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Editorial

Do Not Relax During Hurricane Season

Each year from June to November, here in St. Kitts and Nevis likewise other vulnerable countries know that this is the time period for the duration of the Atlantic Hurricane Season.

But are we taking the warnings and advisory about the hurricane season seriously or have we become too complacent thinking that 'St. Kitts-Nevis is blessed' and so 'There is no need to worry because we have not gotten any major storm in years.'

Are we as a people generally in the habit of tracking storms and staying informed accordingly? What about a hurricane preparation plan as well as an evacuation plan... How many of us have these safety measures as part of our lives?

From credible recollection, Hurricane Gorge in 1998 was the last direct impact storm we experienced as a nation, and unfortunately some people use it as a 'blessed gauge' in their mindset when it comes to the hurricane season.

Though we have had some impact from major storms like Irma and Maria in 2017, it appears that some people have a relaxed notion about hurricane preparedness.

Information gleaned from our local National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) at www.nema.kn provides 'Hurricane Preparedness Tips for Home' as shared in full:

BEFORE

* Know your Emergency Shelters

Contact the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) or your District Manager for the location of your closest shelters.

* Have emergency supplies on hand

Flashlight and extra batteries
Portable, battery-operated radio and extra batteries
First aid kit
Non-perishable (canned food) and water
Non-electric can opener
Essential medicines
Cash and credit cards
Sturdy shoes

* Protect your windows

Permanent shutters are the best protection. A lower-cost approach is to put up plywood panels. Use 1/2 inch plywood-marine plywood is best-cut to fit each window. Remember to mark which board fits which window. Pre-drill holes every 18 inches for screws. Do this long before the storm.

* Trim back branches from trees

Trim branches away from your home and cut all dead or weak branches on any trees on your property.

* Check into your Home and Auto Insurance

Confirm that policies are valid and coverage is appropriate.

* Make arrangements for pets and livestock

Pets are not allowed into emergency shelters for health and space reasons. Contact the local Veterinary services for information on animal shelters.

* Develop an Family emergency/ disaster plan

Make sure that all family members know what to do in the event of impact. Teach family members how and when to turn off gas, electricity, and water. Teach children how and when to call police or fire department and which radio station to tune to for emergency information. In case family members are separated from one another during an impact (a real possibility during the day when adults are at work and children are at school), have a plan for

getting back together.

Hurricane Watches and Warnings

A hurricane watch is issued when there is a threat of hurricane conditions within 24-36 hours. A hurricane warning is issued when hurricane conditions (winds of 74 miles per hour or greater, or dangerously high water and rough seas) are expected in 24 hours or less.

DURING A HURRICANE WATCH

- * Listen to the radio or television for hurricane progress reports.
- * Check emergency supplies.
- * Fuel car.
- * Bring in outdoor objects such as lawn furniture, toys, and garden tools and anchor objects that cannot be brought inside.
- * Secure buildings by closing and boarding up windows.
- * Remove outside antennas and satellite dishes.
- * Turn refrigerator and freezer to coldest settings. Open only when absolutely necessary and close quickly.
- * Store drinking water in clean jugs, bottles, and cooking utensils.

DURING A HURRICANE WARNING

- * If you need to evacuate your home, lock up home and go to the nearest shelter.
- * Take blankets and sleeping bags to shelter.
- * Listen constantly to a radio or television for official instructions.
- * Store valuables and personal papers in a waterproof container on the highest level of your home.
- * Stay inside, away from windows, skylights, and glass doors.
- * Keep a supply of flashlights and extra batteries handy. Avoid open flames, such as candles and kerosene lamps, as a source of light.
- * If power is lost, turn off major appliances to reduce power "surge" when electricity is restored.

As guided by NEMA, hurricanes can be dangerous, listening to the hurricane warning messages as issued by St. Kitts Meteorological Services and NEMA can help you to reduce the chances of injury or major property damage.

Let us all remain or make plans for hurricane preparedness and by way of doing so avoid the type of 'should have' and 'could have' scenarios.

As the old saying goes 'An ounce of prevention is better than cure.'

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ECCB Governor calls for collective action to scale up financial literacy and financial inclusion levels in the ECCU

26 September 2023, Basseterre, Saint Christopher (St Kitts) and Nevis - Speaking at the launch event held to release the results of the inaugural Financial Literacy and Financial Inclusion Survey, the Governor of the Eastern Caribbean Central Bank, Timothy N.J. Antoine, said the ECCB commissioned the survey because financial inclusion is a strategic priority for the Central Bank.

Financial inclusion refers to access to a range of financial services including banking, credit and insurance whereas financial literacy refers to the ability to understand certain financial issues and use financial skills for personal financial management such as budgeting and investing.

“In a region which boasts high levels of adult literacy (high 90 per cent), financial literacy is lamentably low and lugubrious,” the Governor said.

Governor Antoine added: “Armed with the results of this Survey and seized with a sense of urgency, I issue a clarion call for a coalition of partners and champions (institutionally and individually) to join the ECCB as we craft and implement a strategy to scale up financial literacy and inclusion in the ECCU.”

ECCB Governor Timothy N.J. Antoine noted that such a scaling up can be achieved through strong collective commitment. For instance, he said that in order for every high school graduate in the Eastern Caribbean Currency Union (ECCU) to be financially literate, it would necessitate a collaboration between the ECCU’s Ministries of Education and the Caribbean Examinations Council to make this outcome a high priority.

Governor Antoine also said that if every workplace - starting with governments, which are the largest employers - offered financial wellness programmes, that would be a new day and a giant stride in our big push for financial resilience and wealth creation. “This is a cause worth pursuing,” the ECCB Governor said, noting it would mean “huge potential dividends.”

He continued: “As a region, we cannot change our history nor can we change our geography, but collectively we can elevate our development trajectory through innovation and collective action.”

Governor Antoine said the ECCB’s Financial Literacy and Financial Inclusion Survey itself was made possible through partnerships, namely with the OECS Commission (through its Project Management Unit) and the World Bank funded Caribbean Digital Transformation Project.

The ECCB Governor also said that, over the past 21 years, the Central Bank has sought to raise the level of financial literacy through its savings and investment courses, its annual Financial



PROPERTY FOR SALE BY TENDER/BID

The property below is offered for sale by the Mortgagee, the St. Christopher and Nevis Social Security Board:

About the property

The subject property is a two-storey building located just off the beach in Dieppe Bay and adjacent to the Golden Lemon Hotel with a 5 minute walk from Arthur's restaurant. Access to the property is on Station Street. Renovations to the property are incomplete and the property is being sold as is.

Legal Description

ALL THAT lot piece or parcel of land with building thereon situate at Dieppe Bay in the Island of St. Christopher bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say: On the North by lands of Golden Lemon Hotel 172.43 feet, On the South by lands of the heirs of Elizabeth Thomas 173.17 feet, On the East by lands of the heirs of Elizabeth Thomas 24.74 feet and On the West by Station Street 40.73 feet and containing by admeasurement 5,872.02 square feet.

