the deposit. Any taxes due on the property must be paid by the Purchaser. The Purchaser will, after payment in full of the purchase price, obtain from the High Court of Justice, a Certificate of Title to the property free from prior encumbrances. Contact the Applicant's Attorneys-at-Law, Kelsick, Wilkin and Ferdinand, 869-465-2440 or Law@kwfonline.com, for more details.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: ALL THAT 6,153 square feet of land with building(s) thereon described as Lot No. 97 of Low Ground Estate (Cherry Gardens), together with dwelling thereon bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say:- On or towards the North East by Lot No. 98, 56.71 feet; On the South East by Lot No. 95, 108.87 feet; On the South West by a Public Road, 56.71 feet; and On the North West by Lot No. 99, 108.12 feet and containing by admeasurement 6,153 square feet; all as the same is described in a Certificate of Title dated June 27, 2018 and registered in Book 52 Folio 170 of the Register of Titles of the Island of Nevis.

SURVEY PLAN & PHOTOGRAPH OF PROPERTY:



UPSET PRICE: The upset price for the above lands and any buildings thereon shall be EC\$378,900.00.

Dated the 31st day of July 2020

BY THE COURT

Matthew J. Kelsick
DEPUTY REGISTRAR



Cops Worry About Missing Elderly During Storm Season

By: Spokesman Newsroom



BASSETTERRE, St. Kitts (Friday 28th August 2020)-The search for 81-year-old David Lake of Conaree, missing more than a week, is still ongoing.

Communication from the Police Public Relations Department dated Monday 24th August 2020-told that officers of the Criminal Investigation Department

MISSING: 81-year-old David Lake (Police Provided Photo)

(CID) are particularly concerned about his well-being during this storm-prone period.

The Atlantic Hurricane season runs from June to November each year.

Police say Lake was last seen in a grey shirt walking in the southern section of Conaree at about 5

p.m. on Sunday 16th August and have noted that officers of the Criminal Investigation Department (CID) are particularly concerned about his well-being during this storm-prone period.

To date, a number of searches have been conducted by the police, with members of the community assisting in some instances. The Police have also been exploring several other options available to them with the hopes of finding Mr. Lake.

An appeal is being made to the public to be on the lookout for Mr. Lake or to come forward with any information that they may have regarding his whereabouts. Persons can contact the CID at 465-2241, their nearest Police Station or the crime hotline at 707.

Boat Captain, Illegal Immigrants Jailed In Human Smuggling Case ...Fourth Individual Being Sought

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St. Kitts (Friday 28th August 2020) -A local boat captain and two illegal immigrants have been jailed and charged in the aftermath of a recent human smuggling interrupted by local authorities while a fourth individual is being sought after by police in this matter.

Three of the men held in the smuggling operation at Palmetto Bay were remanded to Her Majesty's Prison on Tuesday, August 25.

Captain of the boat, Norton Hanley of Boyd's Village, charged for the offences of Smuggling, Illegal Entry and Entering the Federation without Written Permission. The vessel, which is called 'Black Kings', is registered in St. Kitts and Nevis.

Passengers, Juan Jose Cuesta, a national of The Dominican Republic and Enrique Torres Rojas, a national of Venezuela, have each been charged for the offences of Illegal Entry and Entering the Federation without Written Permission. They were charged on August 20.

Police say the fourth individual who was taken into

custody was released without charge.

Local authorities have indicated that acting quickly on information received on August 14, from a concerned citizen, The St. Kitts and Nevis Coast Guard and The Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police were able to thwart the smuggling operation.

The vessel was seized by the Coast Guard.

Another individual is still at large. Persons who have any information regarding this incident or the suspect, are asked to contact the Old Road Police Station at 465-6250 or their nearest Police Station.

Case Number :SKBHPB2020/0042

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(ST. KITTS CIRCUIT)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
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SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
(PROBATE)
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In the Estate of IVAN WILLIAM BASS late of
John England Village in the Parish of St. Peters in the Island of
Saint Christopher, deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by HESKETH W. BENJAMIN, Attorney-at-Law for JENNA ATASHA BASS & ALEX IVAN WILLIAM BASS both of John England Village, in the Parish of St. Peters in the Island of Saint Christopher in the Federation of Saint Christopher and Nevis, for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants who are the children of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 13th day of November, 2017.

Any person having an objection to the Grant of Letters of Administration to the application shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 17 day of June, 2020

Filed by: 
Hesketh W. Benjamin
Attorney-at-Law
Chambers
West Independence Square Street
Basseterre
St. Kitts

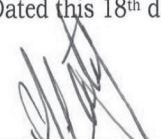
THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
A.D. 2020
(PROBATE)

In the Estate of DAVID EDWARD JONES, late
of 6 Heath Close Aylesbury,
Buckinghamshire, United Kingdom,
deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION TO RESEAL GRANT OF PROBATE

NOTICE is given that after the expiration of 8 days, application will be made to the Registrar of the Supreme Court for the resealing of the grant of probate of the estate of David Edward Jones, late of 6 Heath Close Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire HP21 9UA, United Kingdom, granted by the High Court of Justice England and Wales at Winchester, Hampshire SO23 9EL, United Kingdom on the 11th day of November 2019.

Dated this 18th day of August 2020


JeNise Carty
GONSALVES PARRY

Attorneys-at-Law for the Applicants

MUSIC MINDED

Fife competition winners of the 2020 annual Traditional Instrument Musical Workshop closing ceremony held at Zack's Historical-Cultural Library and Museum on Tuesday 25th August showing (Left to Right) Rayjaun Hodge (second place), Elvette Parry (winner) and Rochaun Hodge (third place). More details in a follow-up report. (Spokesman Snap)



Bus Association President Comments On New Terminal

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pointed to the two lane system. According to him, at present the two lanes are workable during the slow season but that the one lane might be better during the fast season after schools are reopened.

