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Editorial

A Call to Action: Conserve Water in St. Kitts and Nevis

Water is the essence of life. It sustains our bodies, nourishes our crops, powers our businesses and maintains the natural ecosystems that underpin our planet's health.

Despite its fundamental importance though, water is often taken for granted, and its conservation is frequently overlooked.

Every drop of water wasted is a lost resource that could have served countless vital purposes. When we leave taps running, take excessively long showers or ignore leaks, we are not just wasting water - we are squandering a valuable commodity that many of our neighbors desperately need.

The government of St. Kitts and Nevis has been proactive in addressing water shortages in affected communities. The recent commissioning of a new well in Cayon marked a significant step towards improving water access. This well is expected to alleviate the chronic water shortages experienced by residents for years and ensure a more reliable water supply. Such initiatives are crucial, but they must be complemented by individual efforts to conserve water.

Conserving water in our daily lives does not require

drastic changes since simple adjustments can make a major difference.

Three practical steps everyone can take are 1. Fix Leaks: Repairing leaks promptly is one of the easiest and most effective ways to conserve water, 2. Mindful Usage: Turn off the tap while brushing teeth or washing dishes. Only run dishwashers and washing machines with full loads and 3. Outdoor Conservation: Water gardens during early morning or late evening to minimize evaporation.

Water conservation is a collective responsibility that requires the participation of individuals,

communities, businesses and the government.

As we look to the future, it is clear that water conservation must be a priority. By valuing and protecting our water resources, we can ensure that future generations in St. Kitts and Nevis have a steady access to the water they need to thrive. The changes we make today, however small, will contribute to a more sustainable and secure tomorrow.

In conclusion, let us not take water for granted. Every drop counts. By embracing water conservation in our everyday lives, we can protect this invaluable resource and build a healthier, more resilient nation. The government's efforts, like the new well in Cayon, are vital steps, but it is up to all of us to make water conservation a way of life.

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A.D. 2024**

In the Estate of ALICE VICTORIA WARNER
Late of Church Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF PROBATE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by Winston Sidney Taylor of 5-37 Estate Fortuna, St. Thomas, VI 00802 for a Grant of Probate to the applicant who is the son of the deceased, the deceased having died on the 26th day of December, 2010.

Any person having an objection to the Grant of Probate with the Will Annexed to the Applicant shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 18th day of April 2024

Dr. Dennis Merchant
Merchant and Associates
Attorney-at-Law for the Applicant

Filed by Dr. Dennis Merchant of Merchant and Associates Law Office, 28 Shear Lane, Basseterre, St. Kitts
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SKNLP Conference Guest Speaker Addresses Importance of Ongoing Political Connection

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE, St.Kitts (Tuesday 21st May 2024)-"As I said at the beginning, there is a difference between governance and politics. But don't make the mistake of forgetting the political work. When in government, keep in touch with the people in good and bad times."

So said Dr. Dayton Campbell, General Secretary of the People's National Party (PNP) from Jamaica while speaking in the capacity as guest speaker at the 92nd annual national conference of the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party (SKNLP) on Sunday 19th May 2024 at Manhattan Gardens in Lime Kiln, Basseterre, held under the theme **'Live, Work, Prosper: Together.'**

"I want, from where I stand, to congratulate you. On returning to government, I want to congratulate your supporters who stuck with the party in good and in bad times," he added.

He emphasized the distinction between politics and governance, underscoring the importance of using political power responsibly once in office.

"Let me hasten to say that there is a huge difference between politics and governance. Politics is what we will use to get a chance to govern. But when we get a chance to govern, we must never use it to play politics. We must use it to transform the lives of our children. Our people regardless of who they support who they

know the circumstances of their birth or any other myopic view that seeks to divide us as a people..."

Reflecting on the shared experiences of political parties, both in St. Kitts and Nevis and Jamaica, Dr. Campbell emphasized the importance of unity. "As a political party, you have won and you have lost. So have we in Jamaica. We have learned a lesson that we must stick together. Every now and then, it is appropriate to remind ourselves why we call ourselves comrades. Comrades, unity is strength. Do not lose it. Be deliberate in maintaining it. It is always better to be in government than in opposition. It is always better to be in government than to be in opposition."

In stressing the ongoing need for political engagement and connection with the populace, he commented "And the most important thing that you need to stay in government is to be united in your cause in carrying out the mission of the people."

Dr. Campbell, a trained-medical doctor, began his speech by addressing the common question of why someone would leave a career in medicine for the often challenging world of politics. "People who ask, why politics?



Prime Minister and Leader of the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party (SKNLP) Dr. Terrance Drew (right) and Guest speaker Dr. Dayton Campbell, General Secretary of the People's National Party (PNP) from Jamaica picture at the 92nd annual national conference held on Sunday 19th May 2024 (Credit: Facebook/Hon.Dr.TerranceDrew)

Why would you leave medicine to go into politics where it can be toxic and guttural? My answer has always been the same. Politics is the vehicle that we use to transform the society. A civil society group can champion a cause. The church can and should champion

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Section of Audience at the 92nd annual national conference of the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party (SKNLP) on Sunday 19th May 2024 (Screenshot via Facebook/St.Kitts-NevisLabour Party)

Ras Iya Comments On Importance Of Honouring African Heritage and Unity

By: Spokesman Newsroom
BASSETERRE, St.Kitts (Wednesday 22nd May 2024)-Public Relations Officer of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order Samande ‘Ras Iya’ Reid recently emphasized the significance of celebrating the annual African Liberation Day (observed on 25th May) here in St.Kitts and Nevis.

“We would like to bring the indication of really why we celebrate African Liberation Day. It is a standard that has been applied by the thirty-two (32) African countries in 1963 to outline the stand against the colonial movement,” Ras Iya stated during an interview with this media house on Wednesday 22nd May 2024 in promoting the annual week of activities to mark the occasion, from May 19th to 26th under the theme ‘Forging Caribbean African Integration through Trade and Diplomacy.’

He explained that the celebration is rooted in the historical efforts to uplift African people globally and to foster development and social progress.

“This was some of the indication to rise and raise African people to the permanence of being a people in this world and sharing betterment and development and social affairs that incorporate towards human index.”

Ras Iyah elaborated on the historical context of African Liberation Day, noting the importance of the 1963 charter signed by 32 African nations, saying: “So, that’s why we see at this point in time, we should be able to acknowledge the sacrifice of those who promoted the history for African people to be free and be able to see how we can contribute.”

Of note, the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order has been organising the celebrations for over 20 years.

Ras Iya described this year’s theme as highly informative and geared towards fostering community enhancement and integration among African descendants.

“The theme is something that is very informative, that brings us to align with how we can coordinate and bring more community enhancement to all. All people, as African here and African in the continent.”

He highlighted the importance of forging ties through trade and diplomacy, particularly in the context of Caribbean and African integration. “Now we say forging Caribbean African integration through trade and diplomacy. We know that there are some countries that have been plied from having diplomatic ties with the East, so we are able to enhance that not just looking at the context of our Caribbean brothers and sisters but the wider section of the Western Hemisphere.”

He envisions a broader scope of cooperation that includes South, Central and North America, aiming for sustainable advancement in various sectors. “So we can be able to have some

kind of impact and how we can go in stabilizing and having a betterment for sustainable advancement within both of our capacity as in the region and in the continent.”

Ras Iya mentioned a recent initiative by Morocco that allows Caribbean students to study at Moroccan universities as an example of such beneficial programs. “Because we now know that Morocco has just recently launched an educational format where we have students now from the Caribbean shores can apply to have studies in the Moroccan university.”

Additionally, he underscored the importance of building trust and sharing ideas among African communities worldwide.

“These are some of the initiatives that we would like to see faster and bring into our people, not just here in St. Kitts and Nevis, but as we say the wider part of the West of the Americas, so we can be able to captivate how we can share ideas and build trust to one another as African brothers and sisters.”

Activities for the week included Gravesite visits to fallen martyrs (20th May), a panel discussion on Freedom FM (21st May), Island Wide distribution of food hampers to elderly and need (22nd May), Donation of African I Story Books to students at the Dr. William Connor Primary School, and upcoming “Celebration of African Culture at Independence Square (24th May), Solidarity Rally at Independence Square (25th May) and a Nyabinghi Groundation Ises at Newcastle Nevis (26th May).

