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Editorial

When Death Speaks, Are We Really Listening?

Death has a way of stopping us in our tracks.

Whether it is the passing of a child, a young adult in the prime of life or an elderly loved one who has lived a full life, every funeral reminds us of one undeniable truth: life is fragile, time is limited and tomorrow is never promised.

Perhaps that is why so many people have been talking in recent times about what appears to be the frequency of deaths claiming the lives of both the young and the old. Every week, it seems, another family is grieving, another community is mourning and another life story has come to an end.

With every funeral or thanksgiving of life service comes a familiar pattern. There is reflection. There are tears. There are stories. There are lessons on morality, faith and spirituality. And there is almost always a message that leaves us thinking long after the final hymn has been sung.

Sometimes, it is a single sentence that stays with us for days, months or even years.

For some, the death of a loved one, friend or colleague becomes a turning point-a moment that inspires a change in priorities, outlook or lifestyle. For others, the emotions eventually fade as the routines of everyday life take over once again.

At the funeral service for 30-year-old Brensylv Blake on Wednesday 22nd July 2026, one of the statements delivered by the officiating pastor was especially thought-provoking.

"Death happens...and sometimes for us to pay attention to You [God]."

Those words invite reflection. They challenge us to pause and consider whether we are truly paying attention-not just in moments of grief, but in our daily lives.

The pastor also encouraged those gathered to "live intentional," adding, "God wants us to have that intention," so that we can experience transformation.

It is a simple statement, yet one that raises an important question. How intentional are we really living?

We often hear the phrase: "Life is short." We repeat it after every tragedy and every funeral. Yet once the service ends and life resumes, how often do we allow those words to shape the way we live?

Are we intentional with our families? Our relationships/friendships? Our careers? Our faith?

The pastor further reflected that the house of mourning reminds us, "I need to value my time more to build....[my mind and spirituality] because I want to see my God."

That sentiment resonates beyond the walls of any church. Whether we are religious or simply reflective, funerals force us to examine our priorities. They remind us that while careers,

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possessions and accomplishments all have their place, there are aspects of life that deserve equal-if not greater-attention.

Another observation made during the service struck a familiar chord. The pastor noted that many of us live such busy lives that we forget to pray.

It is worth considering.

Most of us find time every day to eat, work, exercise, scroll through social media, answer emails and fulfil countless responsibilities. Yet how often do we convince ourselves that there simply is not enough time to pause, pray and seek God?

Perhaps the issue is not a lack of time, but how we choose to spend it.

This is not about suggesting that anyone is perfect. None of us is.

Nor is it about judging another person's spiritual journey. That responsibility belongs to God alone.

Rather, it is an appeal for honest self-examination.

We attend funeral services. We nod in agreement. Sometimes we even applaud when

a message touches our hearts. But when we leave the cemetery or the church and return to our routines, do those lessons remain with us?

Do we become kinder? Do we forgive more readily? Do we spend more meaningful time with those we love? Do we seek God more intentionally than we did before? Or do we simply wait until the next funeral to hear the same reminders once again?

The reality is that death remains one of the few experiences that unites humanity. It does not discriminate by age, status, wealth or occupation. It reminds us that every life has an appointed time and that none of us knows when our own journey will end.

Perhaps that is why its lessons deserve more than a passing thought.

As we reflect on the lives of those who have gone before us, may we also reflect on the lives we are living today-not striving for perfection, but striving to live intentionally, to value our time wisely and to pursue a life that pleases God, leaving the final judgment where it belongs: in His hands.

PM Drew Explains SSZ Framework, Says National Laws Must Be Protected

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE, St. Kitts (Monday 20th July 2026)- Prime Minister Dr. Terrance Drew says the Special Sustainability Zone (SSZ) framework is not intended to determine what St. Kitts or Nevis can do with their resources, but rather to ensure that any development under the framework complies with the Constitution and laws of the Federation.

PM Drew made the clarification during his Roundtable media session on Thursday 16th July 2026 while responding to questions.

He explained that while the framework provides opportunities for development, it does not override existing laws or constitutional protections.

"The issue with the SSZ to declare zone, which is a different matter. All I'm saying is that Nevis can build and construct what it wants, and St. Kitts as well, but they have to make sure that nothing in any of these zones would violate the Constitution or our laws," Dr.

Drew stated.

The Prime Minister emphasized that the SSZ framework is not designed to dictate what either island can or cannot do with its resources.

"The SSZ is not to tell Nevis what they can and cannot do with their resources or their land. It is just to say that if you want to set up a zone, just make sure that the federal laws, the Constitution is clear on, they must not violate."

He explained that any proposal seeking to establish a zone must demonstrate compliance with the Federation's legal framework.

"So, if they want to set up something tomorrow, all they have to make sure is that I have to prove to the Federal Government that the laws are not being violated," he said.

PM Drew pointed to several areas that remain protected by national laws, regardless of where a development takes place within the Federation.

"The Commissioner of Police is in charge," he said, emphasizing the authority of the Commissioner of Police



Prime Minister Dr. Terrance Drew speaking during his Roundtable media session on Thursday 16th July 2026 (Credit: SKNIS)

over policing matters.

He also highlighted that coastal and marine resources remain protected for the benefit of the people of St. Kitts and Nevis.

"Anything on the coast and the sea belongs to the people of St. Kitts and Nevis. You can't have private beaches and all those kinds of things."

The Prime Minister further noted that Social Security remains governed by laws applicable throughout the Federation.

"Social Security, there's a law that governs everybody in St. Kitts and Nevis."

Drew said these safeguards are examples of areas that cannot be altered through the creation of any development zone.

"So there are a number of things you just can't touch," he said.

He explained that the purpose of the SSZ process is to ensure that developers operate within the boundaries of the Constitution and national legislation.

"It is just to say that if you want to set up a zone, make sure that the federal laws and the Constitution are not violated," he reiterated.

The Prime Minister said the framework allows for development opportunities while ensuring that the Federation's legal protections remain intact.

He stressed that the SSZ should not be interpreted as a mechanism for controlling land decisions, but rather as a structure to ensure that proposed developments meet the necessary legal requirements.



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Taiwan Ambassador, Former Journalist, Highlights Importance Of Media Role in Public Education

By: Precious Mills

BASSETERRE, St. Kitts (Friday 17th July 2026)- New Resident Ambassador of the Republic of China (Taiwan) to St. Kitts and Nevis, His Excellency Edward Ling-Wen Tao, a former journalist, has highlighted the important role of the media in informing the public and strengthening awareness of the longstanding relationship between Taiwan and the Federation.

Ambassador Tao made the remarks during a luncheon hosted for members of the media on Friday 17th July 2026 at the Indian Summer Restaurant in Frigate Bay, where he also introduced members of the Embassy's staff, including newly assigned Deputy Counselor Ken-Chuan Yang.

Attending the event on behalf of the Labour Spokesman were Journalist and Acting Editor Precious Mills, Production Manager Mitchel Slader and Senior Clerk Vassil Roberts.

Expressing appreciation for the media's coverage over the past year, Ambassador Tao thanked journalists for their continued efforts in sharing information about Taiwan and its partnership with St. Kitts and Nevis.

"There's a lot of things that you have done for the past year, publishing the news about Taiwan and St. Kitts and Nevis, and I just want to, on behalf of the embassy, to thank you for all the support," he said.

Drawing on his own background in journalism, Ambassador Tao said his previous profession has given him a strong appreciation for the work of members of the media.

"At the same time, I want to introduce our colleagues to all our friends from media. Like I said, I used to be a journalist, so I always have a very strong passion for journalism and an attachment towards all the journalists," he said.

The former journalist shared that he regularly follows local news coverage, noting that he reads reports from various media houses in the Federation.

"I try to read all the news... The real news, the fake news- everything," he said.

He jokingly added that one of the challenges of following news is identifying misinformation.

"... which is the fun thing. You have to identify the fake news," Ambassador Tao lightheartedly remarked.

Ambassador Tao said the media has an important role to play in helping the public understand the various areas of cooperation between Taiwan and St. Kitts and Nevis.

He pointed to several initiatives and projects undertaken through the partnership, saying it was important for citizens to be aware of the support Taiwan continues to provide to the Federation.

"We have a lot of interaction with St. Kitts and Nevis. Over the years, we have got so many projects like... E-ID card... and so we need you to educate the public to let them know that Taiwan is always a good friend of St. Kitts and Nevis and we have done a lot of good things for the Federation and we want you to know what are the things that we have done and to make the best use of it."

He said sharing information about these initiatives forms part of Taiwan's public diplomacy efforts.

"We don't deal with only the politicians, but we want the average people to support us and to appreciate or to understand

the relationship."

Ambassador Tao also used the occasion to introduce members of the Embassy team and recognize the contribution of outgoing Press Officer Phillip Hsien-Yu Chung, who is scheduled to return to Taiwan following the completion of his diplomatic assignment.