“Based on how it is now, it cuts across traffic so I don't see the benefit in that because when you go out the bus stop you can't turn right but you can turn right when you

come in but I guess they (the traffic regulation officials) will see accordingly how things flow,” another officer said.

Offering some traffic tips to the bus operators, that officer has advised: “Stay safe on the road, drive at a reasonable pace and watch out for the kids.”

Front Page Photo: -President of the West Line Bus Association Nicholson 'Rambo' Webster (right end) welcomes a female passenger who is about to get on his bus (Spokesman Snap)

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The Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF), the Financial Services Regulatory Commission (FSRC) and the Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU) would like to draw the public's attention to a Warning Notice issued by the Eastern Caribbean Securities Regulatory Commission (ECSRC) dated 21 July 2020. This Notice advised of various 'investment-relate' scams and fraudulent offerings including:

- Pyramid Schemes; and
 - Unauthorised Foreign Exchange Market (Forex) Trading
- Please see the Notice at the link below:

<https://www.ecsrc.com/gallery/NewsItems/detail/150>

The local authorities have been made aware of variations of the **Pyramid Scheme(s)** that are being operated in the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis by groups of individuals. A **Pyramid Scheme** is a fraudulent investment offering that profits almost solely, through the recruitment of other participants into the programme. It requires individuals to invest a one-time payment and recruit other individuals, with the promise of receiving large sum of monies. Joining the group allows the new member to profit by signing up other new members. This is known as a scam and a fraudulent financial activity. Individuals should not consider this as an investment opportunity.

The RSCNPF, FSRC and FIU advise the general public to be vigilant and for the operators of these schemes to cease and desist. Persons with information of these operations in the Federation are asked to contact the authorities at the following email addresses: jerry.watt@police.kn, info@fsrc.kn, sknfui@govt.kn

26 August, 2020

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS NEVIS CIRCUIT (TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT)

Application
No. **NEVHCV2018/0012**

Between:

REPUBLIC BANK (EC) LIMITED
(successor to the banking business
of The Bank of Nova Scotia)

- Applicant

and

THE ESTATE OF CLAYTON MILLS

- Respondent

NOTICE

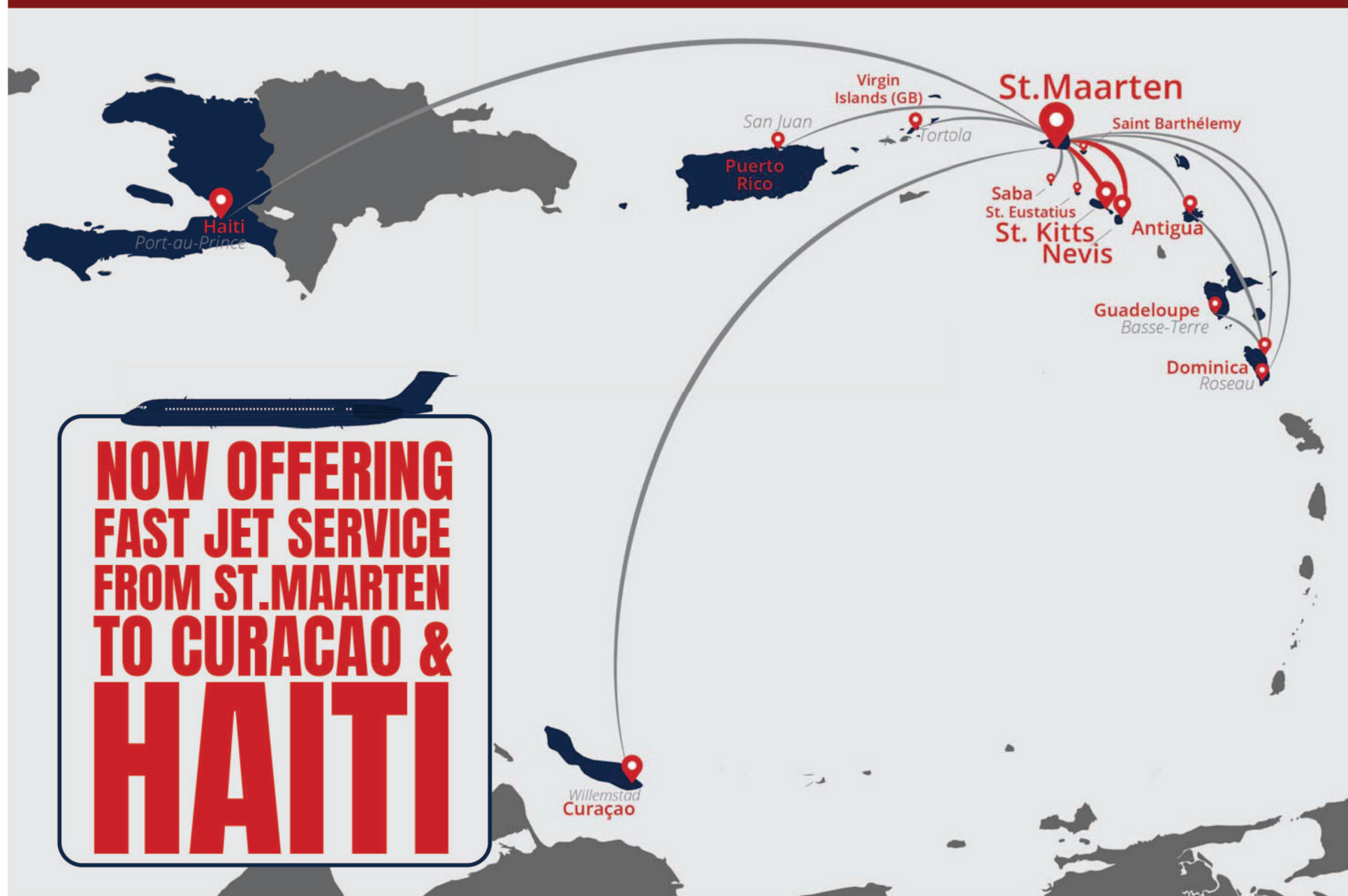
TAKE NOTICE THAT the Applicant, Republic Bank (EC) Limited (successor to the banking business of The Bank of Nova Scotia), on June 26, 2020 filed a Varied Articles of Sale dated June 22, 2020, an Order dated June 22, 2020 and a Notice of Sale dated July 31, 2020 in the captioned matter (hereinafter "the Documents").