Front Page Image: Public Relations Officer of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order Ras Iya

SKNLP Conference Guest Speaker...

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a cause. But it is politics that determines the type of society we live in and what we will leave to our children. It behooves us, therefore, to not only get involved, but to ensure that we remain true to ourselves. It is our mission, for the good we can do, to live, work, prosper, together.”

Dr. Campbell praised the SKNLP’s numerous accomplishments in various sectors including in tourism, education, health care and agriculture, saying “This is transformative.”

He went on to highlight the need for recognition and appreciation of the efforts made by the current administration

whilst adding “but there are several times that we don’t appreciate who we have. There are several times that we look at others and we think that the grass is greener on the other side. But when I see some big items in terms of your minimum wage being one of the highest. I look at the pension reform, financial education and savings

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In the Estate of **LENFORD C. R. GUMBS**, of Walwyn Avenue, Buckley’s Site in the Parish of St. George in the Island of St. Christopher, Deceased.

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **GEORGINA N. GUMBS** of Suncrest Housing Development, in the Parish of St. George in the Island of Saint Christopher, for a Grant of Letters of Adminsitration, to her as the mother of the deceased who died intestate on the 22nd July, 2018 in Saint Kitts.

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

Dated this 16th day of May, 2024.

Innis and Inniss
INNISS AND INNISS
Attorney-at-Law for the Estate of
LENFORD C. R. GUMBS,
Deceased.

Filed by: Inniss and Inniss, Attorneys-at-Law whose address for service is 11A Chambers, Cayon Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts.

program I pause and say you have got to hold on to what you’ve got. A financial literacy program will be a part of breaking the cycle of intergenerational poverty. And so I want to commend and love the work that the efforts of Prime Minister Dr. Drew and his A-Team and I say this is progress and not just promises.”

Encouraging the SKNLP to remain focused and undeterred by criticism, Dr. Campbell urged the team to continue their transformative work.

“I encourage the team that is ably led by Dr. Drew to be bold, to be transformative. Leave this Federation better than you found it. Don’t be distracted. Learn to ignore the vitriol and press on with the work of people. All some of them attack. Dr. Drew tell them, you are a stepper! Some will criticise you falsely. Some will tear you down. Respond with work and the love for the people and let them know that we are not the same.”

Front Banner Image: Dr. Dayton Campbell, General Secretary of the People’s National Party (PNP) from Jamaica while he delivered the guest speaker address at the 92nd annual national conference of the St. Kitts-Nevis Labour Party (SKNLP) on Sunday 19th May 2024 (Screenshot via Facebook/St.Kitts-NevisLabour Party)

Survey: Mostly Single-Parent Families In SKN

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St.Kitts (Wednesday 21st May 2024)- The most representative type of family in St. Kitts and Nevis, according to the latest population and housing census survey, is the single-parent household.

Such demographic insight was spotlighted by Senior Community Development Officer Mrs. Erslyn Bridgewater when quizzed by interviewer Ian Richards during an edition of 'InFocus' aired live on radio and television by the St. Kitts-Nevis Information Service (SKNIS) on Wednesday 22nd May 2024.

"Well, dealing with the preliminary reports from the last population and housing census, it was reported that most of the nation's households are headed by single-parent families," she commented.

This media house understands that the last survey of that nature was done in 2023.

Bridgewater and her colleague, Lead Officer for Family Month 2024, Haniff Charles, discussed the theme "Strengthening Families for a Better Society."

As gathered, this demographic shift significantly influences how the Department of Community Development and Social Services tailors its programs and interventions.

According to Charles "...so having that information in terms of the structure of the families here in St. Kitts and Nevis, that is critical information to have as it actually would guide how we would work as community development officers. Because we do intervene in the communities. It determines how we would work with that particular group of persons, the family."

He further detailed the unique difficulties faced by single-parent families: "... so when you look at the nuclear family, as Mrs. Bridgewater would have indicated, you have two parents in the household and you have the children. And in that, you can look at the economic aspect of it, in that you have two incomes. In most cases, you would have two. You have two incomes coming in to sustain the family. The family has a better structure, a better standing when it comes to the economic aspect of it as opposed to the single family, where there's, of course, one single income coming in, it's a little bit more difficult to manage the family and to provide for the family in that instance."

Charles added, "So that is one of the major challenges. Of course, there are others as it relates to the emotional well-being of the family through the loss, or the absence rather, of the other parent. There are other aspects that we can look at, but primarily when you look at our conversations or interactions with the families in the communities, that is one of the major challenges."

In response to these challenges, the department implements various social protection programs, he shared, "And it's a very interesting approach that we have. So, from our end, from the department end, we, of course, strive to strengthen the family. So,



where there are issues in the family, we try to provide interventions for those. One of the major interventions would be our social protection programs. Where, in cases where the family is unable to provide, as I mentioned, the economic challenges that exist in the family, there is the LIFT [Livelihood Improvement Family Transformation] program. Of course, there's also the food voucher program. Of course, there are other challenges that do arise in the family. You might have a death or you might have medical interventions - and those can be very costly. So, we do have the medical assistance that we provide as well as the burial assistance."

He continued, "From a community development officer standpoint, our primary focus is to go out into the communities again and find out what the problems are. From doing that, we create what is called a needs assessment, a community needs assessment where we list all of the challenges. And, of course,

because community development is a bottom-up approach, we engage the community. We empower the community residents to find a solution for these problems. Now, the social protection programs that you mentioned, I just wanted to be clear, they're not only accessible to families that are single-headed by single parents. Those are families that are, who are raised by their grandchildren or childless families."

During the interview, Bridgewater provided a comprehensive overview of the different family types present in St. Kitts and Nevis.

"The term family, in its simplest form, is defined as a group of two or more persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption who live together," she began.

She elaborated on the various family structures. She informed that types of families. The most notable one is the nuclear family, which consists of two parents, usually married or in a common-law relationship, and their children. Another type is the single-parent family, where one parent raises one or more children alone, often due to never marrying, divorce, or widowhood. There are also extended families, childless families, stepfamilies and grandparent families.

Of note, as the Department of Community Development and Social Services observes Family Month-from Mother's Day to Father's Day-a variety of activities have been organized to address and celebrate family dynamics within the community.

Front Page Image: Senior Community Development Officer Erslyn Bridgewater (right) and Lead Officer for Family Month 2024, Haniff Charles seen while appearing on an edition of 'InFocus' aired live on radio and television by the St. Kitts-Nevis Information Service (SKNIS) on Wednesday 22nd May 2024. (SKNIS Image)



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St. Kitts And Nevis' Prime Minister Amplifies His Call For Urgent Action Against Climate Change At The Global Sustainable Island Summit

BASSETTERRE, St. Kitts, May 22, 2024 (SKNIS) - Prime Minister of St. Kitts and Nevis, the Honourable Dr. Terrance Drew, delivered an insightful address at the opening session of the 2024 Global Sustainable Island Summit, in which he reiterated his call for joint urgent action against the existential threats to small island states posed by climate change.

The May 21-23 Global Sustainable Island Summit, taking place on Prince Edward Island, Canada, has assembled professionals, researchers, policymakers, industry leaders, and students, for wide-range discussions focused on promoting sustainable development for islands globally.

"There is no island that, on its own, can insulate itself from the burning heat, the economic and non-economic loss, the disappearance of our cultural heritage, the deterioration of our beaches and the growing mounds of sargassum seaweed swarming our shores," said Prime Minister Dr. Drew, while underscoring his government's own commitment to partnership and solidarity in the global fight against the impact of the climate crisis on island nations.

Dr. Drew also emphasised the need for greater access to financing for small island states, whose contributions to climate change are negligible at best.

"For most of us who are categorised as Small Island Developing States, we are trapped in 'the island paradox'. We are not rich enough, nor are we poor enough to fund our green transition. This is why we as an island community have been active at the UN [United Nations] in seeking an advisory opinion on the climate crisis," said Prime Minister Drew.