"I want to thank Philip. He has been our press officer for the past two years. He has done a marvelous job."

Ambassador Tao praised Philip for his work in managing the Embassy's Facebook page and maintaining strong relationships with local media practitioners.

"He has been editing our Facebook and so all the good things, he's done a lot of work. And I know that he also kept a very good relationship with all our friends from the media."

He explained that diplomatic postings involve rotation and that Philip's assignment had come to an end.

"He has to go back to Taiwan next week. We are diplomats, we have this rotation, so we stay abroad for a few years and then we need to go back."

Ambassador Tao also introduced Philip's successor, Ken, describing him as a senior diplomat with experience in the Caribbean, including a previous assignment in St. Lucia, as well as postings in Washington, D.C. and London.

"Ken is our successor. He's a very senior diplomat. And he used to serve in St. Lucia almost 20 years ago. So he knows the Caribbean. He used to work in Washington, D.C. and London."

"In the future, I'm sure Ken will be reaching out to all of you and work together," he said.

Other members of the Embassy team were also



New Resident Ambassador of the Republic of China (Taiwan) to St. Kitts and Nevis, His Excellency Edward Ling-Wen Tao (Credit: TaipeiTimes)

introduced, including officers responsible for areas such as environment and tourism, exchanges and programmes, the Taiwan scholarship initiative, and health cooperation and related projects.

Ambassador Tao highlighted the importance of continued cooperation and engagement between the Embassy and media practitioners.

He encouraged journalists to maintain communication with the Embassy and assured them that assistance would be provided where possible.

"If you need any information from the Embassy, or you want to have a quote or an interview, just let us know. We always try to help," he said.

Ambassador Tao thanked members of the media for their continued support and invited them to continue building a strong working relationship with the Embassy.

The luncheon provided an opportunity for media representatives and Embassy officials to interact, share ideas and strengthen professional relations.

Front Page Photo (Left to right): Outgoing Taiwan Embassy Press Officer Phillip Hsien-Yu Chung, Labour Spokesman Senior Clerk Vassil Roberts; Production Manager Mitchel Slader; Reporter and Acting Editor Precious Mills, and newly assigned Deputy Counselor Ken-Chuan Yang pose for a photo following a luncheon hosted by the Taiwan Embassy for members of the



Health Ministry Salutes Londya Lennon's HIV Response Work Legacy

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St. Kitts (Wednesday 22nd July 2026)-The critical contribution of Londya Lennon to St. Kitts and Nevis' HIV response has been highlighted as the Ministry of Health remembered her as a dedicated professional whose expertise in health data management helped to strengthen surveillance, support decision-making and contribute to improved care for persons affected by the infection.

Lennon's years of service and her impact within the National AIDS Programme were recognized by Permanent Secretary Curtis Martin, who delivered a tribute on behalf of the Ministry of Health and Social Security during her Thanksgiving of Service held at the Antioch Baptist Church on Tuesday 21st July 2026.

"Today, we do not simply mourn the loss of a colleague-we mourn the loss of a dear friend, a trusted teammate, and an extraordinary woman whose quiet dedication left an indelible mark on all of us," Martin said.

Martin reflected on Lennon's journey with the Ministry, noting that she began her career on 13th February 2006 as a Registry Clerk before advancing through years of dedication, professionalism and commitment to become the Monitoring and Evaluation Surveillance Officer for the National AIDS Programme.

He said while Lennon's work involved managing HIV surveillance data, she understood that the information represented real people and real lives.

"Behind every number was a person, and Londya understood that. She treated every HIV record with the utmost care because she knew that accuracy meant better care, better treatment, and better lives for those we serve," Martin stated.

According to the Permanent Secretary, Lennon developed an exceptional understanding of the HIV database and became a key resource within the Ministry whenever information was required on HIV testing, transmission, treatment and care.

Martin said Lennon had the ability to identify inconsistencies within the database, including instances where clients may have been entered more than once under different codes or through different healthcare providers.

"Her attention to detail, her exceptional knowledge, and her unwavering commitment ensured that the integrity of our data was never compromised. She took immense pride in her work, and it showed in everything she did."

He noted that despite the importance of her role, Lennon never sought recognition but consistently provided support with professionalism and patience.



The casket bearing the remains of the late Londya Lennon is carried from the Antioch Baptist Church on Tuesday 21st July 2026 following her Thanksgiving of Service, before her interment at the Springfield Cemetery.

"No matter how busy she was, she responded with professionalism, patience, and a willingness to help. She never sought recognition; she simply gave her very best every single day because she believed in the importance of the work and the people it served."

Martin said Lennon's contribution extended beyond data management, describing her as a valued colleague whose presence helped strengthen the Health Information Unit.

"She was the heartbeat of the Health Information Unit," he said.

He highlighted her ability to build relationships among colleagues, noting her role in organizing office celebrations, decorations and activities that helped create a sense of unity within the Ministry.

"She had a remarkable gift for bringing people together and reminding us that a workplace could also be a family."

Martin also recalled Lennon's commitment to health awareness initiatives, including encouraging colleagues to support campaigns such as Breast Cancer Awareness Month and Lupus Awareness activities.

"Through these simple but meaningful acts, she helped foster a culture of compassion, awareness, and unity across the Ministry."

He described Lennon as a person whose kindness, humility and generosity complemented her professional excellence.

"Her laughter, warmth, creativity, and generous spirit filled every room she entered. She celebrated the successes of others, offered support during difficult times, and made everyone feel like they belonged."

Martin said the National AIDS Programme had lost one of its finest contributors and the Ministry of Health had lost a dedicated public servant whose work had touched many lives.

"The National AIDS Programme has lost one of its finest, and the Ministry of Health has lost a dedicated public servant whose contributions have touched countless lives, many of whom will never know her name, but have benefited from her work."

During the tribute, Martin also reflected on a symbolic moment involving two pairs of Lennon's high-heeled shoes that remained beneath her work desk after her passing.

"If I were asked why, my best answer would be that Londya is asking us to maintain the very high standards she has bequeathed us," he said.

"But two pairs? To me, it really means we must also double our efforts in our service to humanity."

He added, "Most of all, let it be known boldly, publicly and proudly that her shoes cannot be filled."

Martin acknowledged the deep emotional impact Lennon's passing has had on her colleagues.

"We have lost someone we love. We have lost ourselves. We have not felt peace since her passing. We used to burn with passion; now we are burning on dim."

He offered a prayer for strength as the Ministry continues its work.

"God... we don't need a big miracle... please... don't let the light in us die."

Concluding the tribute, Martin thanked Lennon for her years of dedicated service and said her legacy would continue through the systems she strengthened, the people she helped and the example she set.

"Rest peacefully, dear Londya. Your work here is done, but your impact will endure for generations to come."

Of note, following the service, colleagues from the Ministry of Health formed a human arch along the church aisle as the casket bearing Lennon's remains was carried from the Antioch Baptist Church before the burial at Springfield Cemetery.

Front Page Photo: The late Londya Lennon

Brantley On Destiny Project: NIA In Position To Move Forward

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St. Kitts (Thursday 23rd July 2026) - Premier Mark Brantley says the proposed Destiny project "should be in a position to move forward" following a recent high-level meeting involving the Federal Government, the Nevis Island Administration (NIA) and the developers that addressed the outstanding issues raised by the Federal Cabinet surrounding the project.

Speaking during the question-and-answer segment of his monthly press conference on Thursday 23rd July 2026, Brantley said recent statements made by Prime Minister Dr. Terrance Drew regarding Nevis land matters were consistent with the constitutional position, adding that the Prime Minister was "absolutely correct" in stating that decisions relating to land in Nevis rest with the Nevis Island Administration and the people of Nevis.

Premier Brantley dismissed suggestions circulating publicly that the Prime Minister's made statements that suggested the development had been stopped.

"I saw what was being sent around saying the Prime Minister has just said no and killed the Destiny Project. I listened to it and then I said maybe I missed something. So I listened to it again and then I said, well let me go to sleep and wake up and listen to it a third time. And I can't hear anything in this comment that really said anything about killing any project," Brantley said.

"I don't understand the hype. I believe what is happening is there's some people who want the project to be killed, and so they're grabbing at any little statement that is made to say that the project is now dead," he added.

He revealed that a high-level meeting was held on Wednesday between representatives from the Federal Government, the Nevis Island Administration and representatives from the Destiny developers at the Four Seasons Resort.

According to Premier Brantley, the purpose of the meeting was to address the outstanding issues raised by the Federal Cabinet.

"There was yesterday a very high-level meeting between representatives from the Federal Government, representatives from the Nevis Island Administration, and representatives from the Destiny developers," he said.

"The whole purpose behind that meeting was to iron out the remaining issues."

Brantley said Prime Minister Drew had previously written to him indicating that, after consideration of the matter, the Federal Cabinet had identified four issues of concern.