A representative of the Respondent's Estate can access the Documents at the Chambers of Kelsick, Wilkin & Ferdinand, Fred Kelsick Building, Independence Square South, Basseterre, St. Kitts, during its opening hours, being Monday to Friday between 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. except for public holidays.

The Documents can also be accessed by a formal search conducted at the Registry of the High Court situated at the Theodore L. Hobson Q.C. Court Building, Main Street, Charlestown, Nevis with respect to the captioned High Court matter.

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GSS student Ms. Nikelsia Kelly receives inaugural Pearletta Lanns Scholarship

NIA CHARLESTOWN NEVIS (August 27, 2020) — Ms. Nikelsia Kelly of the Gingerland Secondary School (GSS), has been selected as the recipient of the inaugural Pearletta Lanns Scholarship, to assist with financial expenses during her secondary education.

Hon. Pearletta Lanns, a retired High Court Judge from the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court, presented a cheque of \$1,000 to Ms. Kelly of Taylors Pasture in Gingerland, during a ceremony at the school's auditorium on August 26, 2020.

The retired judge who is from Gingerland, said she was a past student GSS and was desirous of assisting a suitable student who is attending the institution.

"Some time ago, I expressed an interest in awarding a scholarship in perpetuity to a student of the Gingerland Secondary School. To be eligible, the student had to be born in Gingerland, ambitious, and hardworking. The purpose of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance for uniforms, books and other school supplies to a student who exhibits sound academic performance, is hardworking and in financial need," she said.

Ms. Lanns urged the former 1a2 student to remain focused and continue to apply herself diligently to her school work.

"Always keep in mind the motto of your school - 'Through difficulties to the stars. Respect your parents, teachers and yourself. Choose your friends wisely. Put God first, and pray without ceasing,'" she admonished the teenager.

The scholarship, which is fully funded by Ms. Lanns, will be established for four years in the first instance, and when Ms. Kelly graduates from the GSS, another student will be awarded. She said she hoped it would act as an impetus to encourage students to work hard to achieve their goals.

In response to the scholarship, Ms. Kelly thanked Ms. Lanns for making the scholarship available, saying it would be a big help financially to her and her family.



Retired High Court Judge, the Hon. Pearletta Lanns at a scholarship award ceremony at the Gingerland Secondary School's auditorium on August 26, 2020



Ms. Nikelsia Kelly of the Gingerland Secondary School receives \$1000 scholarship award from retired High Court Judge, the Honourable Pearletta Lanns at the school's auditorium on August 26, 2020



(l-r) Mrs. Lineth Williams, Principal of the Gingerland Secondary School; Hon. Eric Evelyn, Minister of Youth in the Nevis Island Administration (NIA) and area representative for the St. Georges Parish; Mr. Anieli Liburd (cousin of Nikelsia); Ms. Dawn Kelly (her grandmother), Ms. Nikelsia Kelly scholarship recipient and Hon. Pearletta Lanns, Retired High Court Judge, at a scholarship award ceremony at the Gingerland Secondary School's auditorium on August 26, 2020

She pledged to work hard and do her best at school.

Also present at the ceremony were Hon. Eric Evelyn, Minister of Youth in the Nevis Island Administration and area representative for the St. George's Parish; Mrs. Lineth Williams, Principal of the Gingerland Secondary School, her grandmother Ms. Dawn Kelly, her mother Ms. Nicole Latoya Kelly, and other relatives.

Case Number :SKBHPB2020/0039



IN THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
A. D. 2020
(PROBATE)

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In the Estate of **DAVID R. SAUNDERS**, late of 886
Mcdowell LN, Dundas, Virginia, United States of America,
deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

TAKE NOTICE that an application had been filed by **DOROTHY MINTER-SAUNDERS**, of the 886 Mcdowell LN, Dundas, Virginia, United States of America, retired and **RONALD TAYLOR** of 7 West Haven Development, West Farm, St. Kitts, a Bank Supervisor and Minister, respectively, for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants who are the wife and nephew of the deceased having died intestate on the 10th day of August, 2017.

Dated this 27th day of July, 2020

Filed on behalf of the Applicant by Brittney S. Jeffers of Henderson Law Chambers, Chambers Unit 7, The Sands Complex, Bay Road Basseterre, St. Kitts. Telephone Number: (869) 465-6242. The Applicant's address for service is at Henderson Law Chambers.



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Senior Police Officer on Nevis urging adherence to COVID-19 regulations

NIA CHARLESTOWN NEVIS (August 25, 2020) — Superintendent Lyndon David, Officer in charge of the St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force Nevis Branch, is urging persons to adhere to the new regulations governing COVID-19, one of which stipulates the mandatory wearing of face masks in public place for adults and children.

During his presentation at the Nevis COVID-19 Task Force Briefing at the Emergency Operations Centre at Long Point on August 24, 2020, the senior police officer reminded persons that they could face the Magistrate Court or be ticketed if they defy the regulations in place, as the authorities in St. Kitts and Nevis seek to keep the COVID-19 pandemic at bay.

“It has been observed that many persons are failing to wear their face masks that would cover their nose and mouth, and we also observe that there are a number of people complying with it. Yes, it has been given to us in our new regulations that persons can be given a ticket. Yes, we are still waiting for those to be printed but as soon as that is done, you would be ticketed but as mentioned earlier that does negate the fact that you can be summonsed. We understand that there are many persons who may have their varying illnesses, and you are exempted based on the new regulations, so we are saying to you we understand, and we are encouraging persons who have young persons under the age of 18 but over the age of three years old, to ensure that they have a mask while they are in a public place. Failure to do so, you will be the one who will be held accountable and responsible for that fine,” he said.