He added, "The international financial architecture is neocolonial and in urgent need of restructuring and reform. The survival of the islands is directly linked to an international financial system which allows for fair, just and more reliable access to urgent climate finance and climate crisis response grant funding. This is why we reiterate here among our partners - to work with us to demand and drive change in global finance."

Prime Minister Drew is joined at the meeting by St. Kitts and Nevis' Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Climate Action, the Honourable Dr. Joyelle Clarke; Naemah Hazelle, Permanent Secretary in the Prime Minister's Office; Colincia Levine, Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Environment; High Commissioner of St. Kitts and Nevis to Canada, His Excellency Samuel Berridge, and Eustace Wallace, Minister Counselor, High Commission to Canada.

Prime Minister Dr. Drew is expected to further amplify his call for action at the 4th Global Conference of Small Island Developing States, slated for May 27 to 30, 2024, in St John's, Antigua and Barbuda. The Honourable Dr. Joyelle Clarke will also be in attendance at this conference.

**Conserve Water
Take Shorter Showers**

Minister Douglas Engages with Italian Special Envoy

Basseterre, Saint Kitts (17th May 2024) - The Right Honourable Dr. Denzil Douglas, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Saint Kitts and Nevis, had the pleasure of engaging in a productive meeting with Minister Plenipotentiary Uberto Vanni D'Archirafi, Special Envoy for the Caribbean Countries of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (MAECI).

The meeting focused on enhancing collaboration between Saint Kitts and Nevis and Italy, particularly in the fields of science and technology, and addressing the pressing issue of climate change. As a Small Island Developing State (SIDS), Saint Kitts and Nevis faces significant challenges due to climate change, making these discussions both timely and critical.

A key topic of the meeting was the upcoming 4th International Conference on Small Island Developing States (SIDS4). In this regard, Minister Douglas underscored the importance of Italy's support in advocating for the Multidimensional Vulnerability Index (MVI) at this conference, which is crucial for addressing the unique challenges faced by SIDS.

The long-standing diplomatic relationship between Saint Kitts and Nevis and Italy has been instrumental in tackling issues amplified by external factors. On that note, as the Government of Saint Kitts and Nevis continues to dialogue with Italy, it is hoped that bilateral relations will further flourish, bringing mutual benefits and strengthened cooperation.

Department of Creative Economy RE: Volunteers Wanted' in the Department of Creative Economy: Cultural Heritage.

The Department of Creative Economy - Cultural Heritage Unit is seeking volunteers of all ages for its upcoming ICH Core Knowledge Transfer Camp on (Summer Camp) July 29th, 2024 - August 2nd, 2024, and (Christmas Camp) December 9th, 2024- January 1st, 2025. Volunteers will aid in safeguarding our Intangible Cultural Heritage. The department greatly appreciates the extra helping hands for activities planned for 2024 and beyond. Persons under the age of 17 will need Parents / Guardians' consent. To obtain more information visit our office at the Palms building, The Circus, Basseterre, or call us at 467 1916 or 662 9053.

The link to access the online application can be found below.

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Nominate St. Kitts' Sustainability Champions for the 2024 World Sustainable Travel & Hospitality Awards!

Basseterre, St. Kitts (22 May 2024) - Calling all eco-warriors, innovative businesses, and passionate locals of St. Kitts! The World Sustainable Travel & Hospitality Awards (WSTHA) is searching for the hidden gems that make our destination a haven for responsible tourism.

Are you a locally-owned tour operator showcasing the beauty of our natural resources while preserving them? Perhaps you run an eco-friendly hotel that minimizes its environmental footprint, or your community initiative empowers residents through sustainable practices-this is your chance to be recognized on a global scale!

The World Sustainable Travel & Hospitality Awards (WSTHA) celebrates and rewards individuals and organizations that have significantly impacted sustainable travel. The Awards, which are free to enter, recognize a wide range of sustainability efforts, from innovative waste management solutions to cultural heritage preservation projects.

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Community Notice

The public is invited to a week-long series of special services at the Antioch Baptist Church under the theme Shifting Gears. Services begin on Sunday, May 26 at 6 p.m. featuring guest speaker Reverend Karl Johnson of Jamaica.

The weeknight services then shift to 7 p.m. A special males-exclusive service will be held on Thursday, May 30, while young people are specially invited to the Gears Up Youth Rally on Friday, May 31, at 6 p.m.

featuring Rev. Fr. Thando of South Africa.

All services will be held at the Antioch Baptist Church, Lime Kiln Commercial Development.



Date 15 May 2024

Ref: **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST to Participate in the Engineering, Procurement & Construction Works for the Prime Performing Arts Center (St. Kitts & Nevis)**

To Whom it may concern

Introduction:

Prime Developments LTD, a company duly incorporated in the Island of St. Kitts & Nevis and proud contributor to the Citizenship by Investment program, is honored to announce the commencement of the Approved Public Benefit Project for the design & build of the Prime Performing Arts Center.

Project:

The investment Project to be carried out by Prime Developments includes all the required Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) Works (on turnkey basis) for the realization of an iconic arts center including, but not limited to: (i) indoor and outdoor amphitheatres; (ii) dance, theater, modelling, visual arts, comedy, puppetry, culinary, literary, innovation and gaming dedicated sections; (iii) music and theater schools; coworking areas; (iv) indoor sport facilities and (v) commercial outlets including restaurants and other services.

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Prime Developments invites **all the local and international contractors that are willing to participate** in the engineering and construction Works for the Project to submit their Expression Of Interest (EOI) in the form an official letter, duly signed by the owner / director, with the following information for the prequalification process:

1. The Bidder shall clearly specify in its letter for which activities is willing to participate in the Bid and shall substantiate its **Expression Of Interest** with all the required proof of technical expertise and financial capability as required by Prime Developments in the prequalification process. The categories which shall be considered are the following:
 - a. **EPC Works**, i.e. the Bidder declares that it is interested, technically and financially capable and qualified in carrying out the entire Scope Of Work (SOW) on lumpsum turnkey basis.
 - b. **Selected construction works**, such as:
 - i. Civil Works – Site Preparation
 - ii. Civil Works – Roads and Paving
 - iii. Civil Works – Foundations and Buildings
 - iv. Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing Works

The Bidders are invited to represent the actual capability of their organization and to provide all the required information accordingly.

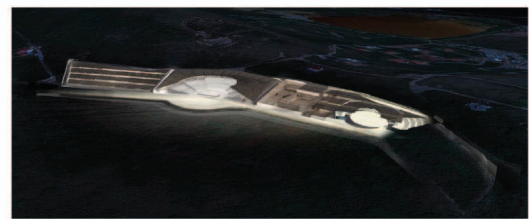
2. A copy of the Company Registration and associated Licenses shall be attached to the letter. Bidders which are not currently registered in St. Kitts and Nevis shall specify how they intend to operate and/or pledge their intention to register their company in St. Kitts and Nevis prior to the contract award.
3. A copy of the Company Profile which specifies the services offered by the Bidder shall be provided.
4. An updated List of completed Projects with a Scope Of Work similar and/or pertinent to the Project shall be provided. The List shall include: (i) project name, (ii) description, (iii) client, (iv) location, (v) years of execution, (vi) value, in USD. Bidders that will not provide the aforementioned data will not be considered for this Bid.
5. An updated List of Resources (manpower and equipment) shall be provided by the Bidder, specifying their current deployment status (i.e. location and project), as applicable.
6. Last 3 years (2021, 2022, 2023) audited Financial Statements. If the audited statement for the year 2023 is not yet available, the Bidder is invited to provide a preliminary copy.
7. The Bidders shall include a dedicated Statement, in the form of Director's note, to pledge their willingness to fulfill all the required local content requirements, which will be specified in the Bid documentation. In line with its mission to promote the socioeconomic development of the Island, Prime Developments reserves the right to set local content requirements which exceed the Law.

The letter shall be issued on company's letterhead and it shall be signed by the dedicated Power Of Attorney. In particular: (i) the EOI letters shall be signed by the owner, as mentioned in the Company Registration / License; (ii) in alternative, the EOI letters can be signed by a director who has been appointed with a duly approved Power Of Attorney, whose copy shall be attached to the EOI letter.