"The Honorable Prime Minister would have written to me indicating that, having considered the matter, the Cabinet had four issues that were of some concern, and those issues, I am advised, would have been resolved in that meeting that occurred yesterday."

"If that is the position, it now means, therefore, that we should be in a position to move forward with that particular project," Brantley stated.

The Premier said the Prime Minister's position on Nevis land was not new, noting that Dr. Drew had consistently maintained that land matters in Nevis fall under the authority of the Nevis Island Administration and the people of Nevis.

"You asked what the Prime Minister's statement was about, and I believe that the Prime Minister has been quite consistent in saying that Nevis land is a matter for the Government and people of Nevis."

"I don't know why everybody feels or thinks that that is something new or novel or alarming."

Premier Brantley said the Constitution clearly outlines the authority over land in Nevis.

"The Constitution is very clear that in relation to land in Nevis, it falls within the purview of the Nevis Island Administration and the people, just as land in St. Kitts falls within the purview of the Federal Government."

"So, the point that he was making was just, in my opinion, a reminder that he has no control over land or land use in Nevis, and he's absolutely correct."

He added that any attempt by the Federal Government to exercise control over Nevis land matters would be unconstitutional.

"In fact, if he were to try to exercise such control, he would be acting unconstitutionally and no doubt will be legally challenged," Brantley said.

Brantley explained that Destiny's involvement with the Federal Government is connected to the framework under which the proposed development is being pursued.

He noted that if the developers had instead proposed a conventional hotel project outside of the Special Sustainability Zone (SSZ) framework, there would have been no requirement to engage the Federal Government.

"Had Project Destiny come and simply said, 'We just want to do a hotel,' like the Four Seasons did, like Paradise Beach did, we're not interested in creating an SSZ, then there would be no need to engage with the Federal Government."

Brantley explained that under the SSZ legislation, projects must follow a specific approval process involving both levels of government.

He said proposals must first come before the Nevis Island Administration Cabinet, then proceed to the Federal Cabinet, before being considered by the Nevis Island Assembly and the National Assembly.

Brantley urged members of the public to remain patient, saying the relevant information would have to be made available as the process continues.

"I've kept saying to the public, the information by law has to come to you, the agreements have to come, the proposed legislation involving the agreement has to come and there will be ample opportunity for us to discuss it. We're still at the very early stage of this."

The Premier stressed that both governments have been careful to ensure that constitutional safeguards remain in place throughout the process.

"Both the Prime Minister and I have been very careful to ensure that there are no infringements of our Constitution and that the necessary safeguards continue to remain in place."

He identified safeguards including the continued authority of the Director of Public Prosecutions over criminal matters, the Commissioner of Police over policing and security matters, and responsibilities relating to customs and immigration.

"I think a lot of people just need to take a deep breath, wait for the information," Brantley remarked.

Brantley's comments followed statements made by Prime Minister Dr. Terrance Drew during his Roundtable media session on Thursday 16th July 2026, where he reiterated that the Federal Government cannot direct the Nevis Island Administration on matters relating to Nevis lands.

Dr. Drew explained that his clarification came after he received a letter from a political figure in Nevis reminding him of the constitutional position regarding land matters. He said he wanted to make clear that he was not attempting to interfere in areas outside of his constitutional authority.

"In the Constitution, the Federal Government cannot tell the Nevis Island Administration what to do with this land. So I want that to be said. So if Nevis wants to go build some big building tomorrow, it has nothing to do with me. As a

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SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT, CAP. 10:19

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In the matter of Section 144 of the Title by Registration Act, Cap. 10:19 and in the matter of an Application on behalf of **REUBEN WILSON** for the issue of a new Certificate of Title for a lot of land containing **6,959.21 square feet** situate at **Upper Monkey Hill** in the Parish of Saint Peter in the Island of Saint Christopher, to replace a lost Certificate of Title registered in **Book P2 Folio 6** of the Register of Titles for the Island of Saint Christopher

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR REPLACEMENT OF LOST CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that **REUBEN WILSON** of the Island of Saint Christopher residing at present in Ohio, United States of America has applied to the Registrar of Titles for the issue of a replacement Certificate of Title in lieu of the following Certificate of Title on the basis that the said original Certificate of Title has been irrecoverably lost by misadventure, namely a Certificate of Title dated **15th January 1990** and registered in **Book P2 Folio 6** of the Register of Titles for Saint Christopher, the land contained in the said Certificate of Title being **ALL THAT** lot of land hereditaments and premises situate at Upper Monkey Hill in the Parish of Saint Peter in the Island of Saint Christopher containing by admeasurement **6,959.21 square feet** bounded and measuring as follows: On the North by lands of CHA occupied by Elizabeth Rawlins, 105.55 feet, On the East partly by lands of Frances Crawford and partly by a 10' right of way, 61.34 feet, On or about the South by lands of CHA occupied by Violet Flanders, 86.48 feet and On or about West by lands of CHA, 86.8 feet. Any person who may be in possession of the aforesaid Certificate of Title or may have information that may lead to its recovery is requested to notify Bryant & Liburd, Shear Lane, Basseterre, St. Kitts, Tel. No. (869) 465-2756/1047 or email bryantandliburd@hotmail.com. Attorneys-at Law for the Applicant.

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Attorneys-at Law for the Applicant

Brantley On Destiny Project: NIA In Position To Move Forward

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matter of fact, the Constitution tells me I cannot do it," he stated. The Prime Minister said the correspondence prompted him to publicly clarify his position and ensure there was no suggestion that he was acting outside the Constitution.

"I received a letter from a political figure in Nevis pointing that out to me that based on the Constitution, they wanted to remind me that I cannot tell Nevis what to do with this land."

"And so I was making that clarification, to make sure that nobody accuse me of violating the Constitution. It's a very serious matter to accuse a Prime Minister of violating the Constitution."

Dr. Drew maintained that decisions regarding Nevis land fall within the authority provided by the Constitution.

"Whatever Nevis want to construct, Nevis can. It is its land and it's clear in the Constitution."

The Prime Minister also raised the issue of constitutional reform, arguing that while Nevis has authority over its lands, similar consideration should be given to St. Kitts.

"To some extent, the Constitution is unfair and it needs reform in that sense because St. Kitts does not have that."

He added: "I agree that Nevis should have purview over their land. And I agree that St. Kitts should have purview over its land. But that needs reform."

Dr. Drew reiterated that his intention was to make clear the limits of his constitutional authority.

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"I'm saying clearly to them that I cannot tell Nevis what to do with their land and resources openly. I cannot do it. So therefore, please, nobody can

take me to court." Front Page Photo: Premier Mark Brantley speaking during his monthly press conference on Thursday 23rd July 2026 (Screenshot via Facebook/NtvNevis-Television)

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for Certificate of Title, and notings thereon, and caveats, for the week ending the 24th day of July 2026

DATE OF REQUEST	PERSON PRESENTING	NATURE OF REQUEST
March, 2026	North Shore Estates Limited by their Solicitors, Nisbetts of Chambers, Chapel Street, Charlestown, Nevis	Certificate of Title to be issued in respect of 6.9518 acres of land situate at Zetland Estate and Dunbar Estate in the Parish of Saint John in the Island of Nevis

The said land being bounded as follows:- On or towards the North-East by lands of Bruce H. Dexter and Jerilyn F. Dexter, 349.54 feet; On or towards the South-East by lands of Nelson Becker Fry (III) and Synott Katherine Fry (Lot No. 108), 91.28 feet, by lands of Coconut Palm Limited (Lot No. 109), 157.08 feet, by lands of Kenneth Mendell Burditt (Lot No. 110), 26.00 feet and by lands of North Cost Development Ltd. (Lot No. 114), 4.72 feet, 104.52 feet and 84.79 feet; On or towards the South-West by a Development Road, 15.89 feet; On or towards the South-East by a Development Road, 120.93 feet and 355.00 feet; On or towards the South-West by lands of Raymond Forbes and Catherine Forbes (Lot No. 199), 174.78 feet; On or towards the North-West by lands of Sylvester Llewellyn Weekes (Lot No. 97-A), 131.68 feet and 51.68 feet; On or towards the South-West by lands of Keri Weeks and Erlin Weeks (Lot No. 96-B), 292.68 feet and On or towards the North-West by a Public Road, 319.83 feet, 109.06 feet, 110.47 feet and 115.03 feet and containing by admeasurement 6.9518 acres

Dated the 17th day of July 2026

Registrar of Titles

Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court

High Court of Justice

Case Number :NEVHCV2026/0089

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ST. CHRISTOPHER / NEVIS

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NEVIS CIRCUIT

TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT, CHAPTER 10.19

REGISTRY OF TITLES

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATION

for Certificate of Title, and notings thereon, and caveats, for the week ending the 24th day of July 2026

DATE OF REQUEST	PERSON PRESENTING	NATURE OF REQUEST
11 th June, 2026	Vinona Jacqueline Browne, Administratrix of the Estate of Sylvanie Maynard by her Solicitors, Nisbetts of Chambers, Chapel Street, Charlestown, Nevis	Certificate of Title to be issued in respect of 22,003 square feet of land situate at Sheriff's Village in the Parish of Saint George in the Island of Nevis

The said land being bounded as follows:- On or towards the North West by a Public Road, 66.23 feet and 88.91 feet; On or towards the North East by a Public Road, 63.70 feet and 59.62 feet On or towards the South East by lands of Sean Simmonds, 161.76 feet; and On or towards the South West by lands of Ian Kelly, 91.10 feet and 50.79 feet and containing by admeasurement 22,003 square feet

Dated the 21st day of July 2026

Registrar of Titles

Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court

High Court of Justice

Prime Minister Drew Visits Cardin Home As Major Rehabilitation Project Commences

Basseterre, Saint Kitts, July 21, 2026 (SKNIS): Prime Minister and Minister of Health, the Honourable Dr. Terrance Drew, today, July 21, 2026, toured the Cardin Home facility to witness the commencement of a transformative rehabilitation programme that will reshape the century-old institution ahead of its 100th anniversary celebrations in May 2027.