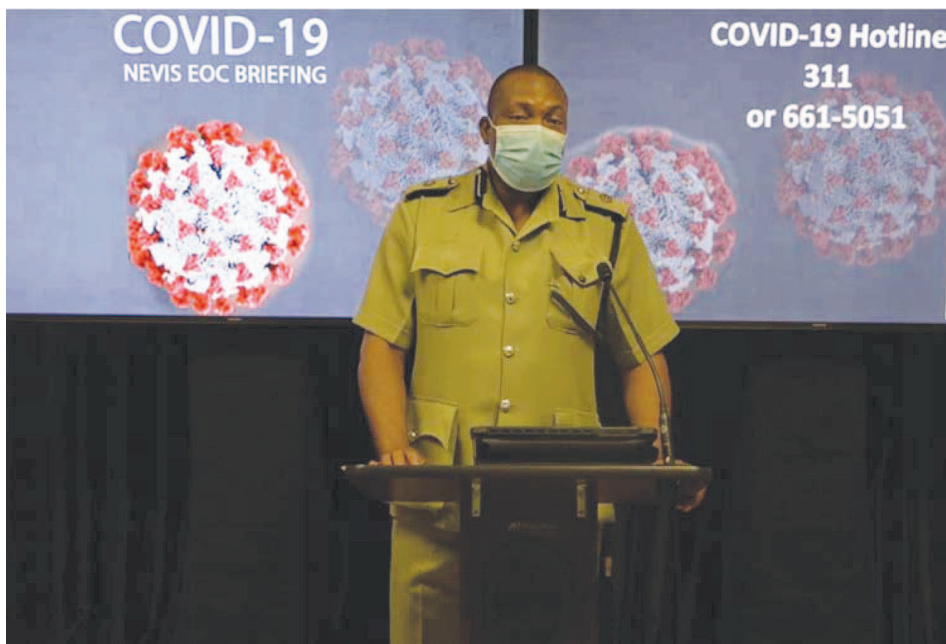
Superintendent David stated that it is apparent that persons on Nevis are gradually adjusting to the new circumstances due to COVID-19, and are trying their best to comply with the regulations. However, he urged business owners to continue following the guidelines within which they are required to operate.

“I just want to remind businesses and establishments to continue to ensure that your staff and your patrons continue to practice physical and social distancing, and ensure that your establishment is closed at a reasonable time so that persons can get home before the start of the curfew,” he said.

The senior police officer also addressed promoters and entertainers and made reference to the new measures in place under the COVID-19 regulations.

“The new regulations catered for persons to apply to the Commissioner of Police with consultation with the National COVID-19 Task Force for persons who have events that will gather large numbers of persons. So, we are saying to you, you must apply and provide a plan that will entail social and physical distancing, your plan for that; your plan for hand sanitizing, and the capacity in which you can hold those persons who would patronise. We look at sanitization stations and bathroom facilities - Persons who are applying and are desirous of conducting mass events that will have large numbers of persons, you have to ensure that you apply and submit your plans,” he said.

The National COVID-19 Task Force recently met on Nevis with entertainers and promoters in St. Kitts and Nevis, to update them on the protocols they must follow, in keeping with the new regulations before they are granted permission to operate.



Superintendent Lyndon David Officer in charge of the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force Nevis Branch, making his presentation at the Nevis COVID-19 Task Force Briefing at the Emergency Operations Centre at Long Point on August 24, 2020

Usain Bolt: Jamaican sprinter tests positive for coronavirus

26th August 2020 From the section Athletics BBC SPORTS



Usain Bolt

Bolt celebrating turning 34 last week with a birthday party in Jamaica

Sprinting legend Usain Bolt has tested positive for coronavirus.

Bolt celebrated his 34th birthday with a party in his native Jamaica last week and quarantined himself as a precaution after taking a test on Saturday.

“The Covid test was positive, but Usain is not showing any symptoms,” Bolt’s agent Ricky Simms

told CNN in an email.

Bolt, who retired in 2017, won eight Olympic and 11 world titles in a glittering career which also saw him set the 100m and 200m world records.

Jamaica’s Prime Minister Andrew Holness said on Monday that police are investigating the circumstances surrounding Bolt’s birthday party.

He told a virtual news conference: “These matters are all being thoroughly investigated and the police will give a report on these matters in near future.”

Bolt retired from athletics following the 2017 World Championships in London.

He began training with Australian club Central Coast Mariners in 2018 but did not pursue a career in football.

Bolt follows several high-profile sports stars in having tested positive for coronavirus this year, including tennis world number one Novak Djokovic in June and Barcelona midfielder Miralem Pjanic on Sunday.

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In the Estate of MARK SILVANOS HODGE,
late of The Alley, Sandy Point, St. Kitts,
deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

TAKE NOTICE that an application had been filed by MARLENE HODGE and KAITHLYN HODGE both of The Alley, Sandy Point, St. Kitts for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants who are the wife and daughter of the deceased having died intestate on the 18th day of November, 2017.

Dated this 7th day of August, 2020

Filed on behalf of the Applicant by Marsha T. Henderson of Henderson Law Chambers, Chambers Suite 7, The Sands Complex, Bay Road, Basseterre, St. Kitts. Telephone Number: (869) 465-6242. The Applicant's address for service is at Henderson Law Chambers.

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Taiwan Warns Of Accidental Conflict As Regional Tensions Rise

By Ben Blanchard

TAIPEI (Reuters) - The risk of accidental conflict is rising because of tension in the South China Sea and around Taiwan, and communication must be maintained to reduce the risk of miscalculation, Taiwan President Tsai Ing-wen said on Thursday.



Taiwan's President Tsai Ing-wen as she spoke at The Third Wednesday Club, a high-profile private industry trade body in Taipei, Taiwan, on 19 August 2020. Photo credit: Ann Wang (Reuters).