Minimum bid: EC\$600,000.00

Interested persons must submit their tender/bids no later than 27th October, 2023 to:

The Director
Social Security Board
Robert Llewellyn Bradshaw Building
P.O. Box 79
Bay Road
Basseterre

Re: Property at Dieppe Bay

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Information Month, and in the past seven years through its weekly podcast ECCB Connects.

“For these efforts, I wish to acknowledge the work of past and present ECCB staff and partners. You have helped many, but many more still need to be helped. In short, we need to scale up,” said Governor Antoine.

Tourism Minister Talks About Upcoming Cruise Season Bringing Over 300 Calls, High-Spending Passengers

By: Precious Mills

BASSETERRE St.Kitts (Thursday 28th September 2023)- Minister of Tourism Marsha Henderson has revealed that for the 2023-2024 cruise season, there will be a total of 342 calls, bringing a capacity of 857,488 to our shores which includes high-spending passengers and a visit by the world's largest cruise ship as well as

She made the disclosure on Thursday 28th September 2023 in giving remarks on topic having indicated that "Sunday 1st October 2023 marks the beginning of the cruise season and with it comes many opportunities."

According to her, we will welcome a total of eighteen (18) inaugural calls.

She said the largest ship in the world called Icon of the Seas will be visiting our shores on 30th January 2024 with a capacity of 7, 600 passengers.

Henderson went on to say that featured on the inaugural line-up will be several high-end vessels from various lines which includes Celebrity X Cruises, Virgin Voyages, and Ritz-Carlton Yacht Collection.

"These magnificent ship redefines luxury and offer an unparalleled experience to our discerning guests with opulent amenities and personalized services, these vessels attract high-spending passengers who seek exclusivity and indulgence. Their presence ensures that our destination remains at the forefront of the luxury travel markets, stimulating economic growth and creating avenues for local businesses. This is in fact keeping with our goal of attracting high value visitors who contribute significantly to the local economy through shopping, dining and excursions," she said

According to her, similar to last season, we will see fewer calls from Carnival Cruise lines due to the removal of a number of ships from its fleet including

Carnival Fascination.

"We will continue to experience the effects of the loss of San Juan as a home port. This has resulted in the shortening of cruise itineraries as cruise lines are now taking a longer cruise to the eastern

Caribbean due to home porting out of Florida. This fact is covered by critical challenges we're facing in our industry today," she outlined.

The Tourism Minister also highlighted that the introduction of regulations to protect the environment through the emission of carbon emissions from cruise lines has become

a major concern for industry partners.

"We're all aware that it is our responsibility to protect our environment. We support all efforts geared towards climate adaptation and climate mitigation."

She added that one of the efforts being undertaken by cruise liners to protect our environment is the concept of slow steaming whereby cruise lines are required to lessen vessel speed to conserve fuel and gas emissions.

"Being mindful of this concept and the voyage from Florida to destination in the Eastern Caribbean, cruise liners now experience extended itineraries. We as a destination will continue to receive calls from Carnival nonetheless and all other cruise lines that have previously graced our shores. So for this upcoming season, we're poised to welcome a total of 342 calls, bringing a capacity of 857,488 to our shores," she remarked.

Front Page Image: Minister of Tourism Marsha Henderson seen while delivering remarks about the upcoming 2023-2024 cruise season (Spokesman Screenshot: Facebook/Kittitian Heartbeat)



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Tenderers to Bid on the following Project:

RENOVATION WORKS for AGRO PROCESSING UNIT Phase 2

At

Needsmust, St. Kitts

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday 25th September, 2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each.

Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office of:

**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Thursday 2nd November, 2023**

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

It is mandatory that Tenderers be locally registered in the Federation of St. Kitts & Nevis. Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS



Junior Gong To Headline Land Of Free Independence Concert

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE St.Kitts (Thursday 28th September 2023) - A concert dubbed 'The Land Of The Free' Independence concert is slated to

take place on Saturday 30th September 2023 with headline act, well-known international Reggae artiste Damian 'Junior Gong' Marley.

The son of the legendary late music icon Bob Marley is no stranger to St.Kitts having performed at the 2017 annual St.Kitts Music Festival before thousands of fans and music lovers alike.

Junior Gong is known for hit songs like 'Affairs of the Heart', 'Speak Life', 'Beautiful', 'Still Searching' and 'Living It Up'.

The Warner Park Cricket Stadium is the venue for this well-anticipated festivity which is slated to start at 7:00PM. Admission is free as is customary as part of the Independence celebrations.

Others scheduled on the line-up are mix genre of musical entertainers from St.Kitts and Nevis- G4E Xaviee, DJ Tero, Stadics, Joy Dos, 313 Family, ASAP Band, Nu Vybes Band International and Bacchanalist Crew.

Sweet Sister Sensia is slated as the event host.

(Front Page Image: Well-known international Reggae artiste Damian 'Junior Gong' Marley (credit: wikipedia.org)



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The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Tenderers to Bid on the following Projects:

Construction of Roads and Drains at:

- 1) Boyds View, Trinity
- 2) Palmetto Point/Sunset Reef Road, Trinity
- 3) Shadwell East/Shadwell West, Basseterre

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday October 02, 2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each for Trinity Roads and non-refundable fee of \$1500.00 each for Shadwell East/West.

Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office of:

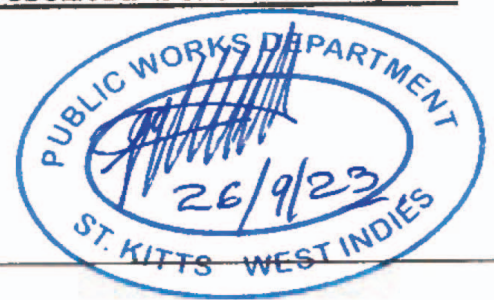
**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Friday 10th November, 2023**

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

It is mandatory that Tenderers be locally registered in the Federation of St. Kitts & Nevis. Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS



Young Man Found With Deadly Wounds On Bay Road Attacked While Driving

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE, St.Kitts (Thursday 28th September 2023)-A 32-year-old wounded man recently taken to the hospital after being found on the ground along Old Road Bay was attacked while driving, according to a police statement.

Dead is Deonja 'Trenny' Finley of Bird Rock in St. Kitts.

Police say he was found with injuries that appeared to be gunshot wounds, and have also informed that at the hospital, it was confirmed that he had been shot several times about the body.

Reportedly, the incident occurred on the night of September 23rd 2023 (Saturday), in Old Road on St. Kitts

Emergency Medical Services (EMS) were called to the scene and Finley was transported to the Joseph N. France General Hospital for treatment.

Police are reporting also that he underwent emergency surgery but succumbed to his injuries.

Initial investigations indicate that Finley was attacked and shot while driving along the island main road at Old Road Bay.

The Crime Scene Unit of the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF) processed the scene and collected some items of evidential value.

Further investigations are being made into the matter.