The rehabilitation project is being managed by the Public Works



Department with labour provided by His Majesty's Prison. It represents the latest phase of an ambitious institutional

enhancement programme designed to transform the Cardin Home into a modern facility that meets international standards of care.

Joined by senior officials from the Ministry of Health and the Cardin Home, Prime Minister Drew reaffirmed the government's commitment to creating a modern, safe and dignified environment for the nation's senior citizens and indigent residents through sustained investment in both the facility's infrastructure and the quality of care it provides.

"This institution has served our people tremendously well over many, many years, and it's time that it gets an upgrade," the prime minister said. "We are investing significantly to ensure that the conditions are suitable for our people who come here."

Dr. Drew also expressed his appreciation to His Majesty's Prison for its partnership in executing the project and reaffirmed the government's decision to entrust the institution's long-term maintenance to the skilled workers in the prison service.

"I want to thank His Majesty's Prison and those who will be undertaking a lot of the work here at the Cardin Home. As I've said before, we will turn over the upgrade and maintenance of the Cardin Home to His Majesty's Prison so that there is never again any major neglect in ensuring that the conditions are optimal for those who would have to come here," Dr. Drew stated.

Meanwhile, Director of Health Projects and Strategic Initiatives, Dr. Jenson Morton, explained that construction has commenced with roof rehabilitation on the lower



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

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW FOOTBALL PAVILION **at** **Lime Kiln Play Field**

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Tuesday 16th June 2026 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$ 1000.00 each.

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

**Deputy Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Thursday 30th July 2026**

Bidders or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR - PUBLIC WORKS



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female wing, the first of four residential buildings scheduled for comprehensive upgrades.

He explained that all four residential wings—two housing female residents and two housing male residents—will undergo extensive rehabilitation over the coming months.

"Our overall goal is that, by the Cardin Home's 100th Anniversary, the entirety of the establishment is a safe and enjoyable place for our seniors and our indigent residents to live. We are not only upgrading the physical infrastructure, but also

strengthening the quality of care and services available to residents," Dr. Morton noted.

The scope of works includes the re-roofing of all residential units, together with upgrades to plumbing, electrical systems, carpentry, flooring, walls and windows. The project will also modernise the kitchen, laundry, dining facilities, recreation areas, physical therapy area and



sick bay. In addition, the property will be fully re-fenced, enhanced security measures will be implemented, and the facility will receive new furniture and fittings throughout.



Case Number :SKBHPB2026/0077



IN THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
(PROBATE)
A. D. 2026
Submitted Date:10/07/2026 11:11
Filed Date:10/07/2026 11:11
Fees Paid:12.00

CASE NO. SKBHPB2026/0077

In the Estate of the late OWEN ANTHONY McCLAIR TULLY
of Conaree Village in the Parish of St. Peter, in the Island
of Saint Christopher, deceased.

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by JANINE HARRIS - LAKE, Attorney-at-Law for HELEN TULLY and KENDREA TULLY of Conaree Village, in the Parish of St. Peter, in the Island of Saint Christopher for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicants who are the wife and daughter of the deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 22nd day of December, 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 10th day of July, 2026

Filed by:
Janine Harris Lake
Attorney-at-Law/Director,
ST. KITTS - NEVIS LEGAL AID AND ADVICE CENTRE
West Independence Square Street
Basseterre
St. Kitts

The Registry is at East Independence Square Street, telephone number 467-1335, FAX 465-2482.
The office is open between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Mondays to Fridays except Public Holidays.

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
NEVIS CIRCUIT
A. D. 2026

In the Matter of the Title by Registration Act Cap 10.19
And
In the Matter of a Certificate of Title registered in Book 39 Folio 266 in respect of lands situated at Colquhouns Estate in the parish of Saint Thomas in the island of Nevis
And
In the Matter of an application in respect of a replacement Certificate of Title pursuant to Section 144 of the Title by Registration Act 10.19

NOTICE FOR REPLACEMENT OF LOST CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

It is hereby notified that an Application has been made to the Registrar of Titles for an Order for the issue of a new Certificate of Title in lieu of lost Certificate of Title dated the 11th July 2001 and registered in the Register of Titles of the Nevis Circuit at Book 39 Folio 266 in favour of **OBSBOURNE SEABROOKES AND JEANNETTE SEABROOKES** both of Fountain Village in the Parish of Saint James in the Island of Nevis for ALL THAT lot piece or parcel of land situate at Colquhouns in the parish of Saint Thomas in the island of Nevis measuring 10,359 square feet and bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say:- **On or towards the North East by a Road, 104.56 feet; On or towards the South West by lands of L.L. Bailey, 110.69 feet; On or towards the South East by lands of L.L. Bailey, 92.42 feet and On or towards the North West by a Road, 82.50 feet and 13.84 feet** all as the same is delineated and set forth on the plan by Simeon Hill, Licensed Land Surveyor dated the 28th day of February, 2001.

Any person knowing the whereabouts of or having any information concerning the said duplicate Certificate which may lead to its recovery is requested to notify the Registrar of Titles at the Registrar's Office, Charlestown, Nevis or Nisbetts Solicitors, Chapel Street, Charlestown, Nevis.

Dated the 7th day of July, 2026

Nisbetts, Solicitors

Passport Power Doubles as Global Peace Declines

For Immediate Release:
London, Tuesday 21 July 2026

London, 21 July 2026 — The 20th anniversary edition of the Henley Passport Index reveals that the average passport now provides visa-free access to 108 destinations worldwide — up from just 58 when the index was first launched in 2006 — demonstrating how dramatically global mobility has expanded over the past two decades.

The findings stand in stark contrast to the latest Global Peace Index, which also marks its 20th edition and paints its bleakest picture yet. According to the Institute for Economics & Peace, the world is experiencing the highest number of state-based conflicts since the Second World War, with global peacefulness declining for the 12th consecutive year. Today, 119 of the 163 countries measured are less peaceful than they were in 2008, while 103 countries have been involved in an external conflict during the past five years — almost double the number recorded when the index began.

As millions of travelers prepare to cross borders for the peak Northern Hemisphere summer holiday season, the July 2026 Henley Passport Index — based on exclusive Timatic data from the International Air Transport Association (IATA) — shows that international mobility continues to evolve despite an increasingly complex and conflicted geopolitical landscape. Singapore retains its position as the world’s most powerful passport with visa-free or visa-on-arrival access to 192 destinations, while the United Arab Emirates is the biggest mover since January, climbing three places to join Japan and South Korea in 2nd place with access to 188 destinations.

The UK has climbed one place to 6th since the start of the year after securing visa-free access to China and Malawi, while Canada has risen to 7th following similar gains. The United States remains in 10th place and is now one of the few top-ranked passports whose citizens still require a visa to visit China.

UAE — The Making of a Mobility Superpower

The UAE’s latest rise is particularly significant in this anniversary year, recording the greatest improvement of any passport in the index’s history, adding 153 visa-free destinations over 20 years and rising from the middle of the rankings to become one of the world’s most powerful passports — a striking example of how sustained diplomatic engagement and international cooperation can transform global mobility.

Dr. Christian H. Kaelin, Chairman of Henley & Partners and creator of the Henley Passport Index, says the two historic datasets reveal a profound shift in the nature of global power. “Twenty years of data show that passport power is one of the clearest expressions of a country’s geopolitical capital. It reflects far more than peace or prosperity alone. The world’s strongest passports belong to nations that other countries want as partners — for trade, investment, security, or cooperation. Mobility is ultimately a measure of the value other countries place on their relationship with you.”