Democratic Taiwan, claimed by Beijing as "sacred" Chinese territory, has complained of Chinese military activities near the island, in what it says is an attempt to force Taiwan to accept Chinese sovereignty.

The United States and China have also been conducting military exercises near Taiwan and in the disputed South China Sea.

"The risk of conflict requires careful management by all the parties concerned. We expect and hope that Beijing will continue to exercise restraint consistent with their obligations as a major regional power," Tsai told a forum organised by the Australian Strategic Policy Institute.

Relations between China and the United States are widely seen to be at their worst point in decades, with deepening mistrust and friction over the novel coronavirus, US accusations of unfair trade practices, and disputes over Hong Kong, the South China Sea and Taiwan.

Tsai said the international community had closely followed the situation in Hong Kong as well as China's militarization of the South China Sea.

"As a result there is now greater scrutiny over the situation in the Taiwan Strait," she said.

"There continue to be significant concerns over the potential for accidents, given increased military activity in the region. Therefore we believe it would be important for all parties to maintain open lines and communication to prevent misinterpretations or miscalculations."

Tsai said Taiwan needed to strengthen its defence capabilities, which she has made a priority.

"We do this because we know that in terms of our current situation, strength can be co-related with deterrence. It also reduces the risk of military adventurism," said Tsai, who was re-elected for a second term in a landslide in January.

Tsai reiterated her commitment to peace and desire to talk.

"We are open to discussions with China, as long as they contribute to a beneficial relationship."

But Beijing must accept that as a democracy, only Taiwan's people can decide its future, she said.

China has refused to talk to Tsai, believing she is a separatist bent on declaring a Republic of Taiwan.

Tsai says Taiwan is a country called the Republic of China, its formal name.

Reporting by Ben Blanchard; Editing by Robert Birsell.

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A Man Was Reinfected With Coronavirus After Recovery - What Does This Mean For Immunity?

By Dr. Megan Culler Freeman, MD, PhD, University of Pittsburgh



Is it possible to get COVID-19 twice? Image credit: May James (AFP via Getty Images).

A 33-year old man was found to have a second SARS-CoV-2 infection some four-and-a-half months after he was diagnosed with his first, from which he recovered. The man, who showed no symptoms, was diagnosed when he returned to Hong Kong after a trip to Spain.

I am a virologist with expertise in coronaviruses and enteroviruses, and I've been curious about reinfections since the beginning of the pandemic. Because people infected with SARS-CoV-2 can often test positive for the virus for weeks to months, likely due to the sensitivity of the test and leftover RNA fragments, the only way to really answer the question of reinfection is by sequencing the viral genome at the time of each infection and looking for differences in the genetic code.

There is no published peer-review report on this man - only a press release from The University of Hong Kong - although reports say the work will be published in the journal *Clinical Infectious Diseases*.

Here I address some questions raised by the current news reports.

Why wasn't the man immune to reinfection?

Immunity to endemic coronaviruses - those that cause symptoms of the common cold - is relatively shortlived, with reinfections occurring even within the same season. So it isn't completely surprising that reinfection with SARS-

CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19, might be possible.

Immunity is complex and involves multiple mechanisms in the body. That includes the generation of antibodies - through what's known as the adaptive immune response - and through the actions of T-cells, which can help to educate the immune system and to specifically eliminate virus-infected cells.

However, researchers around the world are still learning about immunity to this virus and so can't say for sure, based on this one case, whether reinfection will be a cause for broad concern.

How different is the second strain that infected the Hong Kong man?

“Strain” has a particular definition when referring to viruses. Often a different ‘strain’ is a virus that behaves differently in some way. The coronavirus that infected this man in Europe is likely not a new strain.

A STAT News article reports that the genetic make up of the sequenced virus from the patient's second infection had 24 nucleotides - building blocks of the virus's RNA genome - that differed from the SARS-CoV-2 isolate that infected him the first time.

SARS-CoV-2 has a genome that is made up of about 30,000 nucleotides, so the virus from the man's second infection

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AP Associated Press - AP Top News - Asia Pacific
 - Wednesday 26 August 2020

China Protests Alleged US Spy Plane Incursion During Drills

China is protesting the alleged incursion of a US Air Force U-2 spy plane into a no-fly zone imposed during live-fire military exercises in the country's north in a statement issued Tuesday 25 August 2020.



Visitors viewing a scale model of a Chinese aircraft carrier during an exhibition on 1 August 2017 to mark the 90th anniversary of the founding of the People's Liberation Army, held at the military museum in Beijing. Photo credit: Ng Han Guan (AP file).esday, Aug. 25, 2020. (AP Photo/Ng Han Guan, File).

BEIJING (AP) - China is protesting the alleged incursion of a US Air Force U-2 spy plane into a no-fly zone imposed during live-fire military exercises in the country's north.

In a statement issued late Tuesday, the Ministry of National Defense said the action had "seriously interfered in normal exercise activities" and "severely incurred the risk of misjudgment and even of bringing about an unintended air-sea incident."

"This was a naked act of provocation," the ministry said, quoting spokesperson Wu Qian. China has lodged a stern protest and demanded The US cease such actions, Wu said.

The statement did not give details on the time and place of the drills, but the information matches exercises the Maritime Safety Administration said started Monday and would run through 30 September over the Bohai Gulf east of Beijing.

Relations between The US and China have sunk to their lowest in decades amid disputes over myriad issues including trade, technology, Taiwan and the South China Sea.

The high-altitude U-2 reconnaissance planes were flown over China, the former Soviet Union and other countries in the Communist bloc during the Cold War and upgraded versions continue to support US missions.

China is also holding naval drills in the South China Sea, which it claims virtually in its entirety but over which five other governments also exercise claims. China objects to all US military activity in and over the strategic waterway, especially 'freedom of navigation operations' during which US Navy ships sail near to Chinese-held islands.