Earlier this month, a young man in his 20s was shot and killed in Basseterre.

Police say that on September 9th, 2023, between 11PM and 11:30PM, officers of the Violent Crime Unit (VCU) of the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF) received reports of gunfire heard in the Buckley's area on St. Kitts.

Upon investigating, twenty-four (24)-year-old Deondre Browne, alias 'Bush', of New Road, St. Kitts, was observed laying motionless on the ground in the movie

theatres' parking lot.

Reportedly, further examination revealed that Browne had been shot several times about the body. He succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased at the scene.

An autopsy carried out by Resident Pathologists Dr. Adrian Nunez and Dr. Naudica Phillip determined that cause of death was hypovolemic shock due to multiple gunshot wounds on the body.

Police say preliminary inquiries indicate that Browne had been walking in the parking lot when two (2) armed assailants accosted him and opened fire.

The Crime Scene Unit

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Basseterre Police Station: 465 2241

Old Road Police Station: 465 6250

Cayon Police Station: 465 7258

Tabernacle Police Station: 465 7227

Sandy Point Police Station: 465 6261

Stapleton Police Station (St.Peter's): 465 2418

St. Johnston's Police Station: 465 2241

(CSU) processed the scene and took into custody some items of evidential value.

Should anyone have information about this or any other crime, the Force encourages you to call the nearest Police station, or the Crime Stoppers Hotline, 707.



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Tenderers to Bid on the following Project:

RENOVATION to UPPER BATHROOM

At

Washington Archibald High School

Taylor's Range, St. Kitts

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Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office of:

**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Tuesday 7th November, 2023**

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

It is mandatory that Tenderers be locally registered in the Federation of St. Kitts & Nevis. Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS



Police: Illegal Migrants Treated Humanely, No To Human Trafficking

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE St.Kitts (Thursday 28th September 2023) - “It is of paramount importance that the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis does not become a safe haven for illegal migration and human trafficking.”

Such was included in a police statement issued on Tuesday 26th September 2023 in light of the recent case of twelve (12) illegal migrants - including a mother and child- in the Federation.

Notably, while police on St.Kitts are reporting that the individuals were treated humanely, it is being emphasized that “human trafficking a human rights violation that the Government regards with a high level of seriousness.”

Police say Government has taken the decision to repatriate these illegal migrants in the interest of national security and the maintenance of the nation’s “zero tolerance” stance to human trafficking.

As a result, as of September 26th, 2023, six (6) detainees have been transported to Haiti by air. Of the four (4) that remain, two (2) will be flown to Haiti before midweek.

At the time of the statement, local authorities were awaiting the Government of Dominica’s consent to transport the child and mother back to its shores.

Reportedly, on September 20th (Wednesday), 2023, in the early evening, the St. Kitts and Nevis Defence Force Coast Guard responded to a distress call from a sea vessel close to the coastline at Half Moon in Frigate Bay, St. Kitts.

Upon responding to the call, the Coast Guard discovered a white yacht grounded on the reef. Inquiries revealed that there were initially eleven (11) persons on board (inclusive of the boat’s captain), four (4) of which had already disembarked and swam to shore.

Police say two (2) persons were observed by Coast Guard to be swimming towards the coastline, and another two (2), having made it to land, were observed fleeing the scene.

It has been further reported that “Owing to the swift reaction of the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF), the fleeing persons were apprehended and detained. Of the ten (10) persons rescued, nine (9) were shortly thereafter identified as nationals of Haiti, the single exception being one (1) Dominica-born child.”

“They were all treated with compassion and afforded the requisite humane treatment, inclusive of medical care,” police say.

It was also reported by persons on-board the vessel that the captain, a national of Dominica, had abandoned the vessel by way of a smaller boat. However, on the afternoon of September 21st, 2023, a man who was later identified as the vessel’s captain, sought assistance medical assistance at the Mary Charles Hospital in Molineaux, St. Kitts.

Police say he was subsequently transported to the



Joseph N. France General Hospital for treatment. On September 23rd, 2023, he was discharged and immediately arrested by police on suspicion of Smuggling.

According to the authorities, both infractions pose clear and direct threats to the stellar functioning of our national security apparatus.

“Human trafficking is a human rights violation that the Government regards with a high level of seriousness. As such, the steady increase of these occurrences throughout the Caribbean region continues to cause us great concern. In this regard, we will endeavour to resolve such matters swiftly and judiciously when encountered in the interest of the Federation’s safety and security. The protection of our borders and citizenry are among the Government’s foremost priorities. We will continue to maintain the integrity of our legal ports of entry as a sovereign nation, and continue to welcome legal visitors to our shores.”

Front Page Photo used for illustration purposes only: An image showing illegal migrants from Haiti in the waters of the Turks and Caicos Islands after boats were intercepted between 23 December 2022 and 2 January 2023. (Photograph: Royal TCI Police Force)

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FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

ISLAND OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER

TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT, CAP. 10.19

A. D. 2023

IN THE MATTER of Section 12(1)(a) of the Title by Registration Act, Cap 10:19

AND

IN THE MATTER of an Application by JOSEPH MICHAEL HAWLEY and LYNNE A. HAWLEY for the issue of a First Certificate of Title to 14,366.22 square feet of land at Lot No. 59 of Half Moon Heights Housing Development Phase 3D, in the Parish of St. Peter in the Island of Saint Christopher

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SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS

for Certificate of Title, and noting thereon, and Caveats, for the week ending the 22nd day of SEPTEMBER 2023.

Date of Request	Persons presenting	Nature of Request, whether for Certificate of Title, or noting thereon, or Caveat.
July 7, 2023	JOSEPH MICHAEL HAWLEY and LYNNE A. HAWLEY both Lot No. 59 of Half Moon Heights Housing Development Phase 3D, in the Parish of St. Peter in the Island of Saint Christopher	ALL THAT lot piece or parcel of land with dwelling house thereon situate at Lot No. 59 of Half Moon Heights Housing Development Phase 3D in the Parish of St. Peter, in the Island of Saint Christopher in the Federation of St. Christopher and Nevis containing by admeasurement 14,366.22 square feet and bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say: On or towards the North-West by Lot No. 60 of Half Moon Heights Housing Development Phase 3D owned by John Michael Speck and Stephen Thomas Hartman Sr, 94.93 feet; On or towards the East North-East partly by a Development Road, 39.78 feet and partly by Lot No. 58 owned by The Estate of Lawrence Hoffman, 98.50 feet; On or towards the North by a Development Road, 39.78 feet; On or towards the South by lands of Frigate Bay Development, 144.53 feet; and On or towards the West South-West by Lot No. 69 owned by Richard Ernest Wilson Grant and Gertrude Rita Dudley-Grant, 91.84 feet

Dated the 13th day of SEPTEMBER 2023

Registrar of Titles

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ECTEL Empowers Administrative Staff to Make a Difference

Castries - Saint Lucia - 26th September 2023 - Twenty-two (22) staff of the Eastern Caribbean Telecommunications Authority (ECTEL) and the National Telecommunications Regulatory Commissions (NTRCs) from ECTEL's five (5) Member States gathered in Saint Lucia at the Compass Room, Harbor Club for the 8th ECTEL/NTRC Administrative Workshop. The two-day workshop which ran from September 14-15, 2023 was held under the theme, "Reinventing the Administrative Function - Empowering Staff to Make a Difference".