The letters shall be sent in electronic format to the email to alessio.dascenzo@primedevelopments.org

The deadline to receive the EOI letters is 24th June, 2024, 17:00h UTC -4 (ATC, Atlantic Time Zone).

For further information about the Project, please visit the website www.primedevelopments.com and/or contact the phone/WhatsApp +971 50 534 3053



Prime Performing Arts Center Conceptual 2024

Empowering Women Through Tiling:

Department of Gender Affairs,
TDC Home and Building Depot,
and JLPS Primary School Join
Hands for a Transformative
Initiative

Charlestown, Nevis - In a pioneering collaboration aimed at promoting gender equality and practical skill-building, the Department of Gender Affairs, in partnership with TDC Home and Building Depot, has completed a three-week women's tiling workshop.

The primary objective of the training was to empower women by providing them with hands-on experience in a traditionally male-dominated field. By equipping participants with valuable skills in tiling, the initiative aimed to break down societal barriers and



foster a culture of inclusivity and equality.

Over fifteen females from diverse backgrounds across Nevis, received the basic training from experienced Nevisian professionals, Clive Pemberton, and Rohan Walwyn, who taught

the women the fundamentals of tiling, surface preparation, tile layout, cutting techniques, and grouting. Through a combination of two theoretical instructions and one practical application, the participants also gained the confidence and proficiency needed to undertake tiling projects independently.

One of the highlights of the initiative was the renovation of the Grade Five Classroom at Joycelyn Liburd Primary School (JLPS) Primary School in Gingerland. Guided by their newfound skills, the participants collaborated to transform the classroom's floor space, revitalizing the learning environment for students and teachers alike.

Speaking about the initiative, Ms. Catherine Forbes, Research, Data Analyst and Training Officer in the Department of Gender Affairs, expressed profound appreciation for the collaborative effort and underscored the importance of empowering women through skill-building initiatives.

"This workshop represents a significant step towards gender equality and economic empowerment. By providing women with access to training and opportunities in non-traditional fields, we are fostering a more inclusive society where everyone can thrive. It also shows TDCs commitment through its Home and Building Depot, to advancing gender equality, empowering women through education and skill-building," remarked Ms. Forbes.

Similarly, Mr. Colin Freeman, TDC Home and

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OECS Celebrates the Work of Beekeeper in St. Kitts and Nevis on International Day for Biological Diversity

OECS Media Release

May 22, 2024 - The Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS) joins the global community in celebrating International Day for Biological Diversity, recognised annually on May 22. This year’s theme, “Be Part of the Plan,” emphasises the necessity for a collective and coordinated effort to halt and reverse biodiversity loss by 2030. The theme also supports the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework - a global agreement which was adopted during the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP 15) following a four year consultation and negotiation process. This global agreement also contributes to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals and sets out an ambitious pathway to reach the global vision of a world living in harmony with nature by 2050.

Currently, several species in the Caribbean Region - both plant and animal - are critically endangered or face the risk of extinction, mainly because of climate change, diseases, habitat degradation, overexploitation, pollution, and human activity.

As a committed advocate for biodiversity conservation, the OECS is dedicated to protecting and sustaining the diverse ecosystems within its Member States. The

Empowering Women Through Tiling: _____ (cont’d from last page)

Building Depot Manager, lauded the participants for their dedication and enthusiasm throughout the session, while highlighting the value of partnership with the Department of Gener Affairs and the Joycelyn Liburd Primary School (JLPS).

“We are proud to support programs that promote skill development and gender equality. The women all demonstrated remarkable talent and determination, and we are confident that they will continue to excel with their newly found expertise. Our tangible contribution to the community also demonstrates the power of partnership and collective action in driving positive change,” stated Freeman.

This is the second activity organized in recent weeks by TDC and the Department of Gender Affairs. The first being a successful Women’s Car Care Clinic in partnership with the TDC Automotive Division in March, as part of International Women’s Day, which held under the theme, “Invest in Women: Accelerate Progress.”

Picture - Participants in the Women’s Tiling Workshop laying tiles in the Grade 5 Classroom at the Joycelyn Liburd Primary School (JLPS)

FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT CAP. 10:19

A. D. 2023

SKBLRD2024/

IN THE MATTER OF A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE dated 23rd day of April 1981 and registered in Book G2 Folio 58 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 EULEEN ILETHA MINTUS

NOTICE OF LOST CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

NOTICE is hereby given of the Lost Certificate of Title dated the 23rd day of April 1981 and registered in Book G2 Folio 58 of the Register of Titles for the Saint Christopher Circuit which title was issued in the name of **EDWIN SELWYNY** and **BEATRICE HANLEY** are 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 22nd day of May 2024

Chesley Oneal Hamilton

CHESLEY ONEAL HAMILTON

Attorney-at-Law

Organisation’s commitment is bolstered by its strong partnership with the European Union (EU), which is actively supporting two significant projects aimed at conserving biodiversity in the region:

1. The Biodiversity Support for ACP Coastal Environments Project (BioSPACE)
2. The Integrated Landscape Management Project (ILM)

Both projects reflect the shared vision of the OECS and the EU to promote sustainable environmental practices and enhance the resilience of marine and terrestrial biodiversity and more broadly coastal, marine and terrestrial ecosystems.

In recognition of International Biodiversity Day, the OECS is pleased to announce the release of a new mini documentary titled, “Apiculture at Produce Delight in St. Kitts and Nevis.” This documentary highlights the inspiring story of Otis Jeffers, a dedicated farmer and apiculturist. Jeffers is the owner of Produce Delight and the manager of Bee the Buzz of the Reserve Apiary. His work exemplifies the integration of agricultural practices with sustainable beekeeping, showcasing a model of biodiversity conservation in action. The documentary offers a sneak peak into Jeffers’ apiary and farm operations, illustrating the vital role that apiculture plays in supporting biodiversity and agricultural productivity and most importantly in food security.

The United Nations released a statement recognising International Biodiversity Day, which stated: “This year, the theme of the International Day for Biological Diversity is ‘Be Part of the Plan.’ This is a call to action to encourage governments, indigenous peoples and local communities, non-governmental organizations, lawmakers, businesses, and individuals to highlight the ways in which they are supporting the implementation of the Biodiversity Plan. Everyone has a role to play and therefore can be part of the plan.”

The OECS Director General, Dr. Didacus Jules echoed this call to action, stating: “International Biodiversity Day serves to poignantly remind of the urgent need to save - through conservation and sustainable use - the rich and diverse ecosystems within the OECS. By recognising and addressing the threats to biodiversity, we can collectively work towards ensuring the sustainability and resilience of our natural environment for future generations. With partnerships and innovative projects, the commitment to conserve biodiversity on the part of the OECS alludes equally to the path of determination and commitment with the invaluable natural heritage of our region.”

This day serves as a reminder that by working together, we can ensure a sustainable and vibrant future for all.

Sagicor Financial Company Ltd. celebrates Top Performers under theme of 'Invictus'

Bridgetown, Barbados: On a night where excellence was celebrated, Sagicor Financial Company Ltd., toasted the exceptional work and top performance of its leading Advisors and Administrative (Admin.) team members across its Group of Companies during its Group annual awards ceremony. Held at the Hyatt Regency in Trinidad and Tobago on Saturday, May 18th, under the theme Invictus, the distinguished event saw the best of the financial services entity, shine. Sales Advisors took home awards in several key categories, and Advisors Gregory Lyder of Aruba, Sophia Howard of Barbados and Jeden Samuel of Antigua and Barbuda were two-time winners, taking home awards in the categories of Leading Advisor,



The coveted Sagicorian Manager of the Year award went to Assistant Vice President, Human Resources, Calvin Husbands of Barbados. Here he accepts his award from Kathryn Jenkins, Chief Financial Officer, Sagicor Financial Company Limited.



(Above): (from left) Kathryn Jenkins, Chief Financial Officer, Sagicor Financial Company Ltd, presents Krishaun Dunkley, Pensions Administrator, Jamaica with her award for Sagicorian Employee of the Year.