Another naval exercise is planned from Thursday to Sunday in the East China Sea despite warnings issued over Typhoon Bavi, which is affecting the Korean Peninsula.

The defense ministry earlier this month said combat exercises were held in the Taiwan Strait and surrounding waters that were a "necessary move responding to the current security situation in the Taiwan Strait and were meant to safeguard national sovereignty."

China claims Taiwan is its territory and threatens to use military force to bring under its control the island that is a self-governing democracy and close US ally. Washington and Taipei have increased military and governmental contacts in recent years and this month, Health and Human Services Secretary Alex Azar became the highest-ranking US official to visit Taiwan, prompting a Chinese protest.

The eastern command of the People's Liberation Army will "stay on high alert and take all necessary measures to fight against provocations and protect national sovereignty and territorial integrity," the ministry quoted command spokesperson, Senior Colonel Zhang Chunhui, as saying.

Boris Johnson hires personal trainer Harry Jameson

BBC NEWS



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Boris Johnson has hired personal trainer Harry Jameson to lose weight, after acknowledging he was "too fat" when he caught coronavirus.

The prime minister was admitted to hospital with the virus in April but says he has since "been steadily building up my fitness".

Mr Jameson says his training "considers the mind as much as the body".

The coach has also helped Love Island host Laura Whitmore train and has a regular slot on her BBC radio show.

Coronavirus prompts PM into obesity crackdown

Unhealthy food deals targeted to tackle obesity

How bad is our obesity problem?

Mr Johnson's time in intensive care is thought to have prompted a change in his views on tackling obesity.

He has previously criticised levies on foods high in salt, fat and sugar - and characterised his stance as "libertarian".

In July he said that while he was not normally one for "nannying or bossing", the country did need to lose weight to protect from a second spike.

'Struggled'

"Obesity is one of the real co-morbidity factors. Losing weight, frankly, is one of the ways you can reduce your own risk from coronavirus," he said.

As part of a drive to tackle the problem, the government said it would ban TV junk food adverts before 21:00.

On a personal level, Mr Johnson has said he had "wanted to lose weight for ages" adding that he "struggled" to keep fat off.

He said that since leaving hospital he had lost "at least a stone" by going for a run with the dog.



Harry Jameson has previously worked with TV presenter and Strictly Come Dancing contestant Laura Whitmore (centre)

Speaking to the BBC's Fit & Fearless podcast, the prime minister's new trainer, Mr Jameson, said he seeks to help his clients "in ways beyond pumping weights in the gym".

He says his approach has "always been based on a foundation of mind and body together and ultimately happiness".

He studied sports science and psychology at Liverpool Hope University and has worked as a personal trainer for 15 years.

Like the prime minister, Mr Jameson also appears to be a fan of the classics having quoted the Roman philosopher Seneca ("as long as you live, keep learning how to live") in a speech to the Balance Festival in 2018.

Hurricane Laura causes severe damage and floods as it batters Louisiana

BBC NEWS - 27th August 2020

Laura is bringing a life-threatening storm surge as it moves inland

Hurricane Laura has struck the US state of Louisiana, causing flash floods, severe damage to buildings and power cuts to more than half a million homes.

It is one of the strongest to ever hit the US Gulf Coast, striking at category four with winds up to 150mph (240km/h).

Laura's storm surge has not reached the levels feared but is still considered life-threatening, and could spread 40 miles (65km) inland.

Half a million residents had been told to leave parts of Texas and Louisiana.

Louisiana Governor John Bel Edwards said early on Thursday: "We've had daylight now for a couple of hours. It appears there is more structural damage from the wind and a little less flood damage than we anticipated."

He confirmed the first fatality in his state, adding: "I suspect that won't be the last, although I pray that we don't have more."

President Donald Trump had spoken to the governors of Texas and Louisiana, the White House confirmed, and encouraged "all in the storm's path to listen to the safety guidance of state and local officials".

Laura and another storm, Marco, earlier swept across the Caribbean, killing 24 people.

Where did Laura hit and what's its path?

Hurricane Laura made landfall shortly after midnight local time (05:00 GMT) near the district of Cameron, in Louisiana. It tracked north, just east of the Texas-Louisiana border.

Four hours later it had been downgraded to a category three storm, the National Weather Service (NWS) reported, before weakening again. At 14:00 GMT it was a category one hurricane with maximum sustained winds of 75mph (120 km/h).

Hurricane Laura storm surge warning

A storm surge warning indicates there is a danger of life-threatening flooding within 36 hours



But the NWS said "a catastrophic storm surge, hurricane force winds and flash flooding will continue".

Laura will track north across Louisiana on Thursday afternoon, with its centre moving into Arkansas overnight. It is expected to become a tropical storm later, but it could still be hurricane force up to the Arkansas border, said Ken Graham, the director of the National Hurricane Center.

There are fears Laura could spawn tornadoes.

One sheriff's office in Louisiana's Vermilion Parish had told those who chose not to evacuate: "Write your name, address, social security number and next of kin and put it a Ziploc bag in your pocket. Praying that it does not come to this."

What is the damage so far?

It has been daylight in the region for several hours now and the extent of the

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was roughly 0.08% different than the original in genome sequence. That shows that the virus that caused the second infection was new; not a recurrence of the first virus.

The man was asymptomatic - what does that mean?

The man wasn't suffering any of the hallmark COVID-19 symptoms, which might mean he had some degree of protective immunity to the second infection because he didn't seem sick. But this is difficult to prove.

I see three possible explanations. The first is that the immunity he gained from the first infection protected him and allowed for a mild second infection. Another possibility is that the infection was mild because he was presymptomatic, and went on to develop symptoms in the coming days. Finally, sometimes infections with SARS-CoV-2 are asymptomatic - at the moment it is difficult to determine whether this was due to the differences in the virus or in the host.

What can we say about reinfection based on this one case?

Only that it seems to be possible after enough time has elapsed. We do not know how likely or often it is to occur.

Should people who have recovered from COVID-19 still

damage is becoming more known.

