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# "BVI LOVE" TOURISM CAMPAIGN LAUNCHED

On its new reset focus, the British Virgin Islands is gunning to be the crème de la crème of luxury tourism in the Caribbean. The grand plan and mission were disclosed by recently appointed Director of the BVI Tourist Board Clive McCoy during the launch of the "BVI Love" Tourism Campaign on 21 September.

McCoy while lauding the BVI Love campaign announced that the Tourist Board is focused and ready for the global industry in a post COVID era. He said that much thought is being placed on the way forward and the luxury market is the main target.

"As we move forward with this campaign, you will be seeing many of our BVI LOVE promotional ads as we seek to be the best we can be as a luxury tourism destination," he announced during the social media campaign launch.

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*BVI Ports Authority Unveils a New Brand (L-R) Chairman BVI Ports Authority Board, Mr. Kelvin Hodge; Managing Director (Ag.) BVI Ports Authority, Mr. Dean Fahie; Permanent Secretary, Premier's Office, Dr. Carolyn O'Neal-Morton; Deputy Managing Director, Ms. Oleanvine Maynard and Premier and Minister of Finance, Honourable Andrew A. Fahie (more on page 8)*



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# “BVI LOVE” Tourism Campaign Launched

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As part of the luxury market appeal, McCoy said that the BVI will continue to focus on its mainstay markets of Sailing, Diving, Fishing, and Watersports. The Director said, “We are pushing forward to maintain our market share where we are already strong while embracing the challenges brought on by the global pandemic. We are launching BVI LOVE International catering to the tastes and culture of each geographical pool of

potential visitors, through the BVI lens. We are already engaging the mega yacht agents and private jet representatives to increase and organise their flow to and stays in the BVI.”

Tourism in the BVI was interrupted and remains now on life support following the March border closure. Since then no tourist has been able to enter the BVI and many tourism businesses announced that they were suffering financially. The Tourist Board responded

with heavy promotion of its annual staycation initiative.

This year, the initiative is said to have been a success – even against the COVID 19 backdrop and social distancing requirements. In reporting that the staycation campaign met its aim McCoy said, “We are so proud of our staycation programme. So many of us, fell in love with BVI all over again this year. We have been forced to come to grips with the fact that you just got to embrace BVI LOVE,” he said.

Going forward - he said - the Board is looking for stakeholder involvement: “Our people will be invited to participate in training, surveys, and town hall meetings. We will harness all our BVI LOVE to continue to help our partners to remain in operation. We are all in this together with BVI LOVE!”

As the Territory prepares for its December reopening the Director expressed optimism: “As we reopen our borders, we will work to ensure that everyone is

aware of the protocols for reopening our industry, for our visitors, for our industry partners and for us as a destination. We have done our homework. We have observed what has worked for other destinations: the technology, the practices, the regulations, the financial requisites, etc. and tailor-made our protocols to our unique product and circumstances; with BVI LOVE, we are ready,” McCoy said.

# Students Waiting For VIDE Learning Tools

As part of its facilitation of online learning, the Ministry of Education instituted a Virgin Islands Digital Education (VIDE) initiative to assist parents in acquiring learning tools for students in need. However, it was explained that some of the loaned items were not treated with care which has now created a challenge for other students as well as stretched the Ministry to find more tools for those without.

This situation was mentioned by Minister For Education and Culture, Dr. The Hon. Natalio Wheatley during his statement on the Reopening of Schools on 18 September. The Minister in noting the careless handling of

the computers and the setbacks as a result said: “I am aware that there have been some challenges which have resulted in the interruption of the distribution schedule. I was disappointed to learn about the extensive damages to the loaned devices. This lack of due care and attention to protect these loaned devices has contributed to the current challenges.”

Hon. Wheatley nonetheless explained that despite this snag the ICT Unit of the Ministry has been able to commence the distribution of Virgin Islands Digital Education (VIDE) ahead of the start of a new school year. He also mentioned that the Ministry is working feverishly

to get more computers for students who need them.

“I wish to assure parents, however, that the Unit is working tirelessly to make additional VIDES available and to create alternative solutions to the existing challenges. For those parents who have already collected their devices, please note that the ICT Unit is in the process of emailing the credentials to allow students to access the application on the VIDES. Emails are being sent to the students’ VI schools accounts. The ICT Unit will continue this exercise over the weekend so that students who have already collected their VIDES can access the textbooks.”