(Above): Group Contributor of the Year went to Senior Process Analyst, Dominic Medford of Trinidad and Tobago. Here he accepts his award from Lynda Gauthier, Chief Risk Officer and Chief Sustainability Officer, Sagicor Financial Company Ltd.

Cases, Leading Advisor, First Year Commission or Annualized Premium Income and Leading Advisor, Conservation or Persistency.

Brizane Best of Barbados took home the award for Group Pioneer of the Year, while the Group's Contributor of the Year went to Dominic Medford of Trinidad and Tobago. The most prestigious awards of the evening, the Sagicorian Employee of the Year, and the Sagicorian Manager of the Year, were won by Krishaun Dunkley of Jamaica and Calvin Husbands of Barbados, respectively, to much pomp, pageantry, and cheers from a packed Hyatt Ballroom.

In his address to awardees, President and CEO, Andre Mousseau, expressed appreciation, noting that Invictus speaks to the resilience and determination of the human spirit. "As the highest of performers in



The Group Pioneer of the Year award went to Manager, Portfolio and Risk Analytics, Brizane Best of Barbados who accepted his award from Lynda Gauthier, Chief Risk Officer and Chief Sustainability Officer, Sagicor Financial Company Ltd.

Sagicor, you give life to what it means to be unconquered and undefeated, and you embody the essence of Invictus. Over the last year, you've faced challenges head on and determined your own outcome with resolve and courage. I am proud to lead a team that define themselves by these qualities."

Case Number :NEVHCV2021/0092

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HIGH COURT
ST. CHRISTOPHER / NEVIS
(NEVIS CIRCUIT)

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

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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
(CIVIL)**

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CLAIM NO. NEVHCV2021/0092

Fees Paid:12.00

**IN THE MATTER OF SECTION
75 OF THE TITLE BY
REGISTRATION ACT, CAP
10.19**

-and-

**IN THE MATTER of an Application
to settle the Articles of Sale of the
Respondent's property comprised
in a Certificate of Title dated the
25th day of April, 2012, registered
in Book 50 Folio 101 of the
Register of Titles for the island of
Nevis.**

BETWEEN:

TDC FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPANY LIMITED

APPLICANT

-and-

THE ESTATE OF EUSTACE COLIN WALLACE

RESPONDENT

NOTICE OF SALE

The property described below will be offered for sale by the Registrar of the High Court by Public Auction at the Theodore L. Hobson QC Court Building, Prince William & Main Street, Charlestown, Nevis, on Thursday the 6th day of June 2024, at 2:00 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/her accepted bid and the balance within one month from the date of the sale. Possession of the property will be given to the Purchaser on payment of the deposit. Any taxes due on the said 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. The property will be available for inspection prior to the date of sale by appointment with the Registrar of the High Court.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

ALL THAT 5,065 square feet of land known as Lot 5 (Sugar Mill Grove) with house situate thereon situate at Hamilton Estate in the parish of St. Paul in the island of Nevis bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say:- On the North by Lot No. 3, 100.06 feet; On the East by the Public Road 50.63 feet; On the South by Lot No. 7, 100.03 feet and on the West by lands of Hamilton Estate 50.63 feet and containing by admeasurement 5,065 square feet.

UPSET PRICE

The upset price for the above property shall be EC\$333,000.00.

Dated the 15th day of May 2024

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Prime Minister Dr. Drew Attends RUSVM Commencement Ceremony In Miami

Basseterre, St. Kitts, May 17, 2024 (SKNIS): Prime Minister of St. Kitts and Nevis, the Honourable Dr. Terrance Drew, is currently off-island attending the Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine (RUSVM) Commencement Ceremony in Miami, U.S.A. today, May 17.

This significant event celebrates the achievements of graduates who have earned their Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, Master of Science by Research, Master of Science by Coursework in One Health, or PhD degrees.



PM Drew delivers remarks at the Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine (RUSVM) Commencement Ceremony in Miami

Prime Minister Drew was invited by Dr. Sean Callanan, Dean of RUSVM. Dr. Drew said that he is honoured to be a member of the platform party and is looking forward to delivering remarks to the graduates. In his remarks, the prime minister is expected to emphasise the importance of their accomplishments and the role of education in driving positive change.

“It is a privilege to join this esteemed gathering and to witness the conferral of degrees upon these deserving graduates. Their dedication and hard work have prepared them to make significant contributions to the field of veterinary medicine and beyond,” stated Prime Minister Drew. “RUSVM’s presence in St. Kitts is a testament to the strong ties between our Federation and the educational institution, and our shared commitment to advancing knowledge and fostering innovation.”

The RUSVM campus in St. Kitts continues to play a vital role in the academic and professional landscape, providing opportunities for students from around the world to excel in veterinary medicine and related fields. The annual Commencement Ceremony is a highlight of the academic calendar, bringing together leadership, faculty, colleagues, family, and friends to celebrate the achievements of the graduates.



THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
A.D. 2024
(PROBATE)

PROBATE NO. SKBHPB2024/

In the estate of **ADRIAN LAWRENCE LAM** late of The Grange, Cayon Street,
Basseterre, in the Island of Saint Christopher, deceased

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **SANDRA PATRICIA BERRIDGE** of Atlantic View, Frigate Bay, in the Island of Saint Christopher, Real Estate Agent for a Grant of

(a) Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the sister of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 21st day of April, 2024.

ANY PERSON having any objection to the grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

DATED this 23rd day of May, 2024.

Sonya Parry
Attorney-at-Law
GONSALVES PARRY

Case Number :SKBHPB2024/0071

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
A.D. 2024
(PROBATE)

PROBATE NO. SKBHPB2024/

In the estate of **THOMAS AUSTIN ST. CLAIR BRIDGEWATER** also known as **AUSTIN BRIDGEWATER**, late of Frigate Bay, in the Island of Saint Christopher, deceased

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **WAYNE BERKELEY BRIDGEWATER** of 27342 Sweetspire Terrace Place, Murrieta, CA 92562, United States of America, Sales Executive for a Grant of

(a) Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the son of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 13th day of December, 2021.

ANY PERSON having any objection to the grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

DATED this 23rd day of May, 2024.

Sonya Parry
Attorney-at-Law
GONSALVES PARRY

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ST. CHRISTOPHER / NEVIS
(ST. KITTIS CIRCUIT)

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SCHOOLS RECEIVE AWARDS FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN SCHOOL SAFETY

Basseterre, St. Kitts, Friday, May 17, 2024: The Model Safe School Programme hosted an award ceremony to celebrate the efforts of schools in St. Kitts and Nevis to create a secure and conducive learning environment. The award ceremony held on Thursday, May 16, also marked the closing of the Safe School Programme launched on February 15, 2024.

Dr. Tricia Esdaille, Senior Assistant Secretary in the Ministry of Education, gave an overview of the Programme.

“Through the Model Safe School Recognition Programme, a series of tools have been developed to help guide schools to think about ways to plan for emergencies and disasters and to ensure that the essential things that are needed are present in the schools so that when they practice and they do drills, they can improve on it.”

Mr. Fiaz Shah, Education Officer, UNICEF, shared.

“Safe School is the UN’s life ship programme and we are trying to promote the safety and security of children in the long run through a strategic programme. I am so grateful for CDEMA’s and the Ministry of Education’s efforts. Some of the needs that arise because of the plan can be included in the school’s improvement plan and can also be included in UNICEF’s support.”

Education Officer, Lester Richards, reported on Safe School Recognition and Assessment and noted that the schools have recognized the need for safety and have ensured that the safety protocols are put in place.

The ceremony honoured schools across four levels of achievement, recognizing their dedication to safety and emergency preparedness.

- Level 4 Awards:**
- Charles E. Mills Secondary School
 - Saddlers Primary School
 - Violet O. Jeffers Nichols Primary School
 - Gingerland Secondary School

- Level 3 Awards:**
- Washington Archibald High School
 - Cotton Thomas Comprehensive
 - St. Thomas Primary School

- Level 2 Awards:**
- Newton Ground Primary School
 - Sandy Point Primary School
 - Tyrell Williams Primary School
 - Charlestown Primary School
 - Cecele Browne Integrated School
 - St. John’s Preschool

- Level 1 Award:**
- Tucker Clark Primary School

Gratitude was expressed by Mr. Oronde Lambert, Representative for CDEMA and UNICEF.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all our partners including the Ministry of Education, the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), UNICEF, and the numerous stakeholders who have played a pivotal role in advancing the safe school programme. Your unwavering commitment, collaboration, and support have been instrumental in supporting school safety and resilience across the Caribbean region.