Forecasters had earlier warned of an "unsurvivable" storm surge. But they said a slight change in wind direction had spared some areas from the feared 20ft (6m) surge, with 9ft recorded in some parts.

However, the surge could still affect areas 40 miles or more inland, up to the Lake Charles area, which has a lot of vulnerable marshland. Floodwaters would "not fully recede for several days", the NWS said.

More than 540,000 homes in Louisiana and more than 130,000 in Texas had lost power by Thursday morning, according to the US tracking site PowerOutage.

wear a mask?

As we are still learning about how humans develop immunity to SARS-CoV-2 after infection, my recommendation is for continued masking, hand hygiene and distancing practices, even after recovery from COVID-19, to protect against the potential for reinfection.

About the author: Dr Megan Culler Freeman, MD, PhD, is a virologist with expertise in coronaviruses and enteroviruses. She is a board certified pediatrician (American Board of Pediatrics) in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and is currently licensed to practice medicine in Pennsylvania (PA State Medical License 2019 - 2021). Dr Freeman is a Pediatric Infectious Diseases Senior Fellow in the Department of Pediatrics at The University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. She currently works at the Department of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, and does research in Cell Biology, Virology and Molecular Biology. On the basis of her research she contributed to their most recent publication 'Invasive Fungal Disease in Acute Leukemia: Single Center Retrospective Study'. He career plans include running a lab and seeing patients on the Peds ID Consult service. She is interested in cell biology of viral infections, in particular in enteroviruses and how they get from the primary site of replication in the gut to other locations where they cause disease, such as the CNS (AFM), skin (HFMD), and the heart (myocarditis). In 2019 she was awarded the Pediatric Infectious Diseases Society (St Jude Children's Research Hospital) Fellowship in Basic and Translational Research. Dr Freeman joined The Conversation on 22 May 2020.

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COVID-19 SAFETY AND HEALTH



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SYMPTOMS

- The most common symptoms are fever, tiredness, and dry cough.
- Others are aches and pains, nasal congestion, runny nose, sore throat and/or diarrhea.
- Symptoms are usually mild and begin gradually.
- It can take up to 14 days for symptoms to appear.

TRANSMISSION

- Droplets from nose or mouth when infected people cough and exhale.
- Standing within one meter of an infected person.
- Touching contaminated surfaces or objects and then touching eyes, nose or mouth.
- Ageing and underlying diseases (e.g. diabetes, heart disease) increase risk.

WORKPLACE PREVENTION MEASURES

- Undertake risk assessments and implement controls.
- Explore alternative work methods.
- Share information and establish communication plans.
- Wash hands frequently and adopt good hygiene practices.
- Avoid sharing objects that could transmit the virus.
- Use personal protective equipment (PPE).
- Beware of wide-spreading droplets (breath in and cough out).
- Keep workplaces and objects clean and disinfected.
- Protect clients and end users.
- Workers should stay at home if sick.
- Seek advice from the Department of Labour and health authorities.

PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS!

NBA, MLB and MLS postpone games after Milwaukee Bucks' walkout over Jacob Blake shooting

From the sectionBasketball BBC SPORTS



Workers remove items from the Milwaukee Bucks' bench area after they boycott an NBA play-off game

Balls and towels were removed from the Bucks' bench area. The NBA postponed Wednesday's three play-off games after the Milwaukee Bucks called off their fixture in protest at the shooting of Jacob Blake. Blake, a black man, was shot seven times in the back by police on Sunday in Kenosha, Wisconsin near Milwaukee. In baseball, three MLB games were called off after teams decided not to play, and five MLS matches have been postponed. Tennis player Naomi Osaka pulled out of a WTA match on Thursday. She tweeted that she would no longer play her semi-final in the Western and Southern Open in New York, saying that "as a black woman I feel as though there are much more important matters at hand that need immediate attention, rather than watching me play tennis". The US Tennis Association, ATP and WTA subsequently announced it was pausing play at the Western and Southern Open on Thursday and would resume on Friday, adding that "tennis is collectively taking a stance against racial inequality and social injustice". Former world number one Osaka later confirmed she would

Aaron Finch says Australia tour of England 'for health of global game'

From the sectionCricket - BBC SPORTS



Australia ODI team since beating New Zealand in an ODI at Sydney on 13 March

play her semi-final against Belgian 14th seed Elise Mertens on Friday, thanking the governing bodies for their support and adding in a statement: "I was [and am] ready to concede my match to my opponent. "However, after my announcement and lengthy consultation with the WTA and USTA, I have agreed at their request to play on Friday. They offered to postpone all matches until Friday and that in my mind brings more attention to the movement." After calling off their game against the Orlando Magic, the Bucks players released a statement that said: "Despite the overwhelming plea for change, there has been no action, so our focus today cannot be on basketball. "When we take the court and represent Milwaukee and Wisconsin, we are expected to play at a high level, give maximum effort and hold each other accountable. "We hold ourselves to that standard, and in this moment, we are demanding the same from our lawmakers and law enforcement. "We are calling for justice for Jacob Blake and demand the officers be held accountable." The Houston Rockets' game against the Oklahoma City Thunder and the Los Angeles Lakers' match-up with the Portland Trail Blazers were also postponed, and will be rescheduled. It has been reported that NBA players in the bubble will meet at 16:00 BST to discuss how to proceed with the play-offs.

Australia captain Aaron Finch says his team's limited-overs tour of England is for the "health of the global game". The Australians have arrived into a bio-secure bubble in Derby before three Twenty20 matches against England at Southampton, starting on 4 September. They will be followed by three one-day internationals at Old Trafford on 11, 13 and 16 September. "We need cricket up and running so our part as players is to make sure we're doing everything we can," Finch said. Next month's games will be Australia's first international fixtures since 13 March, when a one-day series against New Zealand was cancelled after one match because of the coronavirus pandemic. England's one-day team completed a three-match series with Ireland earlier this month, while their T20 side face three matches with Pakistan at Old Trafford, starting on Friday. Asked whether England's extra matches would be much of an advantage, Finch said: "I think that just comes down to our professionalism and our preparation. We're going to give ourselves every opportunity to hit the ground running in our first T20 match. "You can only control what you can control and by doing that, by having really intense training sessions and practice games, we can give ourselves every opportunity to be up to international speed." The tourists play their first intra-squad 50-over warm-up match at Southampton on Friday.