The workshop facilitated by Celestial Self Development Center explored numerous topics such as emotional intelligence, problem solving and decision making, critical thinking, managing stress and the stages of team development among others. According to ECTEL's Human Resource Manager, Mrs. Pat Payne, "We are delighted that after five (5) years both administrative teams from ECTEL and the NTRCs can meet in person to share experiences to strengthen work processes. It is critical that we provide continuous training and personal development opportunities for our administrative staff as they play an integral role in ECTEL's and the NTRC's day to day operations."

Additionally, Mrs. Janelle Augustin-Henry, ECTEL's Information Systems Manager made a presentation on Artificial Intelligence (AI). She underlined the importance of embracing AI to foster greater productivity in the workplace stating that "The use of Generative AI can positively impact the efficiency and productivity of ECTEL and NTRC administrative staff." She identified several use cases for AI including drafting documents, task automation, analysing consumer complaints and feedback to identify recurring issues and trends, gathering and analysing data from the telecommunications market to assess competitiveness, market trends, and consumer preferences. She said, "While there are significant benefits for using AI, there are also shortcomings and risks. ECTEL remains committed to developing an AI Use Policy and exploring tools to prepare the organisation for the evolving

world of technology."

ECTEL has been the regional regulatory body advising the NTRCs on electronic communications matters in its Member States - the Commonwealth of Dominica, Grenada, St. Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia and St. Vincent and the Grenadines since 4th May 2000. Essentially, ECTEL works with the NTRCs to promote consumer rights and harmonised benefits in the electronic communications sector in its Member States.

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FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT CAP. 10.19

A. D. 2023

SKBLRD2023/

IN THE MATTER OF A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE dated 24th September 2001 and register in Book A3 Folio 369 of the Register of Titles in the Island of Saint Christopher Circuit.

-and-

In the Matter of the Application for the Issue of A New Certificate of Title to replace the above mentioned one, which is lost.

-and-

In the Matter of an Application by VENETTA HODGE

NOTICE OF LOST CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

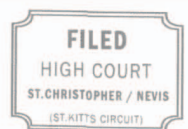
NOTICE is hereby given of the Lost Certificate of Title dated 20th January 1988 and registered in Book A3 Folio 369 of the Register of Titles for the Saint Christopher Circuit which title was issued in the name of **LUCINA HODGE and VENETTA HODGE** Registered Proprietors.

Any person having information relating to the whereabouts of the said Certificate of Title is requested to notify the Registrar of Titles for the Saint Christopher Circuit or the Law Office of **CHESLEY ONEAL HAMILTON** at West Independence Square Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts.

Dated the 25th day of June 2023

Chesley Oneal Hamilton
CHESLEY ONEAL HAMILTON
Attorney-at-Law

Case Number :SKBHPB2023/0117



**EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT**

Submitted Date:25/09/2023 09:33

SKBHPB2023/0117

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE Filed Date:25/09/2023 09:33

Fees Paid:12.00

In the Estate of **DOREEN VERONICA MAPP** also known as **DOREEN MAPP** also known as **DOREEN HUGGINS** also known as **VERONICA STAPLETON** also known as **DOREEN VERONICA STAPLETON** also known as **VERONICA STAPLETON MAPP**, late of 1100 Grand Concourse, Apartment 4G, Bronx, NY 10456-3937, United States of America and also of St. Johnston Avenue, Basseterre, St. Kitts, deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF PROBATE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **AVERILLE C. HUGGINS** of 815 Gerard Avenue, Apartment 6L, Bronx, New York 10451, United States of America, Retired, and **HAZEL O. MAPP-HANLEY** of 1100 Grand Concourse, Apartment 4G, Bronx, New York 10456, United States of America, Retired, for a Grant of Probate of the Will of the above named deceased who died on the 14th day of April, 2021 without revoking a will bearing the date of 31st day of March 2012 wherein the applicants are named executrices.

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

Dated this 25th day of September 2023

Chauntelle Hobson

Chauntelle Hobson

GONSALVES PARRY

Attorneys-at-Law for the Applicants

Filed on behalf of the Applicants by Ms. Chauntelle Hobson of Gonsalves Parry, Chambers Suites C26 A&B, The Sands Complex, George Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts, Telephone number: (869) 466-5455, Fax number: (869) 466-5456.

Thursday 28th September 2023

To: All Media

From: St. Kitts & Nevis National Carnival Committee

Republic Bank's Illustrious Return as Title Sponsor for Miss Teen St. Kitts and Nevis



The St. Kitts and Nevis National Carnival Committee ("the SKNNCC") is delighted to announce the return of Republic Bank as Title Sponsor for the prestigious Miss Teen St. Kitts and Nevis pageant and Platinum partner of Sugar Mas 52. Republic Bank, a staunch supporter of our nation's culture and youth development, has increased its sponsorship to an impressive \$60,000, doubling their commitment to this event.

Republic Bank's partnership remains invaluable, particularly in their mission to educate and upskill our youth. Their role in encouraging financial literacy will be pivotal, as they have committed to opening savings accounts for all participants. Additionally, Republic Bank will once again conduct personal development sessions with all ambassadors, building on the success of last year's program. These initiatives align perfectly with the SKNNCC's dedication to the holistic development of our Miss Teen St. Kitts and Nevis ambassadors.

The SKNNCC extends its heartfelt gratitude to Republic Bank for their unwavering support of our cultural celebrations and youth development. We are confident that this partnership will continue to inspire and empower the youth of St. Kitts and Nevis.

This year's Miss Teen St. Kitts and Nevis ambassadors will be announced to the general public in the coming weeks, following the recent closing of registration. Last year's event was nothing short of a triumph, with a sold-out crowd witnessing the incredible talents of our youth. This year's Miss Teen St. Kitts and Nevis pageant promises to be an even greater spectacle. The stage is set, and the excitement is building as we prepare to light up the Warner Park Cricket Stadium on Tuesday, December 19th.

The SKNNCC invites everyone to stay tuned for updates via this media house, and to follow our official social media channels for exclusive behind-the-scenes content:

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For further information, please contact the Carnival Secretariat via 869-466-0058 or info@skncarnival.com.



SAGICOR LIFE (EASTERN CARIBBEAN) INC.

Annette DeGuire of #57 Lime Kiln Project, Basseterre, St. Kitts, having made sworn deposition that Policy No. K100302829 issued by British American Insurance Company and assumed by Sagicor Life (Eastern Caribbean) Inc. on her life has been lost and having made application to the Directors to grant a duplicate of the same, notice is hereby given that unless objection is raised within one month of the date hereof, the duplicate policy asked for will be issued.