The Safe Schools Recognition Programme, a joint effort by the Ministry of Education St. Kitts and Nevis, CDEMA, and UNICEF, aims to foster secure learning environments through comprehensive assessments and targeted interventions.

Save Water

Case Number :SKBHPB2024/0066

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ST.CHRISTOPHER / NEVIS

(ST.KITTS CIRCUIT)

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

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A. D. 2024

(PROBATE)

Fees Paid:52.00

In the Estate of BERNADINE LEADER late of Cayon, St. Kitts, deceased.

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

TAKE NOTICE that an Application has been filed by MERVYN PETER LEADER a retiree of 25-51 98 Street, East Elmhurst, New York, United States of America, 11369.

For a Grant of Letters of Administration to the Applicant who is the nephew of the deceased having died intestate on the 31st day of December, 1997.

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

Dated this 9th day of May, 2024.

HENDERSON LAW CHAMBERS

Attorneys-at-Law for the Estate of BERNADINE LEADER

Filed by: Brittney S. Jeffers Attorney-at-Law of HENDERSON LAW 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. The Registry is at Sir Lee Llewellyn Moore Judicial and Legal Services Complex, East Independence Square Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts, telephone number (869) 465-2009, facsimile number (869) 465-2482. The Office is open between 8:00 am to 3:30 pm Mondays to Fridays except Public Holidays.

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SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

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(PROBATE)

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In the Estate of DORIS VIVIANNE SHEPPARD late of Victoria Road, St. Kitts, deceased.

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

TAKE NOTICE that an Application has been filed by BERTRAM RICHARDS a Tour Operator of Bird Rock, St. Kitts.

For a Grant of Letters of Administration to the Applicant who is the grandson of the deceased having died intestate on the 28th day of October, 1990.

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

Dated this 29th day of April, 2024.

HENDERSON LAW CHAMBERS

Attorneys-at-Law for the Estate of DORIS VIVIANNE SHEPPARD

Filed by: Brittney S. Jeffers Attorney-at-Law of HENDERSON LAW CHAMBERS, Suite 7, The Sands Complex, Bay Road, Basseterre, St. Kitts. Telephone Number: (869) 465-6242.

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OECS Equips Consumer Affairs Departments with Tablets for Increased Consumer Rights Protection

OECS Media Release

Consumer affairs departments across the Protocol Member States were supplied with tablet computers (tablets) from the OECS Commission to upgrade and transform their service capabilities. The initiative was driven by the growing need for efficient communication and accessibility in today's fast-paced digital age.

Recognising this need, the OECS Commission under the 11th European Development Fund Regional Integration Through Growth Harmonisation and Technology (RIGHT) programme has collaborated with the consumer affairs departments to equip their price surveillance staff with tablets, enhancing their ability to deliver swift and responsive assistance to consumers. The tablets supplied boast advanced features designed to streamline workflow processes and improve overall productivity. With user-friendly interfaces and robust security measures, they provide consumer

affairs personnel with the tools to efficiently monitor prices, handle consumer inquiries, resolve disputes, and further ensure consumer rights protection.

"We are excited to partner with the consumer affairs departments in their mission to uphold consumer rights and promote fair business practices," said Director General, Dr. Didacus Jules.

"By leveraging the features available in these tablets, we aim to empower consumer affairs professionals with the technological edge needed to deliver prompt and effective services to consumers, ultimately fostering trust and confidence in the marketplace. Consumer affairs departments are now poised to elevate their service standards and better serve the needs of consumers throughout the region."

The deployment of these tablets underscores the OECS Commission's commitment to driving innovation and fostering digital transformation in government agencies. In addition to the tablets, the OECS Commission under the RIGHT Programme plans to develop and implement an OECS Consumer Protection Portal. The initiative will offer an information communication technology (ICT) solution that can support institutional strengthening, public education, quality of service, and efficiency of consumer affairs departments.

The portal is intended to help improve the dissemination of consumer information and support the overall improvement of the consumer protection environment and economic space within the



Eastern Caribbean Economic Union (ECCU). It is expected to have the capability of operating as a repository for consumer protection-related data such as controlled prices, complaints, and information related to consumer affairs such as policies and laws.

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

Construction of National Outreach Centre at Pine Gardens Commercial Development

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday 13th May 2024 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each.

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

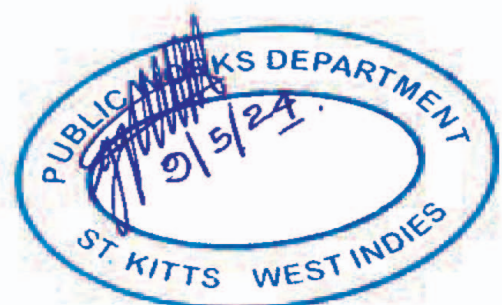
**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Tuesday 25th June, 2024**

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS



Ministry of Foreign Affairs in support of African Liberation Day celebrations

BASSETTERRE, ST. KITTS, May 23, 2024 (MMS-SKN) — In celebration of the 61st Anniversary of African Liberation Day through a week of activities (May 19-26) under the theme 'Forging Caribbean African Integration through Trade and Diplomacy', the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order has received a major boost from the Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

"I would like to thank the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order and the Rastafarian community for being a consistent force over decades that have kept the torch ablaze in the celebration of our history and our African heritage," said Ambassador in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Her Excellency Nerys Dockery. "You have been unfailing and unwavering in your commitment, year in and year out and this is truly commendable."

Her Excellency Dockery, who is the former Ambassador of St. Kitts and Nevis to the United Nations, made the remarks on Tuesday May 21 when she appeared on the popular Freedom FM's Issues Programme, along with the PRO of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order, Mr Samande 'Ras Iya' Reid.

African Liberation Day, pointed out the Ambassador, was set aside to celebrate the achievement and progress of liberation movements around the continent and across the world to symbolise the determination of the people of Africa to free themselves from foreign domination and exploitation.

Caribbean leaders and scholars have always been a part of the pan-Africanist movement, she pointed out. Among them Marcus Garvey of Jamaica, George Padmore and CLR James of Trinidad and Tobago, Amy Ashwood Garvey of Jamaica, Ras Makonnen of British Guyana, who stood alongside their African brothers and sisters, among them Nnamdi Azikiwe of Nigeria, Wallace Johnson of Sierra Leone, Jomo Kenyatta of Kenya, and Kwame Nkrumah of Ghana.

Through the short-lived West Indies Federation, which tried to create a political and economic union among the colonies of the British Empire and the Caribbean, St. Kitts and Nevis played a role as the Founding Father, the Rt. Excellent Sir Robert Llewellyn Bradshaw, served as Finance Minister.

"So, as we see, St. Kitts and Nevis, despite our small size, has always played a huge and dynamic leadership role in the evolution of regional integration and the advancement of the black power movement in the Caribbean," said Ambassador Dockery.

She added: "And we continue to be



Ambassador in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Her Excellency Nerys Dockery, and PRO of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order, Mr Samande 'Ras Iya' Reid pictured after leaving Freedom FM's studios at The Cable Building in Basseterre.



PRO of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order, Mr Samande 'Ras Iya' Reid, distributing food hampers on Wednesday May 22.



Distribution of food hampers to the elderly and the need by the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order was an island-wide drive, touching most communities on the island.

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OECS Equips Consumer Affairs Departments with Tablets for Increased Consumer Rights Protection

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The following are some of the proposed key features for the OECS Consumer Protection Portal:

A searchable information repository for sharing pertinent information and updates with consumers:

- Consumer Protection Acts and Policies;
- Consumer Rights and Responsibilities;
- Who can file a complaint;
- How a complaint is filed;
- Outline of the process for redress;
- Remedies available;
- Consumer protection contact point;
- Initiative for vulnerable and disadvantaged consumers;
- Non-governmental consumer organisations/associations contact; and
- Information about the consumer affairs

Ministry of Foreign Affairs in support...