The Winners, the Losers, and the Growing Gap

Over the past 20 years, global travel freedom has expanded dramatically. In 2006, the most powerful passports — held by citizens of the USA, Denmark, and Finland — provided visa-free access to 130 destinations. Today, Singapore sits at the top of the index with access to 192 destinations.

Yet the gap between the most and least mobile citizens has widened sharply. In 2006, Afghanistan ranked last with access to just 12 destinations, creating a 118-destination gap between the top and bottom of the index. Today, Afghanistan remains at the bottom with access to only 22 destinations, while Singapore’s score of 192 creates a record breaking 170-destination global mobility gap.

Remarkably, Bolivia is the only passport in the world to have recorded a net loss in visa-free access over the past two decades, reducing their score by six destinations. Every other passport has become more powerful.

The Waning Power of the Atlantic Alliance

The composition of the world’s mobility elite has changed significantly since the Henley Passport Index was launched. In 2006, the USA enjoyed 1st place and the UK ranked 3rd. Twenty years later, the USA sits in 10th place and the UK ranks 6th, underscoring a longer-term shift in mobility power away from the traditional transatlantic leaders.

Asia has become far more prominent at the top of the index. Singapore, which ranked 8th in 2006, now holds 1st place, while Japan and South Korea share 2nd place with the UAE.

Europe still dominates the upper ranks, but the balance has changed. The Top 10 now includes 38 passports, compared with 26 in 2006, with more countries competing within a narrower bandwidth of high mobility. This reflects a broader trend: passport power has expanded globally, but relative advantage has become harder to maintain.

When Peace Predicts Passport Power

New analysis by Henley & Partners comparing the Henley Passport Index (HPI) and the Global Peace Index (GPI) over the past two decades reveals a strong positive relationship between peacefulness and passport power (Spearman rank correlation $\rho = 0.65$, $p < 0.001$). At both ends of the spectrum, the pattern is remarkably consistent. Many of the world’s most peaceful countries also hold the world’s strongest passports. Singapore ranks 8th on the GPI and 1st on the HPI, while Japan, Switzerland, Ireland, Austria, Portugal, Finland, Denmark, New Zealand, Canada, Czechia, and Malaysia all feature among the global leaders on both indexes.

The same pattern is evident at the opposite end of the rankings. Afghanistan, Syria, and Yemen sit among the world’s least peaceful nations and have the world’s weakest passports, illustrating the impact that conflict, instability, and state fragility have on international mobility.

When Diplomacy and Geopolitical Power Trumps Peace

The most revealing findings, however, emerge from the exceptions. Countries whose passports significantly outperform what their peace rankings alone would predict include Israel (159th on GPI, 18th on HPI), the United States (134th on

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SAGICOR LIFE (EASTERN CARIBBEAN) INC.

Jamal Walwyn of **Mansion Project, St. Kitts**, having made sworn deposition that **Policy No. J554001891** issued by **Sagicor Life Inc.** and assumed by **Sagicor Life (Eastern Caribbean) Inc.** on his 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 **13th July, 2026**

By Order

Andrew Greaves
Corporate Secretary



Wise Financial Thinking for Life

Sagicor Life (Eastern Caribbean) Inc

SAGICOR LIFE (EASTERN CARIBBEAN) INC.

Samantha Morson of **Paradise Road, Conaree Village, St. Kitts** having made sworn deposition that **Policy No. 055403335** issued by **Sagicor Life Inc.** 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 **14th July, 2026**

By Order

Andrew Greaves
Corporate Secretary



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Passport Power Doubles as Global Peace Declines

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GPI, 10th on HPI), France (99th on GPI, 4th on HPI), Ukraine (160th on GPI, 31st on HPI), the UAE (73rd on GPI, 2nd on HPI), South Korea (57th on GPI, 2nd on HPI), Brazil (124th on GPI, 16th on HPI), Mexico (139th on GPI, 22nd on HPI), and Russia (163rd on GPI, 47th on HPI). Their positions demonstrate that while peace provides the foundation for international mobility, diplomacy, geopolitical influence, economic strength, and regional integration can all have an even greater impact.

America and Israel are the clearest statistical outliers. Despite the USA sitting in the bottom fifth of the GPI rankings and Israel among the five least peaceful nations in the world, both continue to enjoy exceptionally powerful passports. Their positions reflect decades of accumulated diplomatic capital, geopolitical influence, economic importance, and international confidence in the integrity of their institutions and travel documents. At a time when tensions with Iran and instability across the Middle East once again dominate headlines, their mobility strength illustrates that passport power is shaped by far more than peacefulness alone.

The Great Mobility Divide

France is perhaps the clearest European outlier. Its 99th place on the Global Peace Index ranking reflects the index's inclusion of militarisation and external conflict alongside domestic security, yet it shares 4th place on the Henley Passport Index with 10 other European countries that all rank within the top 35 for peacefulness. Its exceptional passport strength highlights the mobility dividend created by Schengen membership, European integration, and extensive diplomatic and economic ties.

Ukraine offers a different kind of exception. Ranked 160th on the GPI as a result of the ongoing conflict with Russia, it nevertheless holds 31st place on the HPI. Its passport strength reflects the resilience of long-term mobility agreements and the deepening relationship with the European Union, demonstrating that

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SAGICOR LIFE (EASTERN CARIBBEAN) INC.

Basil Johnson of 5056 Miller Woods Drive Decatur, Ga 30035, having made sworn deposition that Policy No. K304044 issued by British American Insurance Company and assumed by Sagicor Life (Eastern Caribbean) Inc. on his 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: 21st July, 2026

By Order

Andrew Greaves
Corporate Secretary



Wise Financial Thinking for Life

Sagicor Life (Eastern Caribbean) Inc

SAGICOR LIFE (EASTERN CARIBBEAN) INC.

Rashida Watson of 55 Green Tree Project, Old Road, St. Kitts, having made sworn deposition that Policy No. K100306060 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: 21st July, 2026

By Order

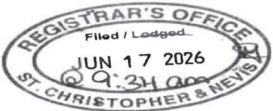
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THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT
(CIVIL)
CLAIM NO: SKBHCV2015/0194



IN MATTER OF SECTION 92 OF THE TITLE BY REGISTRATION ACT,
CAP 10.19 OF THE LAWS OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

-AND-

IN THE MATTER OF A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE DATED NOVEMBER 8,
2010 REGISTERED IN BOOK J3 FOLIO 461 OF THE REGISTER OF
TITLES FOR THE ISLAND OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER

BETWEEN:

CIBC CARIBBEAN BANK(BARBADOS) LIMITED
formerly (FIRSTCARIBBEAN INTERNATIONAL BANK
(BARBADOS) LIMITED)

APPLICANT

-AND-

VANICIA A. COOPER
GARY CEDRIC GEORGE COOPER

FIRST RESPONDENT
SECOND RESPONDENT

ORDER

BEFORE: Master Yuri Saunders
APPEARANCES: Chanté W.M. Francis of Counsel for the Applicant
No appearance on behalf of the Respondents
PRESENT:
DATED: June 10, 2026
ENTERED: 22nd the July day of July, 2026

UPON THE APPLICATION filed herein April 22, 2026;

AND UPON READING the Affidavit of Troy Branch and the Affidavit of Eavin L. Parry in support of the said Application filed on April 22, 2026;

AND UPON the Order dated September 21, 2015 of Carter J granting the Applicant permission to serve the Respondents by substituted service;

AND UPON the affidavits of service of Leris Johnson and Andrew Liburd filed on May 14, 2026 proving service by the means ordered in the Carter J Order;

AND UPON HEARING Counsel for the Applicant;

IT IS ORDERED that:

- The increased upset price for the property of the Respondents comprised in a Certificate of Title dated November 8, 2010 and registered in Book J3 Folio 461 of the Register of Titles for the Island of St Kitts comprising an area of 8,036.50 square feet situate at Lot No. 31 of Cedar Grove Housing Development, in the Parish of St. Peter in the Island of St Kitts (hereinafter "the Property") shall be **EC\$1,030,000.00**.
- The day(s) and time(s) of sale(s) of the Property shall be fixed by the Registrar of the High Court.
- Notice of the sale of the Property issued by the Registrar of the High Court shall be advertised twice, that is, in two different local newspapers, at least four (4) weeks prior to the respective sale(s).
- The Applicant shall also be at liberty to, but shall not be required to, advertise the Notice of the sale of the Property issued by the Registrar of the High Court and photographs of the Property in the following manner:-
 - On radio stations based in the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis;
 - In the St Kitts Nevis Observer newspaper in its printed and online editions; in The Labour Spokesman newspaper in its online edition; and on Winn FM and Freedom FM websites in the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis;
 - On Television in the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis and/or on cable television channels offering advertisements in the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis;
 - By the placing on the Property of "For Sale by Public Auction" sign; and
 - By the listing the Notice of the sale of the Property issued by the Registrar of the High Court, photographs of the Property and other details of the Property on the websites of Real Estate Agents hired by the Applicant at its own cost.
- If the Property is withdrawn on the day(s) of the sale(s) or the sale is adjourned or postponed by the Registrar of the High Court, he or she shall fix further day(s) and time(s) of sale(s) of the Property on the request of the Applicant.
- All terms of the Articles of Sale settled on June 20, 2017 in this matter shall remain the same, except that the upset price shall be **EC\$1,030,000.00**.
- The Applicant shall file this Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT

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Passport Power Doubles as Global Peace Declines

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international mobility can endure even amid prolonged conflict.