While emphasizing that the need to acquire new VIDES has caused many students to be left waiting, Hon. Wheatley stated that soon this will be sorted: “I know that some parents in Grades 7 to 9 are becoming anxious because they have not yet received their VIDES. However, I wish to assure them that during these first two weeks, no new material will be taught. Emphasis will be on various orientations, providing psychosocial support, coping strategies, COVID-19 health and safety tips, classroom etiquette, classroom expectations, including online etiquette, an overview of the course material for the term, submission of assignments, academic

ethics. During week two, emphasis will be on building basic subject readiness skills. By the end of this period, we expect to have solved the existing challenges,” he said.



# Premier Urges Banks To Do Better: "It Must Happen"

Premier and Minister for Finance Hon. Andrew Fahie is urging the community to come together and demand more from local banks as he explained that in this COVID emergency the banks are not very facilitating when it comes to assisting in expediting the BVI recovery. The BVI Leader made this comment while speaking in the House of Assembly on 22 September as he declared that he is not satisfied with the way these financial institutions chose to respond to the COVID 19 pandemic.

While encouraging residents to join together and respond to the less than empathetic bank behaviour the Premier said: "The only time people get up to deal with a system is when they don't like what a politician does. Other than that they just think that the system has the power over them. Banks make their money and I am the Minister of Finance when you say these things it goes longer than when I was just a regular member."

"Banks make their businesses through us going in to give them

business; and if we band together and tell the banks we need better rates, we need better initiatives, they must help us," the Hon. Fahie pointed out.

While declaring that the banks were being insensitive to the current economic situation of the residents of the Territory, Hon. Fahie alluded to conversations he has had with bank management. The BVI Leader noted that these officials seemed most concerned about outstanding payments.

The BVI Leader also explained that he wrote the banks twice since the pandemic commenced and in other communication with bank management constantly heard about delinquent payment; as opposed to assistance and courtesies. "Whenever you challenge a bank, the first thing they tell you is that 'a lot of people delinquent, they ain't paying'. Let me speak the Queen's English – they are not paying. I ask them well 'how are they going to pay? Irma knocks the people down they were barely limping. Irma and Maria came,

people ain't catch themselves yet and here comes COVID-19'. So you have to come up with systems in the banks to adjust."

Hon. Fahie said that there was some concession from the bank but it was not sufficient for such a fluid situation, "I have written to the banks twice since COVID-19. Some of them have responded well, but some of them, their moratoriums are short and their systems don't go past six months...but they have to go past six months now because it is the need of the people."

Further, the Premier said that he intends to write again in an attempt to get some assistance for persons going through hardship. However, he commented that it would be good if the banks moved to assist by their social assessment: "I am writing them a third time because the government should not have to push the banks to come up with better rates to help the people. You cannot just focus on who owes alone, what about all these other persons. The reason some of them owe is not because they want to

owe. It is because they cannot do any better. What systems can we come up with to help the people?"

Hon. Fahie said that he has always been concerned about the manner the banks in the Territory behaved and even while he was a member of the Opposition, he spoke out against it. This outspokenness about the banks, the Premier said, even resulted in his wife, who is a banker being threatened. In recalling the incident, Hon. Fahie told the House: "One time when I spoke about the banks because I sleep next to a banker – when I look somebody went and threatened my other half, telling her - let your husband be careful what he saying. Well, I Premier now go back and threaten her outta order people."

Nonetheless, the Premier stated that he was not going to deter from his mission to get more from the people. "I come to represent the people, I did not come to represent any bank. They have some people who think they could frighten you off when you are representing



Hon. Andrew Fahie

the people ...I facing so many obstacles in this seat as Premier trying to get the people to help in this time, but guess what I am not getting daunted. I am not getting down spirited, but I have to let the people of the Virgin Islands know... The banks have to come together to do better and it can happen, it must happen," he added.

# Government Pays Vendors & Service Providers some of the 10-year-old overdue Bills

For ten years the government was owing to some vendors for goods and services. This announcement was made on 22 September by Minister for Transportation, Works and Utilities Hon. Kye Rymer as he mentioned that his Ministry has paid some of the outstanding debt, with others remaining.

This payment announcement is a follow-up from a statement that the Minister made in the House of Assembly on 21 July. At that time Hon. Rymer mentioned that he had met a number of unpaid invoices in the Ministry and instructed his team to get to the bottom of these invoices, intending to finally compensate vendors for the products and services which they have provided.

To date the Minister said that the majority of the invoices have been paid with others in the queue for payment soon: "Mister Speaker, before the end of this year, we hope to process more unsettled invoices that are over Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00)."

In noting how much the Ministry had to expend on their outstanding bills Hon. Rymer told the House, "So far, the Ministry has processed a total in the amount of Six Hundred Forty-Five Thousand One Hundred and Seventy-Three Dollars and Thirty-Eight Cents (\$645,173.38) of outstanding invoices for services rendered more than ten years ago."