Dated: 29th September, 2023.

By Order

Andrew Greaves
Corporate Secretary



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Case Number :SKBHCV2022/0112



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FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT, CAP. 10.19
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
A.D. 2023

Case No. SKBHCV2022/0112

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATES OF TITLE AND NOTING THEREON FOR THE WEEK
ENDING THE 22nd DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2023.

Date of Request	Persons Presenting	Nature of Request for Certificate of Title and Noting Thereon
13 th May, 2022	Sebastian Henry and Leon Henry by their Attorneys, Henderson Law Chambers	A First Certificate of Title to be issued in respect of a lot of land situate at Spooners Estate, Dunns Cottage, Cayon in Island of St Christopher.

ON or towards the North by lands of Spooners Estate, 55.09 feet; ON or towards the South by lands of Spooners Estate, 55.08 feet; ON or towards the East by an Access Road, 54.01 feet and ON or towards the West by lands of Spooners Estate, 53.01 feet and containing by admeasurement 2935 square feet.

Dated the 13th day of SEPTEMBER, 2023.

Registrar

Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme inducts 2023 awardees

BASSETTERRE, ST. KITTS, September 25, 2023 (MMS-SKN) — The TDC Group of Companies, which is celebrating its 50th anniversary under the theme ‘Your Neighbour, Your Partner, Your Future’, on Saturday September 23 held an induction ceremony for the eight 2023 Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme awardees.

“The programme was designed, and still serves that purpose, to support students entering the high schools of St. Kitts and Nevis,” said Chairman and CEO, TDC Group of Companies, Mr Earle Kelly. “Every year we induct eight students, because we have six public high schools in St. Kitts and two public high schools in Nevis, and this year is no exception.”

Through the programme, which is in its 42nd year, the TDC Group of companies has spent over \$6.1 million and has benefitted 267 students who are doing well in their professional lives. He pointed out that a number of the senior managers at TDC both in St. Kitts and in Nevis are former scholarship holders.

“The programme has benefitted not only the folks who are now managing the TDC, but right up to the Prime Minister,” said Mr Kelly. “Many of you, I am sure, are not aware that the Prime Minister (of St. Kitts and Nevis, the Hon Dr Terrance Drew) was one of the beneficiaries of the programme. He was in the programme with (TDC Company Secretary) Mr Warren Moving, back in 1989.”

2023 Awardees of the Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Award are Miss Alasha Hull, Charlestown Secondary School, who came out of the St. Thomas’ Primary School; Master De’morae Prentice, from the Violet O Jeffers Nicholls Primary School, a student at the Gingerland Secondary School; Miss Chrisandra Sanichar formerly of the Deane Glasford Primary School, who is now at the Basseterre High School; and Miss Ajanique McFarlane formerly of the Violet Petty Primary School, who is now at the Cayon High School.

Others are Miss Keithesia Thomas from the Newton Ground Primary School, now a student at the Charles E. Mills Secondary School; Master Joshua Finch from the Estridge Primary School who is now a student at the Saddlers Secondary School; Miss Daejahnique Rawlins of the Verchilds High School, who came out of the Bronte Welsh Primary School; and Miss Michele Ezquea of the Washington Archibald High School, formerly of the Dr William Connor Primary School.

Guest speaker at the ceremony, which was held at the TDC

Training Room, Fort Street, Basseterre, was the Deputy Chief Education Officer, Federal Ministry of Education, Mr Roger Woodley, who represented the Chief Education Officer, Mr Francil Morris.

The ceremony was also attended by parents and relatives of the awardees, and present included Executive Director of the TDC Group of Companies, and Programme Director of the Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme, Mr Nicholas Menon, who made presentation of certificates and awards to the 2023 Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Awardees, and General Manager of TDC Financial Services, Mr Steve Farrier, who presented awards to the eight 2023 recipients of the TDC Financial Services Academic Excellence Award.

According to Chairman and CEO, TDC Group of Companies, Mr Earle Kelly, over the last ten or twelve years, with competition for the scholarship being very stiff as students displayed more brilliance, the company decided to have some awards being made to the runners-up. They now receive the TDC Financial Services Academic Excellence Award.

“It was done when we had



Chairman and CEO of the TDC Group of Companies, Mr Earle Kelly, addressing the 2023 awardees of the Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme, and the TDC Financial Services Academic Excellence Award, their parents and guardians.



Executive Director of the TDC Group of Companies, and Programme Director of the Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme, Mr Nicholas Menon, presents a certificate to Miss Alasha Hull, of the Charlestown Secondary School.

such a stiff competition,” explained Mr Kelly. “We could not decide to just give to eight students because the results were so good, so we decided to give sixteen students to accommodate the runners-up - so we have kept that programme in place. It is supported by TDC Financial Services, one of our companies.”

Also present were Directors of the TDC Group of Companies, Ms Maritza Bowry, and Mr Glenville Jeffers. Other senior TDC staff included Company Secretary Mr Warren Moving; Managing Director of TDC Nevis Ltd, Mr Ernie France; Branch Manager at TDC Financial Services Company Limited, Mr Wayne Woodley; TDC Chief Human Resource Officer, Mrs Gloria Esdaille-Robinson; TDC Chief Operating Officer, Mrs Charlene Stapleton; and TDC Employee Relations Officer, Mrs Andrea James-Wattley.



The eight 2023 Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme awardees pictured with TDC Executives and the Deputy Chief Education Officer, Federal Ministry of Education, Mr Roger Woodley.



Warren C. Tyson Memorial Scholarship Programme awardees occupy the first two rows, while recipients of the TDC Financial Services Academic Excellence Award occupy the seats behind them. TDC Executives (front row), and parents and guardians are on the left.

MOFA thanks international supporters for backing Taiwan UN bid

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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs thanks allies and like-minded friends for their staunch support for Taiwan’s participation in U.N. meetings and mechanisms Sept. 27. (MOFA)

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs expressed its gratitude to allies and like-minded countries for standing behind Taiwan and its requests for inclusion in U.N. meetings Sept. 27.

Representatives from Belize, Eswatini, Guatemala, Haiti, Nauru, Palau, Paraguay, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Tuvalu and the Marshall Islands spoke out on Taiwan’s behalf during the 78th U.N. General Assembly and at associated high-level meetings. During the UNGA general debate, President Petr Pavel of Czechia also voiced concern over cross-strait conditions while condemning China’s escalation of tensions in the region, the MOFA said.

As the assembly began Sept. 18, Japan’s Foreign Minister Yoko Kamikawa, as chair of the G7 Foreign Ministers’ Meeting in New York, issued a statement promoting cross-strait peace and Taiwan’s meaningful participation in international bodies. According to the ministry, U.S. Secretary of State Antony Blinken also reiterated the importance of maintaining cross-strait peace and stability while meeting with Vice President Han Zheng of China during the general assembly.