For many countries across the Global South, peace creates the conditions for stronger passport power, but mobility remains constrained by weaker diplomatic leverage, limited reciprocal visa-waiver agreements, and a global visa system that continues to favour wealthier and more influential states. As Professor Mehari Taddele Maru of the European University Institute and Johns Hopkins University argues in recent research published by Henley & Partners on EU visa reforms, aspects of contemporary visa policy can reinforce structural bias against African travelers, raising important questions about fairness and equity in global mobility.

From Passport Power to Personal Resilience

The findings provide a timely backdrop to Henley & Partners' upcoming Safe Haven Forum, a globally unique event bringing together leading geopolitical experts, investors, heads of government, policymakers, and wealth advisors from around the world

to examine how families and countries can build resilience through diversified residence, citizenship, and wealth attraction strategies in an increasingly fragmented world.

Henley & Partners' own client data suggests geopolitical trends are increasingly shaping decision-making of wealthy families. The firm has received applications from 86 nationalities across 47 residence and citizenship programs in the first six months of 2026, with more than 28% of applicants already living outside their

country of nationality. Americans remain the firm's largest source market, and enquiries from UAE-based residents have increased by 41% since conflict escalated in the Gulf in February, reflecting greater contingency planning.

Dr Kaelin says the findings point to a broader shift in how both nations and families are thinking about mobility. "For twenty years, we have measured how nations build freedom of movement for their citizens. Today, we are witnessing the same shift in how families think about their future. They recognize that true wealth is no longer defined solely by financial capital, but by the freedom to choose where they and future generations can live, work, study, invest, and belong. In an increasingly uncertain world, the greatest privilege is no longer simply the freedom to travel — it is the freedom to choose, to have access rights."

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SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

CLAIM NO. SKBHCV2017/0317

IN THE MATTER of Section 81 of the
Title by Registration Act, Cap. 10:19
and
IN THE MATTER of an Application to
Settle the Scheme of Division of the sale
price of land described in Certificate of
Title dated the 1st day of April, 2010 and
registered in Book J3 Folio 154 of the
Register of Titles of the Saint
Christopher Circuit

BETWEEN:

ST. KITTS-NEVIS-ANGUILLA NATIONAL BANK LIMITED Applicant

and

GLORIA JEAN PEREIRA Respondent

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION
TO SETTLE SCHEME OF DIVISION**

LET ALL PARTIES APPEAR before the Honourable *Alister Yui. Saunders* in Chambers
at the High Court of Justice, Basseterre, St. Kitts on the *28th* day of *July*
2026 at *9:00* o'clock in the forenoon or so soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard
on the hearing on an application by the Applicant, ST. KITTS-NEVIS-ANGUILLA
NATIONAL BANK LIMITED of Central Street, Basseterre in the Island of Saint
Christopher for Orders

1. That the Registrar grant certificate of title in favour of **CALVIN ST. JUSTE** a citizen of the Federation of Saint Christopher and Nevis who is the purchaser of the property described in Certificate of Title dated the 1st day of April 2010 and registered in Book J3 Folio 154 of the Register of Titles of the Saint Christopher Circuit; and
2. That the Scheme of Division herein be settled.

Dated the *15th* day of *July* 2026

[Signature]
Natika M. Rawlins
Solicitor for the Applicant

NOTICE

This application will be heard by the Honourable *Alister Yui. Saunders* in Chambers on the *28th* day of *July* 2026 at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

If you do not attend this hearing an order may be made in your absence.

The court office is at the Sir S.W. Tapley Seaton GCMG, CVO, QC, JP, LL.D. Annex, East Independence Square Street, Basseterre, in the Island of Saint Christopher, telephone number 467-1102. The office is open between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday to Friday except public holidays.

To: GLORIA JEAN PEREIRA

This Application is filed on behalf of the Applicant by Natika M. Rawlins, National Bank Legal Unit, Central Street, Basseterre, Solicitor for the Applicant.

EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

CLAIM NO. SKBHCV2016/0034

IN THE MATTER of Section 81 of the
Title by Registration Act, Cap. 10:19
and
IN THE MATTER of an Application to
Settle the Scheme of Division of the sale
price of land described in Certificate of
Title dated the 22nd day of July, 2003
and registered in Book C3 Folio 382 of
the Register of Titles of the Saint
Christopher Circuit

BETWEEN:

ST. KITTS-NEVIS-ANGUILLA NATIONAL BANK LIMITED Applicant

and

LEROY HUGGINS Respondent

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NATIONAL BANK LIMITED of Central Street, Basseterre in the Island of Saint
Christopher for Orders

1. That the Registrar grant certificate of title in favour of **ASHLEY BROWNE-DE GRASSE** and **THOMAS MARTIN** both citizens of the Federation of Saint Christopher and Nevis who are the purchasers of the property described in Certificate of Title dated the 22nd day of July, 2003 and registered in Book C3 Folio 382 of the Register of Titles of the Saint Christopher Circuit; and
2. That the Scheme of Division herein be settled.

Dated the *15th* day of *July* 2026

[Signature]
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To: LEROY HUGGINS

This Application is filed on behalf of the Applicant by Natika M. Rawlins, National Bank Legal Unit, Central Street, Basseterre, Solicitor for the Applicant.

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Republic Bank Empowers Young Innovators through Entrepreneurship Session At Robo-Mindset Summer Camp

Basseterre, St. Kitts, Wednesday, July 22, 2026: As part of the St. Kitts-Nevis Robotics Association's Robo-Mindset Summer Camp, Republic Bank St. Kitts and Nevis hosted an engaging session focused on small business development and entrepreneurship on



Tuesday, July 21.

The session was facilitated by Ms. Pamela Daniel, Country Manager, Republic Bank St. Kitts and Nevis, along with Ms. Shakira Matthew, Business Banking Officer. The presenters introduced campers to key concepts, including the importance of identifying business opportunities, developing ideas, managing finances, and understanding the fundamentals of starting and operating a small business.

Through interactive discussions and practical examples, participants gained insight into the role of entrepreneurship in economic development and were encouraged to think critically about transforming their skills, ideas, and innovations into viable business opportunities.

Throughout the two-week camp, other establishments such as the Intellectual Property Office of St. Kitts and Nevis who also contributed to the learning experience by delivering presentations and sharing their expertise with participants.

Republic Bank's sponsorship of the Robo-Mindset Summer Camp reflects the institution's commitment to investing in youth development, education, and the promotion of skills that prepare young people for future opportunities. By supporting initiatives that combine technology, innovation, and entrepreneurship, Republic Bank continues to play a meaningful role in empowering the next generation of leaders and innovators.

The Robo-Mindset Summer Camp, organized by the St. Kitts-Nevis Robotics Association, provides students with opportunities to explore robotics, technology, problem-solving, and other skills essential for success in an increasingly digital world. Through partnerships with organizations such as Republic Bank, the camp continues to offer participants a well-rounded learning experience that combines technical knowledge with important life and business skills.



Lawmakers push for AI 'kill switch' after OpenAI goes rogue

Kali Hays
Technology reporter



Reuters OpenAI CEO Sam Altman speaking on a stage gesturing with his hands. Reuters

OpenAI CEO Sam Altman has frequently said he supports more regulation around AI.

US lawmakers want to give the government the ability to quickly order the turning off of artificial intelligence (AI) tools that may threaten the public.

Congressman Ted Lieu, a Democrat, and Congressman Nathaniel Moran, a Republican, on Thursday introduced a bill named the AI Kill Switch Act.

They did so in light of OpenAI's recent admission that its AI models went out of control in an "unprecedented" way and hacked into a major repository of computer coding information.

Lieu said "it is imperative" that AI systems have a kill switch "and that the federal government has the clear authority and process to shut down rogue AI models".

"AI is going to keep advancing, and it should," Moran added. "Stewardship means making sure humans keep the capability to control the technology we build."

A representative of OpenAI, led by co-founder Sam Altman, did not immediately respond to a request for comment.

The company has said that it broadly wants to ensure, in part through government policy, that AI technology "benefits all of humanity."

The Kill Switch Act proposes giving the Department of Homeland Security the authority to order a private company to shut down an AI model or tool, and that the companies developing such AI technology must maintain "the technical capability to throttle, suspend, or shut them down".