LIQUOR LICENCES
ORDIANANCES, 1906
SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate, District "A"
To the Superintendent of Police.
I, Kevroy Smith (Owner of Ice Cream Factory) now residing in Conaree Flat in the village of Conaree, do hereby give you notice that is my intention to apply on 02nd day of October, 2020 to the District Magistrate at Basseterre for a Retail Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in Ram's Food Court in Basseterre.
Dated this
12th day of August, 2020.
Signed: Kevroy Smith

LIQUOR LICENCES
ORDIANANCES, 1906
SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate, District "B"
To the Superintendent of Police.
I, Sheniel Malika Nashrama Woods now residing in Race Course Project in the village Newton Ground, do hereby give you notice that is my intention to apply on 02nd day of October, 2020 to the District Magistrate at Dieppe Bay for a Retail Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in One Fe De Rode Bar & Grill Spot in Newton Ground in S. Kitts.
Dated this
14th day of August, 2020.
Signed: S. Woods

LIQUOR LICENCES
ORDIANANCES, 1906
SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate, District "B"
To the Superintendent of Police.
I, Daltricia Versailles now residing in Fig Tree in the town Sandy Point, do hereby give you notice that is my intention to apply on 02nd day of October, 2020 to the District Magistrate at Dieppe Bay for a Retail Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in Unruly Munch in Fig Tree in Sandy Point.
Dated this
13th day of August, 2020.
Signed: C. Versailles

LIQUOR LICENCES
ORDIANANCES, 1906
SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate, District "B"
To the Superintendent of Police.
I, Sheila Morris now residing in the village of Tabernacle, do hereby give you notice that is my intention to apply on 02nd day of October, 2020 to the District Magistrate at Dieppe Bay for a Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in Tabernacle Village in St. Kitts.
Dated this
25th day of August, 2020.
Signed: Sheila Morris

FAITH. ROOTS AND PROSTITUTES

By: FAIR SHARE FOR ALL

My heart is full. Labour might be down but we are certainly not out.

I know for some it is difficult to understand how so soon on the heels of a keenly contested senatorial race, where nearly thirty able persons wanted to represent Labour in parliament, we had a cadre of young Labour supporters vying for positions on the executive of the youth arm of the party.

It has to be hard for those who are trying to kill the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party to understand how it is that people, especially young people, are not afraid to show their support for the Party.

They were on Facebook, WhatsApp, all over the place promoting themselves as willing, able and ready to serve. And we must give them every opportunity, encouragement and support to reach where they need to be.

Sometimes I think we forget that the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party has deep roots. Deep roots means resilience - able to bounce back. And so while defeats will always test our mettle and we will feel hurt and depressed, as warriors, we have to bounce back quickly and continue the task that is before us.

To do so, we cannot be distracted for too long by frivolities like cruise ships in harbour when the borders are closed and whether or not prostitutes

went on board to render service to the crew. Those who are in charge will do what they want to do and we of Labour will do what we have to do.

And there is much that we have to do. In order to reach where we need to be, it will require us to be focused and fearless. The enemy is ruthless, without morals and principles so we cannot be faint of heart.

We cannot take our eyes off the enemy. Not even to blink. Because we blinked and so many things that were once thought impossible happened. And now we find ourselves in a situation where it is more financially rewarding to have killed multiple times than it is to have obtained multiple academic degrees.

But as the saying goes - Life ain't™ fair but God is good. And we have to believe that God is good and that God is in total control. Nothing and no one should shake our faith in God. We have to trust God unconditionally and in the fullness of time all will be revealed.

I also believe that A bad wind don't™ blow. I believe with all my heart that the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party will be better after all of this.

That is why we have to stay focused. We have a lot of work to do. One thing for sure we have to do is to show the enemy that we are not afraid of them.



By Vigilante

* Is because de port owe Social so much a million a dollars and de DCT say dey want back dey money why dey stop talk bout borders close and trying to open up de place quick, quick, quick.

* Dey say de DCT board tell Humpty Dumpty dat if dey ain't™ start to see money coming soon, dey gon put de QC by de square to write dem.

* Everybody who know Humpty Dumpty believe dat is a ton rate a money he get what mek de boat get to anchor here. Somebody say dat dey see de fallen angel coming off de boat wid a suitcase in he hand.

* People in de know believe dat de fallen angel is a pimp because is he who carry de people dem on de boat to 'œclean' it for dem.

* De Bad Wud fellow did done promise bout a hundred people dat dey gon get one a de blue house dem. Plus de man who does rock done move he name because he get promise one a de house dem too.

* Is Social money dey did borrow to pay for de blue house dem what done build and to build de rest. But de money spend off during de election so dey have to borrow de money again from Social.

* Is Social money dat dey borrow to fix up de airport and build over de second pier. But dey say dat through dey use a lot a de ninety million what dey borrow during de election, what left ain't™ enough and dey gon have borrow some more from Social.

* People want to know how come de police wild to lock up people for de pyramid scheme but when people was trying to show dem dat bribing was happening in de line Election Day, dey ain't™ study dem.

* Dey say Humpty Dumpty famalay dem was involve in de pyramid scheme. So people waiting to see if people going go ask dem any question.

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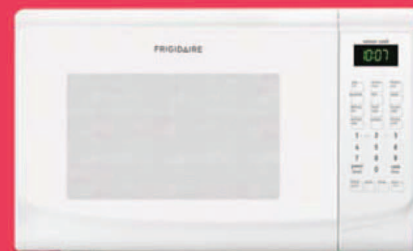
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