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a respected voice to this day under the successive administrations, particularly under the leadership of the Rt. Hon Dr Denzil Douglas and now the Hon Dr Terrance Drew.”

The Rt. Hon Dr Douglas now serves as the Senior Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, and according to Ambassador Dockery, St. Kitts and Nevis has engaged in a pivotal way to strengthening and deepening its diplomatic, economic, commercial and people-to-people engagement with the continent and countries of Africa.

According to the PRO of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order, Mr Samande ‘Ras Iya’ Reid, the week of activities started on Sunday 19, with solemn spiritual activities at Old Road River, and on the following day, graveside visits of the fallen martyrs of the Nyabinghi Theocracy Order and of the Rastafarian community.

Ras Iya had earlier on Friday May 17 appeared on WINN FM’s Voices Programme hosted by King Socrates, and for the appearance on Freedom FM’s Issues on Tuesday May 21, which was hosted by Ms Jamiella McPhail, he thanked Ambassador Her Excellency Nerys Dockery for articulating in a significant way the stand of the government of St. Kitts and Nevis.

On Wednesday May 22, there was an island-wide distribution of food hampers to the elderly and the needy, while on Thursday May 23, they made a donation of African I (Black History) Books to the students of the Dr William Connor Primary School.

On Friday May 24, from 11:00 a.m. there will be a celebration of African Culture at Independence Square, which will feature African cuisine, dance, poetry, folklore, and craft. He noted: “Our brothers and sisters from the continent of Africa who are from Nigeria, Ghana, Kenya, and Tanzania, will come and display their national dishes.”

“We will hold the African Liberation Day Solidarity Rally at the Independence Square on Saturday May 25, starting at 1:00 p.m.,” observed Mr Samande ‘Ras Iya’ Reid. “That will be the grand rally on what we call Freedom Day. Our featured speaker will be local historian, Mr Leonard Stapleton, and we have speeches from the different political parties, including the Prime Minister of our Federation the Hon Dr Terrance Drew.”

departments

- * Price control and surveillance management.
- * A searchable database of controlled prices.
- * An online form for consumers to submit complaints.
- * A case management system or platform for tracking and responding to consumer complaints.

Consumer affairs departments’ reception of the tablets will play a key role in preparing and allowing officers to utilize the portal in the field for efficient data/information collection and management.

RSCNPF CONDUCTS SUCCESSFUL SIMULATION EXERCISE IN B'TERRE

On May 22nd, 2024, between the hours of 8AM and 10AM, the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF) conducted a simulation exercise in Basseterre, St. Kitts, the goal of which was to strengthen our preparedness and response capabilities. The exercise involved a mock scenario to test officers’ coordination, tactical, and strategic responses in a high-pressure situation. The exercise was a marked success as it both validated our current emergency response procedures and provided additional data crucial to our continued improvement of our operational readiness.

The RSCNPF is deeply appreciative of the general public’s cooperation as it helped to ensure the exercise’s success. The Force is also tremendously proud of our officers whose stellar execution of safety and security procedures demonstrated their unwavering commitment to the public’s protection. Our efforts to improve upon the existing are ongoing and as such, we will be conducting additional simulation exercises in the near future.

The Force extends sincere gratitude to the St. Kitts - Nevis public for their continued support and cooperation as we continue to prioritise your safety and well-being by way of rigorous training and preparedness initiatives.

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
(PROBATE)
A.D. 2024

In the Estate of **ALDEN DUANE MAYNARD** late of St. Peter’s in the Island of St. Christopher, deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

TAKE NOTICE than an Application has been filed by Najma Hakelia Prentice of No. 12 West Shadwell Housing, Basseterre, for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the daughter of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 6th day of June, 2023.

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 5th day of April, 2024

Lanein K. Blanchette
Attorney-at-Law

Filed by: Lanein K. Blanchette, Blanchette-Burke Law Chambers, Solicitors, whose address for services is No. 56 WADES GARDEN, UNIT 4 Basseterre St. Kitts, for and on behalf of the Applicants whose address for service is the same. Telephone: 1-869-767-2012; Email: Blanchetteburke.law@gmail.com

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Saint Kitts and Nevis’ Permanent Representative to the United Nations Participates in the Caribbean Regional Seminar in Caracas

Caracas, Venezuela (14th May 2024) - The Permanent Representative of Saint Kitts and Nevis to the United Nations (UN), H.E. Dr. Mutryce Williams, accompanied by Minister Counsellor, Ms. Ghislaine Williams participated in the start of the Caribbean Regional Seminar on the implementation of the Fourth International Decade for the Eradication of Colonialism, being convened in Caracas, Venezuela from 14-16 May 2024. The Seminar was held under the theme Pursuing Goals and Addressing needs of the Non-Self-Governing Territories.

The Seminar heard opening remarks from the Chair of the Special Committee, the Permanent Representative of Saint Lucia, H.E. Melissa Rambally and H.E. Delcy Rodriguez Gomez, Executive Vice-President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

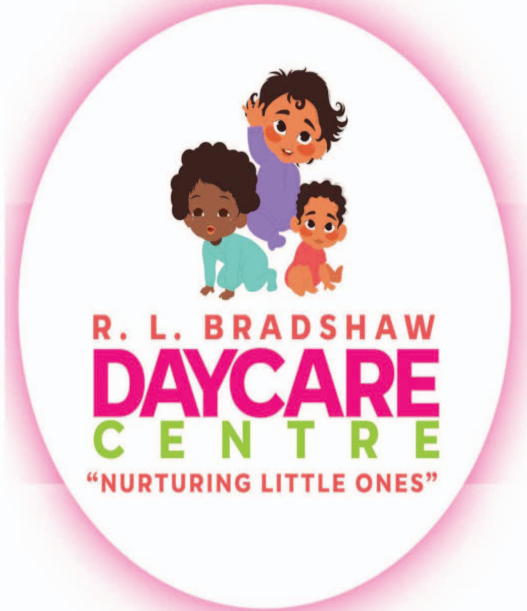
Ambassador Williams delivered a statement under the item: Political developments in the Non-Self-Governing Territories: In

the Caribbean region, in support of the British Virgin Islands aligned with CARICOM Heads and the Caribbean region in general. The Ambassador emphasized that Saint Kitts and Nevis was the most recent country to achieve independence in our region, almost 41 years ago. This period of dormancy is of major concern as the decolonization process appears to have stalled. This is especially significant for the Caribbean region as 7 of the 17 non- self-governing territories recognized by the UN General Assembly are in the Caribbean. Permanent Representative Williams stated that Saint Kitts and Nevis looks forward to the results of the visiting Mission to the BVI with anticipation that it will bring legitimacy to the work of the Special Committee and generate hope for the people of the BVI.

The Ambassador is hopeful that the seminar will be a mechanism to foster meaningful discussions and channel recommendations to ensure that selfdetermination as a fundamental human right will be realized by the remaining non- self-governing territories.

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PROBATE NO. SKBHPB2024/

In the estate of **KATHLEEN ELAINE BRIDGEWATER** also known as **KATHLEEN ELAINE JEFFERS**, late of 14401 Huston St., Sherman Oaks, Los Angeles, CA 91423, United States of America and Frigate Bay, St. Kitts, deceased

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **CAROLANN JULIETTE JEFFERS** of 17412 Ventura Blvd., No. 318, Encino, CA 91316, United States of America, Actress, for a Grant of

(a) Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the daughter of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 24th day of April, 2023.

ANY PERSON having any objection to the grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

DATED this 23rd day of May, 2024.

Sonya Parry
Attorney-at-Law
GONSALVES PARRY

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PROBATE NO. SKBHPB2024/

In the estate of **YVETTE EVADNEY GREAU**X, late of No. 21 Keys Housing Development, Keys, St. Kitts, deceased

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **CALEY KIANA GREAU**X of No. 21 Keys Housing Development, Keys, St. Kitts, Civil Servant, for a Grant of

(a) Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the daughter of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 13th day of February, 2023.

ANY PERSON having any objection to the grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

DATED this 23rd day of May, 2024.