The settled debts include the payment of invoices from multiple

vendors for products or services such as concrete, construction materials, hiring of heavy equipment, barge services for transportation of equipment and materials to the sister islands.

Hon. Rymer expressed criticism: "It is an injustice to anyone who, having provided goods or services to any consumer – especially to the Government – and having met the required standards of quality for the goods or services to be accepted, for payment to be delayed for such an inordinately long period. Such delays affect the cash flow of these companies. It impedes their ability to meet their commitments and to pay their bills. It hampers their growth. It affects their employees. It can cause them to go out of business," he said.

The Minister also offered an apology to the businesses that have been waiting all this time for payment and said that he is hoping to build a good rapport between the business community and the government.

"It is critical that the Government of the Virgin Islands regains a good rapport with the business community. Therefore, we continue to work feverishly to rebuild and maintain a professional and trustworthy relationship with the vendors within the Territory...The Government of the Virgin Islands is very committed to our local businesses and our local business community. We want them to do more than survive - we want them to thrive. As a Government, we are firmly committed to ensuring that local businesses and our Virgin Islands people benefit from the eco-

nomical activities that take place on our shores."

The Minister further lashed out at the past government for acquiring goods and services and being reluctant to pay and said that this administration is not about that: "I wish to reassure our goods and services providers, that they will be treated with the courtesy, respect, and professionalism they deserve... Governments have a responsibility to the business community to ensure that there is a fair and even exchange of goods, services, and compensation for what was received. We cannot continue to acquire goods or services and not settle our debt on time. This is a gross disservice to our vendors and, as a Government, we must do better than this. This Government intends to lift the bar in how we conduct the affairs of the people," he added.



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# Statement by Hon. Sharie B. de Castro

## Launch of "BVILOVE" Tourism Campaign

Good afternoon to each and every one. I recognize the protocol as established.

This is a very exciting day for us, as we stand on the verge of what will be one of the defining moments in the story of the British Virgin Islands, and I am proud to be here joining hands in the spirit of teamwork, as we seek to move the tourism industry another step forward.

I wish to start by thanking the hard-working management and staff of the BVI Tourist Board for always rising to the occasion, whenever our Territory needs you.

This is one of the reasons why we are a resilient people and why nothing keeps us down for long.

Hurricanes Irma and Maria, in 2017, caused a devastating blow to our tourism industry. But within months, we pulled together and swiftly revived our products and started receiving visitors.

By the end of 2019, through the collaborative efforts of the BVI Tourist Board, the Cyril B. Romney Tortola Pier Park and the BVI Ports Authority – and not forgetting the intervention of the Premier who left the Budget debate, flew to Miami and engaged Cruise Industry Executives – we saw our tourist arrivals, and in particular cruise arrivals, heading back up to pre-Irma levels. Tourism revenue continued to make major contributions towards our territory's financial strength, especially at a time when other sectors were under strain from external forces.

The future looked promising.

In November 2019, the Honourable Premier delivered our new Government's second budget – the first after the transitional budget that was read in April and a budget that was custom designed to suit the vision of your new Government.

Subsequently, the Government's vision for transforming the Virgin Islands into a leading regional economy by 2025 was unveiled. The strategic outline focused on a deliberate approach through innovation, entrepreneurship and local and foreign investments. The new budget underscored our mission to diversifying the BVI's economy and in particular our tourism sector to target niche areas such as Meetings, Incentives, Conferences and Exhibitions.

Many initiatives were planned and budgeted for and the BVI was poised for success!

Then, COVID-19 appeared on the scene and turned the world upside down.

Of course, the economies that are impacted the most are those that depend on travel and tourism – economies like ours.

COVID-19 has indeed thrown major obstacles in our course. It has delayed our journey and it has changed the landscape. Now, that does not mean we have abandoned our vision and our goals.

COVID-19 has not dulled our stunning sunsets, has not soiled our white sandy beaches, has not evaporated our pristine waters and definitely has not taken the wind out of our ideal sailing and diving locations. Our tourism products are still awe-inspiring as ever and will remain in high demand when the global tourism industry reopens.

I know this to be true because while our tourism industry

is part of a larger industry that spans beyond our shores, we remain competitive.

As such, COVID-19 has not tarnished our brand nor affected our ability to diversify. Instead, it has renewed our commitment to improving our sector and strengthening our competitiveness, while shoring up our tourism product offerings.

If nothing else, COVID-19 has signalled to us that we must become more innovative, we must do so accurately and we must do it fast!

Reflecting on the past few months, most if not all of you will agree that we all got an opportunity to rekindle our love for the BVI – our home.

We were all able to appreciate these Virgin Islands a lot more.

We reconnected with the beauty of our sunsets and beaches, and the serenity of our way of life.