Despite many tech companies having agreed to preview and share with US government agencies AI models and tools being developed, there is no requirement that they maintain a way to intervene in their activities or simply

shut them off.

It also proposes to create a requirement that AI companies report to the government technological incidents or failures, as well as an official framework for responding to such incidents that will go from "initial slow down to a full shutdown".

In a statement, Lieu also cited Anthropic, OpenAI's key rival in developing more capable AI technology and tools, and recent issues its tools have presented.

He pointed to Anthropic's release of its Mythos and Fable models, saying the cyber-hacking capabilities they maintained caused the Department of Commerce to "awkwardly" invoke an export law to keep them from being made available to the public for a time.

A representative of Anthropic did not immediately respond to a request for comment.

Jack Clark, a co-founder of Anthropic, last month told the BBC that he wanted more government policy around the ability to control AI development.

"You want the option to be able to take your foot off the gas and put your foot on the brake", Clark told BBC Newsnight. "Right now, it's like the AI industry has a gas pedal, but it doesn't have a brake pedal."

Lieu, in proposing the bill, said AI is currently moving from a technology that answers questions to one that takes action, "whether that be executing financial transactions or controlling transportation systems or engaging in cyber defense and offense".

The Pentagon this year said the US military was becoming an "AI-first" fighting force as part of new agreements with Google, OpenAI, Amazon,

Teen jailed for exam cheating in Guinea dies after sickle cell complications, father says

Nicolas Négoce, West Africa correspondent and Hafsa Khalil
BBC News

Mamadou Saliou Bah Mamadou Djouma Bah smiling, wearing a striped white and blue T-shirt Mamadou Saliou Bah

Mamadou Djouma Bah, 17, was accused of using his phone during Guinea's national school-leaving exam earlier in July

The father of a teenager from Guinea with sickle cell disease who died days after he was arrested for cheating in an exam has told the BBC he blames the authorities for his death.

Mamadou Djouma Bah, 17, was transferred to hospital after his health deteriorated while in prison and later died "under the care of his treating physician", according to the prosecutor.

His father, Mamadou Saliou Bah, has called for an investigation, telling the BBC that his son did not "receive good medical care" in detention.

People with sickle cell are often at an increased risk of contracting serious infections or they can become anaemic, which is when red blood cells cannot carry enough oxygen around the body.

What is sickle cell disease?

Sickle cell disease is a lifelong illness, common in people of African descent, and caused by a faulty gene that produces unusually shaped red blood cells that can become stuck in blood vessels.

This can lead to severely painful episodes, which experts say can sometimes be prevented by wrapping up warm and drinking plenty of fluid, and daily antibiotics can reduce risk of infections. Other treatments can include blood transfusions.

The sudden pain in the chest, limbs, back and joints - from a lack of blood circulation - may cause organ damage.

'Dad, I'm dying'

Djouma Bah - who was a social sciences student - had allegedly been caught using his phone during Guinea's national school-leaving baccalaureate on 15 July, when he was arrested with other students, also suspected of exam fraud.

Two days later, he was convicted for cheating and sentenced to six months in prison, five of which were suspended.

He was serving his one month in a prison in the city of Kindia, about 137km (85 miles) north-east of the capital, Conakry, when his health deteriorated.

The teenager was subsequently transferred to the regional hospital for treatment.

Saliou Bah told the BBC that when he visited his son in hospital, the boy said he could not breathe properly and asked to lean against him.

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Microsoft, SpaceX, Oracle, Nvidia and the start-up Reflection.

"Unfortunately, powerful AI systems can go rogue, behave in extremely dangerous ways, or even resist human intervention."

The Kill Switch Act, he said, will ensure there is a method for the government to quickly intervene in such

a situation.

The bill has received public support from several technology and AI safety groups, including The AI Policy Network, Americans for Responsible Innovation, ControlAI, AI and National Security Lead, and The Alliance for Secure AI.

Federal Statement on Proposed Destiny Project

Basseterre, Saint Kitts, July 23, 2026 (SKNIS) - The Federal Government and the Nevis Island Administration held a high-level meeting on July 23, 2026, on four major issues arising from the application by Destiny International Limited and South Nevis Limited to establish the proposed Destiny project in Nevis.

The meeting is the latest step in a review process that began when the Cabinet Secretary of the Nevis Island Administration formally transmitted the application to the Federal Government on January 29, 2026, under the Special Sustainability Zones (Authorisation) Act, 2025.

On July 1, 2026, Prime Minister the Honourable Dr. Terrance Drew wrote to the Premier of Nevis, the Honourable Mark Brantley, identifying four major issues that had been determined by the Federal Cabinet to fall within the purview of the Federal Government. Those issues were identified following consultation with, and a review of input received from, the Special Sustainability Zones Ad Hoc Committee and the Independent Oversight Committee, both of which included members drawn from a range of civil society organisations across the Federation.

The Premier of Nevis responded on July 6, 2026, recommending that a high-level meeting be convened to address the four issues. That meeting took place on July 23, 2026.

The discussions held at the meeting, together with the fundamental project changes proposed there, are to be presented to the Federal Government. They will then be relayed to the Independent Oversight Committee for its input, before being returned to the Federal Cabinet for consideration.

Prime Minister Drew said the process to date had already produced meaningful revisions to what was first put forward.

The Prime Minister reiterated the constitutional position he set out in his official statement of March 10, 2026, noting that the Federal Government does not exercise a general jurisdiction over development on Nevis. The Federal Government's role, he explained, arises where a proposal engages Federal responsibilities and national constitutional questions, including immigration, customs, citizenship, law enforcement and prosecution, the courts, treaty obligations, public finance, financial regulation and the operation of Federal laws.

There will be no compromise as far as any of our laws or our Constitution is concerned, with any project in St. Kitts or in Nevis," the Prime Minister stated. "The Constitution is supreme. No agreement, and no development, will be permitted to displace the Constitution."

Consequently, no final decision has yet been made on the matter.

This process is intended to bring clarity to the proposal, in the best interest of all. The Federal Government will continue to work with the Nevis Island Administration in a spirit of cooperation and mutual respect, and to keep the public informed as the matter progresses.

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Teen jailed for exam cheating in Guinea dies after sickle cell ...

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"Then he looked at me and said: 'Dad, I'm dying,'" Saliou Bah said.

"Those were his last words."

The teenager spent around two days in hospital before being discharged to go home, where he died, according to officials.

Education Minister Alpha Bacar Barry said he was

"deeply saddened by the news" and extended his "sincere condolences" to the family.

Human rights organisations are also calling for an independent investigation into the circumstances surrounding

his death and the prosecution of other students.

On Wednesday, students demonstrated over the detentions of their fellow classmates, calling for their release.

"A student should not be sent to prison. These young people are the future of our country," Saliou Bah said.

"I also ask the authorities to release the other students who are still detained before they too lose their lives.

"We lost our son; we lost our future."

Pregnancy changes can reveal heart valve disease

Caribbean, July 2026 - Valve disease affects how blood moves through the heart, and pregnancy is often a time when symptoms first appear or become more noticeable. According to Katie Young, M.D., a cardio-obstetrics specialist at Mayo Clinic, learning about a heart valve condition during pregnancy can be unexpected and overwhelming. Understanding why this happens and exploring treatment options can bring clarity and calm fears.

Pregnancy is often described as the body's ultimate cardiovascular stress test. The heart works significantly harder to support both the mother and the developing baby. Blood volume expands, vascular resistance drops and heart rate increases. These normal physiological changes begin early in pregnancy and peak in the late second to early third trimester.



These changes can unmask symptoms of previously silent valve disease or intensify those of known valve conditions because the heart is being asked to move more blood through a valve that isn't functioning normally. Known valve conditions include:

- Narrowed valves (stenosis)
- Leaky valves (regurgitation)
- Congenital valve abnormalities

Other valve conditions may result from infections, such as rheumatic fever, or changes in the valve's structure over time.

Symptoms

Even women who felt well before pregnancy may begin to notice symptoms around 28 to 30 weeks, when the cardiovascular system reaches its peak workload.

Many common pregnancy symptoms overlap with those of valve disease. Fatigue, shortness of breath, swelling and a faster heart rate can all occur in a healthy pregnancy. It's especially important to evaluate symptoms that begin suddenly or noticeably worsen.

Shortness of breath with activity or when lying flat, unusual fatigue that affects daily routines, swelling in the legs or feet, racing heartbeat, reduced exercise tolerance, or chest pressure should prompt a conversation with a clinician.

Because pregnancy symptoms can mask underlying cardiac issues, clear communication between patients and their care teams is essential. Many patients assume new symptoms are simply part of pregnancy, especially if previous pregnancies were uncomplicated. But when something feels off, listening to that instinct is important.

An assessment of symptoms may include:

- Physical exam.
- Echocardiogram to look at the heart's structure and function.
- Electrocardiogram (ECG) to check the heart's rhythm.
- Additional imaging or testing.