Lawmakers from Brazil, Canada, Hungary, Ireland, Korea, Mexico, Slovakia, Spain, the Netherlands and the United States also backed Taiwan in various ways, the MOFA said, adding that their support including releasing statements, passing bills friendly to Taiwan and writing joint letters to the secretary-general of the U.N.



President Tsai Ing-wen addressed the significance of Taiwan’s global presence and safety in a prerecorded speech at the Concordia Annual Summit alongside the UNGA, according to the ministry. In addition, Foreign Minister Jauhshieh Joseph Wu wrote

an article to convey Taiwan’s hope of being readmitted to the U.N. that was featured in international mainstream media. The MOFA further released the short films “To Equality” and “Global Peace with Taiwan,” which together attracted over 31 million views, and an animated short entitled ‘United’ Global Peace with Taiwan” was also shown in New York’s Time Square as part of Taiwan’s appeal. The ministry called for the U.N. to resist China’s coercion and misinterpretation of Resolution 2758, and to carry out the international body’s goal of leaving no one behind. (POC-E)



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VACANCY Legal Counsel – Legal Unit

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- Strong interpersonal relationship and team building skills
- Results driven and output focused
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- Excellent time management and organizational skills

The Position:

The Legal Counsel in the Legal Unit will report directly to the Chief Legal Counsel and will be primarily responsible for the preparation and completion of the Group of Companies’ security documents and vetting/review of any legal documents prepared externally. Additionally, he/she will be required to provide general legal advice to the Group ensuring that the interest of the Bank’s depositors and other stakeholders are protected from legal threat or harm.

Principal Duties and Responsibilities:

- Prepare Security Documents for the Group of Companies.
- Review legal documents prepared externally and present said documents to the relevant signatories for execution.
- Attend Court on behalf of the Group of Companies.
- Provide General Legal Advice to the Group of Companies.
- Instruct and interact with external solicitors on behalf of the Group of Companies.
- Manage, monitor, organize and supervise the activities and staff of the Legal Unit.
- Perform other functions as necessary or assigned.

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Applications should be submitted with detailed Curriculum Vitae to HR@sknanb.com or addressed to: Chief Human Resources Officer, P.O. Box 343, Central Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts no later than **13th October 2023**. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.



Richest oil states should pay climate tax, says Gordon Brown



IMAGE SOURCE, GETTY IMAGES

Gordon Brown accused world leaders of coming up "abysmally short" in their efforts to lower carbon emissions

By Chas Geiger
Political reporter

BBC News

The world's richest oil states should pay a global windfall tax to help poorer nations combat climate change, ex-PM Gordon Brown has said.

He said countries such as Saudi Arabia, the UAE, Qatar and Norway benefited from a "lottery style bonanza" last year, as the price of oil soared.

Mr Brown argues a \$25bn

(£20.4bn) levy would boost prospects of a deal on a climate fund for poorer countries.

His intervention comes ahead of the COP28 summit in Dubai in November.

Speaking at last week's Climate Ambition Summit at the United Nations in New York, Secretary General Antonio Guterres warned that world leaders were coming up "abysmally short" in their efforts to curb carbon

emissions.

He called for the world's biggest emitters to agree a climate solidarity pact to reduce emissions and support emerging economies.

Mr Brown said his plan would prevent a stalemate and potential breakdown at COP28 in the United Arab Emirates (UAE) - one of the richest oil producers identified.

He said "petro-states" had recorded "almost unimaginable profits" from the rise in oil price in recent years, with the five richest - which also include Kuwait - doubling their oil revenues in 2022.

Quoting figures from the International Energy Association (IEA), he said global oil and gas revenues had soared from \$1.5tn (£1.2tn) before the Covid pandemic to an unprecedented \$4tn (£3.3tn).

"To put these extraordinary figures into context, \$4tn is 20 times the entire global aid budget. It is an income so big that it exceeds the entire GDP of the United Kingdom," he said.

"These producer states have done literally nothing to earn this unprecedented windfall. It represents one of the biggest ever transfers of wealth from poor to rich nations."

Mr Brown added the high price of oil and gas had been the main factor in potentially pushing an additional 141 million people around the world into extreme poverty, which is the high range of an estimate from a scientific study carried out earlier this year.

He called for the wealthiest oil states to contribute 3% of their export earnings - equivalent to a total of \$25bn (£20.4bn) in 2022, saying "it is the very least they could do".

The former prime minister - a UN envoy for global education and World Health Organisation ambassador for global health financing - said "the consequences of such a grand gesture would be immense".

"We would be giving crisis-torn countries what has been absent in recent summits: hope," he said.



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Tenderers to Bid on the following Project:

Repairs to Kim Collins Stadium Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday 24th July, 2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each.

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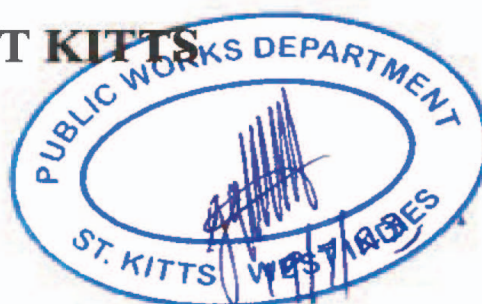
**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre St. Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Monday 4th September 2023.**

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

It is mandatory that Tenderers be locally registered in the Federation of St. Kitts & Nevis. Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

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IICA to promote climate smart agriculture in St. Kitts and Nevis

BASSETERRE, ST. KITTS, September 27, 2023 (IICA-SKN) — Operational thrust of the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA), which has been working in the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis for over 30 years, is aimed at increasing the contributions of agriculture to economic growth and sustainable development.

As the country faces challenges posed by effects of global climate change, through its St. Kitts and Nevis Climate Smart Agriculture Project (SKN CSA-P), IICA has a project that will promote climate smart agriculture initiative targeting 4,241 direct beneficiaries in the Federation. It is still in concept note phase, having first been submitted by the Accredited Entity Caribbean Community Climate Change Centre (CCCCC) in September 2022 and again in December 2022.

“The St. Kitts and Nevis Climate Smart Agriculture Project (SKN CSA-P) - a climate resilient development project for agriculture - is one of a handful of pioneering smart agriculture projects in St. Kitts and Nevis that will transform the sector in a number of ways,” said Ms Sharon Jones, IICA Technical Specialist in St. Kitts and Nevis.

Ms Jones made the remarks on Tuesday September 26, at the Accountability Seminar 2023 for IICA Delegation in St. Kitts and Nevis, which was held at the St. Kitts Marriott Resort Ballroom, where she presented the organisation’s Annual Report 2023 (covering the period October 2022 to September 2023).

According to the IICA Technical Specialist in St. Kitts and Nevis, the strategy which is currently undergoing corrections to be resubmitted later this year, will transform the agriculture sector by among others offering a strengthened enabling environment for climate smart agriculture (CSA) at national, community and farm levels.

The 6-year US\$ 25.196 million climate smart agriculture initiative will also offer strengthened Decision Support System (DSS) for climate smart agriculture at national, community and farm levels; Low carbon, climate resilient agricultural practices mainstreamed at community and farm levels; and enhanced knowledge management for climate smart agriculture at national, community and farm levels.