Sonya Parry
Attorney-at-Law
GONSALVES PARRY



A Container Of Plastic Recyclables Exported From Nevis

On Tuesday May 21st, the Nevis Solid Waste Management Authority shipped a container of plastic recyclables off the island at the port in Long Point, Nevis. The shipment is a historic one, and is part of St. Kitts and Nevis Solid Waste Management and Recycling Project, spearheaded by the Taiwan Technical Mission and other allied agencies. Days prior to the container being loaded on the ship following a ceremony at the Sanitary Landfill in Nevis, Taiwan Ambassador to St.

Kitts and Nevis Ambassador Michael Lin, lauded the significance of this milestone achievement. "We have collected more than 200, 000 pounds of recyclables. Most of them are plastics from both islands. Today we witness the first shipment of recyclables, which is a 40ft container (22,000 pounds), which is a milestone for this project," the Ambassador said.

He assured that next phase of the recycling project will happen and may even expand in the coming months, which

includes the collection of cardboards. "Phase two will extend for another three years to collect more recyclables on St. Kitts and Nevis. "It will keep this island clean and attract more tourists to the island," he added.

Meanwhile, Federal Minister of Sustainable Development and Environment, Hon. Dr. Joyelle Clarke, also spoke to the importance of this project and plans to make it a sustainable thrust on both islands. "We couldn't get here without serious attitude and behavioral change, demonstrated by our partners

in the ministry of education; parents, teachers and students, who helped us collect over 120,000 pounds of plastic bottles," she said.

Premier Mark Brantley also highlighted the importance of this milestone achievement. "I don't think the significance can be overstated. We are seeing today something that has never happened in our history and that is the island of Nevis shipping our plastic waste off the island for recycling," he said, adding that the residents and citizens should be proud of this accomplishment. "This is a just such a remarkable day for the island as we talk about a sustainable island state; for me

this is a tangible step forward in realizing that goal," the premier said. The Nevis Solid Waste Management Authority assured that a second container will be exported from Nevis shortly.

Caption: The container with recyclables being loaded on a ship to be exported from Nevis, at the port in Long Point on Tuesday May 21, 2024.

LIQUOR LICENCES ORDINANCES, 1906 SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate, District "B"

To the Superintendent of Police.

I, Paulette Richards now residing Conyers in the village of Old Road do hereby give you notice that it is my intention to apply on 02nd day of July 2024, to the District Magistrate at Sandy Point for a Retail Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in God's Blessings Snackette & Bar in Main Street in Old Road in St. Kitts.

Dated this
10th day of May, 2024.

Signed : Paulette Richards

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Dated this
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Signed : Paulette Richards

LIQUOR LICENCES ORDINANCES, 1906 SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate, District "A"

To the Superintendent of Police.

WE, Anil Babani & Deepa Babani, Directors of Muskaan Inc, now residing in the Harbour View, Bird Rock in town of Basseterre do hereby give you notice that it is our intention to apply on 2nd day of July 2024, to the District Magistrate at Basseterre for a Beer Liquor Licence in respect of our premises in Captain Jack's in Port Zante in Basseterre in St. Kitts.

Dated this
14th day of May, 2024.

Signed: Deepa Babani

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Grandmother becomes oldest international cricketer



Wicketkeeper Sally Barton with the rock of Gibraltar in the background

IMAGE SOURCE, SALLY BARTON

Sally Barton qualified for Gibraltar's women's national team by residency

Timothy Abraham
BBC Sport Journalist
Published BBC Sports

A grandmother of three plans to "play as long as possible" after recently becoming the oldest ever international cricketer.

Wicketkeeper Sally Barton made her debut in Gibraltar's second T20 international against Estonia, external at the age of 66 and 334 days.

"The words 'too old' just aren't in my vocabulary," Barton told BBC Sport.

"I never thought I would play international cricket in my sixties, but it goes to show that you should not let anyone tell you it is time to stop playing sport."

Barton eclipsed the previous record for an International Cricket Council (ICC) sanctioned match which was held by Portugal's Akbar Saiyad.

Mozambique-born Saiyad was 66 years and 12 days when he played a T20 for

Officer who arrested Scheffler is disciplined

Published BBC Sports

The police officer who arrested world number one Scottie Scheffler last week has been disciplined for not activating his body-worn camera.

Scheffler was arrested by Bryan Gillis after trying to drive into Valhalla Golf Club for his second round at the US PGA Championship on 17 May.

The American was charged with second-degree assault, third-degree criminal mischief, reckless driving and disregarding traffic signals from an officer, all of which he denies.

Louisville Metro Police Department Chief Jacquelyn Gwinn-Villaroel said Gillis has received "corrective action"

following an internal investigation to see if policies were correctly followed.

"This corrective action has been notated on a performance observation form which is in line with our disciplinary protocol and practices," said Gwinn-Villaroel.

"We respect the judicial process and we will allow the courts to proceed accordingly."

Scheffler, who finished the US PGA Championship in a tie for eighth, had a court date set for 21 May but that has been pushed back to 3 June.



Scottie Scheffler holds his hat

IMAGE SOURCE, GETTY IMAGES

Scottie Scheffler is a two-time winner of the Masters

the Portuguese against Finland in 2012.

The three-match series between ICC Associate members Gibraltar and Estonia - won 3-0 by the former - was the first time the British Overseas Territory had played a women's T20 international.

Barton is nearly three decades older than Gibraltar's next most senior player with some members of the team still teenagers.

"We play on an artificial pitch in Gibraltar so the bounce can make wicketkeeping tricky at times, but I've developed my unique style," she said.

"I might not be as fast as I used to be, but my endurance and everything is still there. My overriding memory of my debut, though, is the efforts of my team-mates to get that win."

'Two squares of dark chocolate'

Barton did not bat in the match at the Europa Sports Complex - which Gibraltar won convincingly by 128 runs - but performed solidly behind the stumps.

Seven of the 10 Estonian wickets to fall were out lbw, two bowled and one run out which deprived Barton of a catch or stumping but she conceded just a solitary bye.

London-born Barton credits her parents - from Yorkshire and Lancashire - and her twin brother for fostering an early interest in cricket.

Growing up in Ilford she played for Essex at junior level and kept wicket for Nottingham University men's 3rd XI during her student days.

Barton moved to Gibraltar in 2020 after her husband Ian Tarrant, an Anglican priest, was appointed Dean of Gibraltar and she began playing regularly in the men's domestic league on 'The Rock'.

She also keeps herself fit by playing football, badminton, cycling and walking but does have one daily secret to her longevity.

"Two squares of dark chocolate," added Barton, who lectured in mathematics at London School of Economics before retiring shortly after the pandemic.

"I think it's good for the brain, good for the heart and actually keeps the weight off because you're not tempted to nibble on anything else."



Gibraltar women's cricket team

IMAGE SOURCE, SALLY BARTON

Sally Barton, kneeling front row third from the right, with her Gibraltar team-mates

Cricket's elder stateswomen (and men)

Barton eclipsed the previous T20 women's record set by Guernsey's Philippa Stahelin (62 years and 28 days) versus Jersey last year.

The men's T20 record is also held by Gibraltarian - Christian Rocca was 57 years and 67 days old when he played against Romania in 2022.

Barton was also the oldest debutant for either gender in T20s, beating Osman Goker who was 59 years 181 days old when he appeared for Turkey's men against Romania in 2019.

England's Wilfred Rhodes (52 years and 156 days v West Indies in 1930) and New Zealand's Phyllis Blackler (47 years and 54 days v England in 1966) hold the records for the oldest Test male and female cricketers respectively.

In one-day internationals Nolan Clarke was 47 years and 257 days old when he played for the Netherlands' men against South Africa in 1996.

West Indies' Stephanie Power was 46 years and 355 days old when she played a women's ODI against South Africa in 2005.

The ICC granted T20 international status to all matches between its members in 2018 (women's) and 2019 (men's).

Nearly all players and officials towards the lower end of Associate cricket are unpaid amateurs.

Neither Gibraltar nor Estonia have played a sufficient number of women's T20s to be included in the ICC rankings.

Source: CricViz.