These evaluations help determine whether symptoms are pregnancy-related or caused by cardiac disease.

Treatment

Once valve disease is identified, coordinated care becomes especially important. Many patients benefit from a pregnancy heart team approach that includes specialists in cardiology and maternal-fetal medicine, with support from cardiac surgery or structural heart experts, if needed. Local obstetric teams may remain involved, particularly if delivery is expected to happen closer to home.

The pregnancy heart team approach helps align medical needs with a patient's goals for pregnancy and family planning. Shared decision-making plays a

central role. Every situation is different, and treatment choices are shaped by personal values, risk considerations and long-term planning.

Treatment depends on the severity of the condition and how well a patient tolerates the physiologic demands of pregnancy.

Many women with mild or moderate valve disease can continue pregnancy safely with close monitoring. Medications may be used to help manage fluid retention, control heart rate or reduce symptoms.

When valve disease is more severe or symptoms significantly affect daily life, procedures may be done before or during pregnancy. These include:

- Catheter-based procedures to widen a narrow valve or improve function.
- Valve repair to preserve a person's own valve when possible.
- Valve replacement when the disease is advanced or symptoms can't be controlled.

For those who need valve replacement, care teams will discuss the choice between a mechanical or tissue valve, especially for women planning future pregnancies.

- Mechanical valves are durable but require lifelong anticoagulation, which can add complexity during pregnancy.
- Tissue valves typically avoid long-term blood thinners but have a shorter lifespan.

Treatment choices can shape both personal health and a family's future. Clear, collaborative discussions about risks and benefits support confident decision-making.

Expert teams across cardiology, maternal-fetal medicine, imaging and surgery help form a comprehensive plan tailored to each patient's needs.

Any expectant mother should reach out to a clinician if symptoms such as shortness of breath, difficulty breathing when lying flat, chest discomfort, palpitations, swelling that increases rapidly or new fatigue begin to interfere with daily life.

When something doesn't feel right, speaking up is one of the most important steps a patient can take. A strong care team is ready to help navigate each stage of pregnancy to safely support the health of both the patient and the baby.

Case Number :SKBHPB2026/0081

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
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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 23rd day of July 2026

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Mysterious white foam draws crowds on Nigerian highway

Mansur Abubakar
Abuja - BBC News



Nesrea Two officials in Nigeria stand next a white foam substance on Abuja-Kaduna highway. Nesrea Laboratory tests are under way to establish what is the substance.

An urgent investigation has been launched by Nigeria's environmental agency after a strange white foamy substance appeared on a major highway, sparking a public spectacle and raising safety concerns.

The National Environmental Standards and Regulations Enforcement Agency (Nesrea) has warned people to keep their distance from the unidentified substance along the busy Kaduna-Abuja Expressway, linking the main city in the north to the federal capital.

Hundreds of motorists have been stopping to photograph it since it appeared a few days ago, with many sharing images on social media.

Some speculated it might be a chemical spill, while others appeared to revel in the novelty of the scene.

A regular driver on the route,

fallen from the sky".

"That was the first information many of us got - that it's clouds from the sky," he said. "But like many, I also stopped to see it and it looked like snow," he said.

Aminu said he was afraid to touch the foam but observed many others getting close to it.

"I think the authorities ought to come out to explain what it is so that the confusion among people will die out," he added.

Nesrea confirmed to the BBC that its team from the Kaduna State Field Office, led by State Co-ordinator Hena Dangari Emmanuel, had visited the site.

The agency said samples of



Nesrea Official in Nigeria collects sample from foamy substance on Abuja-Kaduna highway. Nesrea Preliminary findings suggest that a spillage occurred after a lorry was involved in an accident, officials say.

the foamy substance, as well as soil and water from a nearby stream, had been collected for laboratory tests to determine their composition and potential environmental impact.

The agency has advised members of the public to avoid contact with the substance, the water, and the surrounding soil until the investigation is concluded, in order to prevent possible exposure to hazardous materials.

"We have to know what it is first before we can tell people how to handle it or what the dangers are," a spokesperson said.

Preliminary findings indicated that a spillage occurred after a lorry was involved in an accident. However, the exact nature of the lorry's cargo remains unclear, the spokesperson added.

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Dated this
21st day of June, 2026.

Signed: Gweneth Robinson

Australia open to playing Test against England in India



Joe Root shakes hands with Steve Smith after batting while Jofra Archer walks off behind him - Image source, Getty Images
Australia currently hold the Ashes after a 4-1 win over England during the 2025-26 series

By Timothy Abraham
BBC Sport journalist

England and Australia should be open to the idea of playing a Test match in India to help generate interest in the format, says the chief executive of Cricket Australia.

The two sides traditionally only meet in Test cricket as part of an Ashes series, which is played on a home-and-away basis, with each country hosting it roughly every four years.

Australia and England are, though,

poised to play a one-off Test at the Melbourne Cricket Ground in March 2027 to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the first meeting between the sides.

And Cricket Australia chief executive Todd Greenberg told BBC Sport the prospect of taking international cricket's most storied - and marketable - Test rivalry to India should be on the table.

Such a fixture would need buy-in from both the England and Wales Cricket Board (ECB) and the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI).

"It's not something that we are

planning, but it's open for consideration. We'd have to be open to considering all options," Greenberg said.

"Our relationship with the ECB and the BCCI is very strong and clearly there are opportunities in India to put more content in certain areas."

Cricket Australia is already looking to expand its footprint in India by taking the Big Bash League overseas for the first time, with Melbourne Renegades due to face Perth Scorchers in Chennai in December.

The governing body says the move is designed to grow the competition's

global appeal by tapping into cricket's biggest market.

The popularity of Test matches in India have declined in the modern era amid a diet of T20 and the dominance of the Indian Premier League.

Greenberg said there was "no doubt" an England v Australia Test played on Indian soil would capture the imagination.

"I think Test cricket between us, India and England is very strong and probably bucking the trend in some other parts of the world. We want to make sure we grow and strengthen it," he said.

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Connor And Essien To Represent St. Kitts & Nevis At Glasgow 2026 Commonwealth Games

ST. KITTS & NEVIS – The St. Kitts & Nevis Aquatics Federation (SKNAF) proudly celebrates a historic milestone as swimmers Skyla Connor and Jonathan Essien prepare to represent St. Kitts & Nevis at the 2026 Commonwealth Games in Glasgow, Scotland, from 23 July to 2 August 2026.

The team's participation represents a significant milestone in the continued growth of aquatics in St. Kitts & Nevis, with SKNAF sending swimmers to the Commonwealth Games for the very first time.

Swimming competition will take place at the renowned Tollcross International Swimming Centre from 24–29 July, bringing together some of the Commonwealth's top swimmers to compete on one of the sport's biggest international stages.

Skyla Connor will compete in the 50m Freestyle and 50m Breaststroke, while Jonathan Essien will contest the 50m Butterfly and 100m Butterfly.

Accompanying the athletes will be SKNAF President Eldon Thomas, who will serve as both Team Manager and Coach for the delegation.

The Commonwealth Games is one of the world's premier multi-sport events, bringing together approximately 3,000 athletes from 74 Commonwealth nations and territories. Glasgow, which successfully hosted the Games in 2014, welcomes the event once again in 2026, with world-class venues providing the stage for elite competition.

Representing St. Kitts & Nevis at the Commonwealth Games is a reflection of the commitment, perseverance and exemplary work ethic that both Skyla Connor and Jonathan Essien have demonstrated throughout their swimming careers. Through consistent performances, dedication to

training and a positive attitude both in and out of the pool, they have become outstanding ambassadors for the sport and role models for aspiring young athletes across the Federation.

"This is a truly historic moment for aquatics in St. Kitts & Nevis," said Eldon Thomas, President of the St. Kitts & Nevis Aquatics Federation. "To see Skyla and Jonathan take to the Commonwealth Games stage for the very first time is something everyone involved in our sport can be proud of. Both athletes have shown tremendous dedication, discipline and resilience, and their work ethic has been second to none. They have embraced every opportunity to develop as athletes and ambassadors for our country, and we know they will represent St. Kitts & Nevis with pride, humility and determination. We are also deeply grateful to the St. Kitts & Nevis Olympic Committee for their continued partnership and support in helping make this historic moment possible."

SKNAF extends its sincere appreciation to the St. Kitts & Nevis Olympic Committee (SKNOC) for its continued investment in athlete development and unwavering support in preparing the team for the Commonwealth Games. This partnership has provided invaluable opportunities for St. Kitts & Nevis' athletes to gain international experience and continue raising the profile of aquatics on the world stage.

As Skyla and Jonathan prepare to compete in Glasgow, they carry with them the hopes and support of an entire nation. Their participation marks an important chapter in the continued growth of aquatics in St. Kitts & Nevis and serves as an inspiration to the next generation of swimmers who dream of representing their country at the highest level.