Delivering remarks at the Accountability Seminar 2023, which was chaired by Director of the Department of Agriculture in Nevis, Mr Randy Elliott, was the St. Lucia-based IICA Representative in the Eastern Caribbean States, Mr Gregg C.E. Rawlins.

Also delivering remarks were Deputy Premier and Minister of Agriculture et al in the Nevis Island Administration, the Hon Eric Evelyn; and Permanent Secretary in the Federal Ministry of Agriculture et al, Mr Miguel Fleming, who delivered remarks on behalf of the Minister, the Hon Samal Duggins.

Ms Jones further pointed out that some of IICA’s territorial development and farming successes in the Federation include capacity building in climate smart agriculture production and marketing to improve food security and promote independent living of persons with disabilities.

“Teaching agriculture, marketing and related skills encourage home food security, increases self-employment opportunities and income generating skills,” observed Ms Jones. A local organisation that IICA has targeted is the St. Kitts and Nevis Association of Persons with Disabilities (SKNAPD), a non-profit group which is managed by and for people with disabilities.

The association which was represented by its Secretary, Ms Vincentia Wilkerson, who offered the opening prayer at the Accountability Seminar 2023, has a parcel of land in St. Peter’s, St. Kitts, that it is interested in developing as a training venue for sustainable agriculture production.

“They approached IICA, who assisted in designing and writing a project proposal,” said Ms Jones. “The project was successful and was awarded a US\$50,000.00 grant from Global Environment Fund Small Grant (GEF SG) in March 2023. The project is well supported by the Ministry of Agriculture et al, as well as the Ministry of Social Development.”

Under agriculture biodiversity, capacity building and sustainable development in St. Kitts and Nevis, the St. Kitts Beekeepers Cooperative (SKBC) approached IICA to assist in designing a project towards a grant application to Global Environment Fund Small Grant (GEF SG) for US\$50,000.00. The cooperative has since increased its membership, membership diversity, facilitated workshops and other activities.



IICA Technical Specialist in St. Kitts and Nevis, Ms Sharon Jones, presents IICA Delegation in St. Kitts and Nevis Annual Report 2023.



Ms Sharon Jones presents IICA Delegation in St. Kitts and Nevis Annual Report 2023 to Deputy Premier and Minister of Agriculture et al in Nevis, Hon Eric Evelyn. Looking on (right) is IICA Representative in the Eastern Caribbean States, Mr Gregg C.E. Rawlins.



Participants at the Accountability Seminar 2023, IICA Delegation in St. Kitts and Nevis, held at the St. Kitts Marriott Resort, pose for a group picture. Ms Sharon Jones is seated, 2nd from right.

At the end of her power point/slide presentation, Ms Jones presented the printed 2023 Annual Report to Minister Evelyn, after which stakeholders were involved in lively discussions. Among the stakeholders, apart from the Ministries and Departments of Agriculture, and Health on St. Kitts and Nevis, were St. Kitts Agro Processors, Clarence Fitzroy Bryant College, St. Kitts and Nevis Association of Persons with Disabilities, and Nature’s Riches.

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Cricket West Indies clarifies bidding process for ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2024

ST. JOHN', Antigua - Cricket West Indies (CWI) issued a statement today to provide clarity on the ongoing process of venue selection for the ICC Men's T20 World Cup scheduled to take place in the Caribbean and USA in June 2024.

CWI acknowledges the enthusiasm and interest expressed by various governments, cricket boards, and stakeholders in hosting the highly anticipated tournament.

Johnny Grave, Chief Executive Officer stated: "Following a robust selection process of our seven host venues, CWI-appointed Venues Selection Committee, chaired by President Dr. Kishore Shallow, has made recommendations to the ICC on allocations of matches for ICC Men's T20 World Cup scheduled to take place in the Caribbean and USA in June 2024."

He also acknowledged the commendable efforts made by nations within the region; however, he emphasized that final decisions have yet to be reached.

"These recommendations are subject to venues confirming commitment to all required obligations and ICC approval. We are delighted by the enthusiasm and interest expressed by our host governments and cricket Boards and appreciate the hard work and commitment shown as we look to deliver a

spectacular Men's T20 World Cup next year. We will now work with the ICC, our hosts and ICC Members to finalise the match schedule in the coming weeks."



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To the Superintendent of Police.

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Signed : **Densil Chapman**

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**To the Magistrate,
District "A"**

To the Superintendent of Police.

WE, **Kachiana Robin & James Robin** now residing in **Boone Avenue** in the town of **Basseterre** do hereby give you notice that it is my intention to apply on **02nd** day of **October 2023**, to the **District Magistrate** at **Basseterre** for a **Retail Liquor Licence** in respect of our premises in **Delicious Eats Bar & Grill** in **Boone Avenue** in **Basseterre**.

Dated this
20th day of **September, 2023**.

Signed : **Kachiana Robin**

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West Indies Women open tour to Australia with practice match win

28 September 2023

SYDNEY, Australia - The West Indies Women got their tour of Australia off to a winning start with a 4-wicket victory over a New South Wales (NSW) Women's team at Wilson Park.

Batting first, Karishma Ramharack had the NSW ladies spun tightly in her off-spin web along with skipper Hayley Matthews. NSW Women posted 105/9 from their 20 overs, skipper Sammy-Jo Johnson was their top-scorer with 28 followed by Hannah Darlington with 24. Ramharack finished with figures of 3-0-12-3 and Matthews 2-0-7-2.

Shemaine Campbelle led the West Indies Women's run-chase with the bat, as she posted 33 from 34 deliveries which included five boundaries. Skipper Matthews was next best with 24 off 27. Aaliyah Alleyne 19 not out and Zaida James 15 not out took the visitors home to victory in 17.5 overs.

Head Coach Shane Deitz was pleased with the team's first outing since arriving in Australia four days ago. He said "It's good to get the first win on tour. I think we've got a lot of areas we need to improve on... especially getting used to batting on these wickets with some extra pace and bounce. Overall, I think we played generally good all-round and it's going to put us in a good position to play on Sunday.

The ODI series against Australia is West Indies' fourth fixture in the ICC Women's Championship 2022-2025 after playing New Zealand, England and Ireland. Each match provides West Indies with opportunity to win valuable points to climb the Championship table where they currently lie 9th out of ten teams (see table here). Following the Australia Series, West Indies Women will have four further three-match ODI series to play over the next two years. At the end of the cycle, the top five teams in the ICC Women's Championship and will book a berth for the ICC



Women's Cricket World Cup in 2025 as well as hosts India. The remaining teams will have to go through the ICC Women's Cricket World Cup Qualifier.

Full Squad

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Shemaine Campbelle (vice-captain)
Aaliyah Alleyne
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Cherry Ann Fraser
Shabika Gajrabi
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Chinelle Henry
Zaida James
Djenaba Joseph
Ashmini Munisar

Karishma Ramharack
Stafanie Taylor
Rashada Williams

Team Management Unit

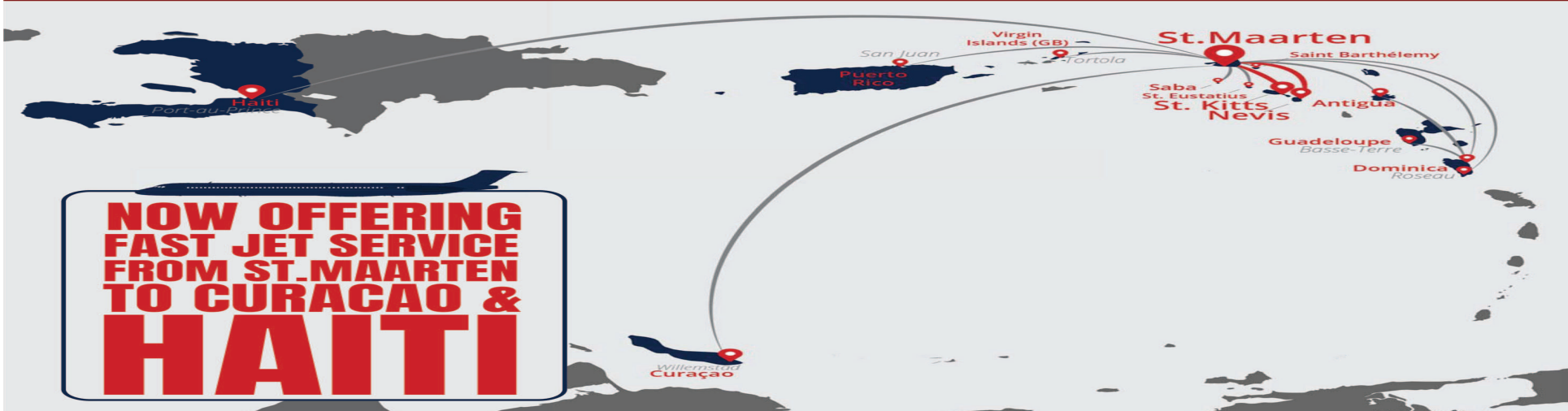
Shane Deitz- Head Coach
Sheena Gooding- Team Manager
Damien Wright- Assistant Coach
Ryan Austin- Assistant Coach
Tajay Grant- Physiotherapist
Antonia Burton- Strength & Conditioning Coach
Naasira Mohammed- Media Officer

Match Schedule

1 October: 1st T20I at North Sydney Oval, Sydney
2 October: 2nd T20I at North Sydney Oval, Sydney (night)
5 October: 3rd T20I at Allan Border Field, Brisbane (night)
8 October: 1st ODI at Allan Border Field, Brisbane -
12 October: 2nd ODI at Junction Oval, Melbourne -
14 October: 3rd ODI at Junction Oval, Melbourne

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CWI President Dr Kishore Shallow congratulates Vice President Azim Bassarath and former West Indies player Samuel Badree on T&T's prestigious Hummingbird Medal, Gold Award

ST. JOHN'S, Antigua - Cricket West Indies (CWI) President, Dr. Kishore Shallow extends his warmest congratulations to Vice President Azim Bassarath and former West Indies spinner and double T20 World Cup winner Samuel Badree on their remarkable achievement of receiving the prestigious Hummingbird Medal (HBM) Gold Award at the 2023 National Awards of Trinidad & Tobago. The awards ceremony took place on Sunday 24 September, at the historic President's House in St Ann's, Port-of-Spain.

The Hummingbird Medal Gold Award is one of Trinidad & Tobago's highest honors, recognising exceptional contributions and achievements in various fields. Vice President Bassarath's and Badree's outstanding dedication and contributions to the sport of cricket have earned them this well-deserved recognition in the highest grade of the HBM.

President Shallow expressed his pride in Vice President Bassarath's accomplishments, saying, "I am delighted to congratulate Vice President Azim Bassarath on receiving the Hummingbird Medal Gold award. His commitment to cricket and his tireless efforts in promoting the sport have been instrumental in our pursuit of excellence at CWI. This recognition is a testament to his unwavering passion and dedication to the game not only in Trinidad & Tobago but at a regional level."

Since his election in March 2023, Vice President Azim Bassarath has been an integral part of the CWI leadership team, playing a pivotal role in the development of cricket. Over the years, he has been a champion of Women's cricket,



Samuel Badree after receiving his award

ensuring a robust development programme exists in Trinidad and Tobago.

President Shallow further added, "Samuel Badree has etched his name on the pages of history as a member of the victorious T20 World Cup squads in 2012 and 2016. No doubt, he continues to make an invaluable contribution to the sport through his academy, coaching, and commentary, inspiring a new generation of players."

Badree founded and operates the Badree's Academy of Sports Education (BASE), which facilitates over 100 children in Trinidad and Tobago. He continues to be an ambassador for his country as

a commentator in global events such as World Cups, CPL, IPL and for West Indies Home Internationals. Badree is a level three coach and works as a mentor to West Indies spinners.

The Hummingbird Medal Gold Award of Trinidad & Tobago is a fitting tribute to Vice President Bassarath and Badree's remarkable achievements and their dedication to cricket. It serves as an inspiration to all cricket enthusiasts and showcases the profound impact that cricket has on the Caribbean community.

CWI extends its heartfelt congratulations to Vice President Azim Bassarath and Samuel Badree on this prestigious accolade and looks

VILLAGE SUPERSTARS EVEN FINALS SERIES

The SKNFA Premier League champions for 2023 will be determined in game 3 on Friday after Rams Village Superstars equaled the best of three series with a 3-1 win over St. Paul's United on Tuesday night at Warner Park.

Scoring for Village

Keithroy Freeman (St.Pauls) own goal - 10th min

Tahir Hanley 110th min

Kimaree Rogers (pk) 119th min

Scoring for St.Pauls

Nicquan Phipps 45th + 3 min

After the match, Village's coach Steven Clarke said the addition of two players in their defensive lineup, brought some defensive stability to the team. He also praised his players for taking their chances, which he said was the difference maker in this match. "With the inclusion of two of our backbone coming back here, which are Samba and (Hasani Flemming), that made us a bit sturdier and stronger inside," Clarke said. "What really happened is that we finished the chances that we had. That was the main difference with his game than in game 1," he added.

Goalkeeper of St. Paul's Jamal Jeffers said Village wanted it more than his team, and they have to regroup for game 3. "Village wanted it more and they ended up getting the game. We tried to stay in the game as much as possible...Maybe the road to glory is supposed to be a little bit harder than expected so we just look forward to Friday's game," Jeffers said. The winner of Friday's game three will be crowned the 2023 SKNFA Premier League champions.



Village Superstars Dahjal Kelly, shields the ball from Nicquan Phipps of St. Paul's during their Game 2 encounter at Warner Park on Tuesday.

forward to their continued development and success of contributions to the West Indies cricket.