Just take one look at the news today and you will see demonstrations of chaos and dysfunction across the world. This is why we should develop an even greater appreciation for the love and harmony that exists on these shores.

All of these things reinforce that our brand is love – BVILOVE.

BVILOVE is our warm people, it's our appetizing food, it's our unspoilt beaches and environment as well as our rich and vibrant culture.

With a myriad of competition especially when COVID-19 travel restrictions have been lifted, our mantra of BVILOVE must stand out and give us the competitive edge we need.

Now, we understand the concept of BVILOVE. It is a highlight of intrinsically who we are as a people and the unique experiences available on our shores! It is also the exciting energy in our going green initiative. That's right BVILOVE also means caring for our environment.

But how do we show BVILOVE in our tourism offering?

You see, our economy thrives from persons visiting and patronising our local businesses. Therefore, it is important that they have the best experience that any destination has to offer.

We must remember that one negative interaction can ruin someone's vacation or discourage them from investing in our businesses.

In any event, BVI people are a loving people – and we must let our BVILOVE shine!

So today I take the opportunity to challenge each of us to demonstrate our BVILOVE by keeping the environment clean and presentable. Now, this is not limited to our national parks; it is keeping the entire Territory sparkling. In this light, let us cease from indiscriminate dumping immediately as this will hurt our tourism product.

Before I close, let us all consider that as your Government begins to look towards finalizing plans for reopening our borders to visitors, as our community adjusts to life in the "New Regular", and as we recognise that the global tourism market will be even more fiercely competitive than we have been accustomed to, it is imperative that we get everyone on board.

Let it ring true by all of us...that BVILOVE is indeed our way of life.

We must do this, so that when we market the BVI as a Luxury Tourism Brand for locals and visitors to love and embrace, such a super quality experience will be uniquely authentic.

We must surpass expectations in delivering this, and every visitor shall leave feeling that they received an unparalleled experience.

When we do this, we show that we love our BVI.

This is indeed very exciting and while we may need a little time to adjust to some of the inevitable changes, I guarantee that the new rebranded strategy will excite you and you will see that together with BVILOVE we can achieve great things – far beyond what we have conceived in the past.

BVILOVE is about our BVI identity.

It is about telling the world who we are as a destination.

Ultimately, BVILOVE is an opportunity for us to tell our unique story, share our exceptional home, preserve our valuable assets and push our territory forward as a luxury tourism destination.

I am excited and you should be as well...so, my fellow Virgin Islanders and friends, please join me in expressing to the world, our authentically pure BVILOVE.

I would like to thank you for your patience during these challenging times and also thank you in advance for coming on board.



Hon. Sharie B. deCastro

## Territory Wide Free Shuttle Service Resumes September 28

The public is notified that the free shuttle service being offered on Tortola, Jost Van Dyke, Virgin Gorda and Anegada will resume on Monday, September 28, 2020.

As a result of the Imposition of a new Curfew (No. 32) Order, 2020, the updated schedule per island is provided:

Tortola	6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Jost Van Dyke	6:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Virgin Gorda	7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Anegada	7:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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Please take note that in accordance with Section 17(1) of the Elections (Amendment) Act No. 14 of 2011; persons who have changed their place of residence and wish to transfer are invited to apply for a transfer on or before September 25. For further information, please

contact the Office of the Supervisor of Elections at 284-468-4380 or 284-468-3701 Ext. 4380 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. The Office is located at Creque's Building, #216 Upper Main Street, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.



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DAY OF THE WEEK	PROGRAM	TIME
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	HONESTLY SPEAKING	5 – 6PM
<b>WEDNESDAYS</b>	LIVING WELL 24/7	9 – 9:30AM
	HOT SEAT RE-VISITED 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday	8 – 9:30PM
	DYAS VOICE (Sports) 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	7 -8PM
<b>THURSDAYS</b>	UMOJA	8 – 9:30PM
<b>FRIDAYS</b>	BODY & SOUL	7 – 8PM
	THREE D SHOW	8 -9:30PM
<b>SATURDAYS</b>	CARIBBEAN GOLD <i>feat</i> MORE TALK, LESS MUSIC	7:45 – 9AM
	KNOWLEDGE IS POWER HOUR	10 – 11AM
	LET'S BE REAL	2 – 3PM
	SPORTS TALK	5 – 6:30PM
	A LOOK AT THE COMMUNITY	7 – 8PM
<b>SUNDAYS</b>	OLDIE GOLDIE SHOW	3 – 7PM
<b>WEEKDAYS</b>	SUCCESS JOURNAL	9:15AM, 11:55AM, 4:35PM

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## Flow Committed to Keeping Customers Connected in Virgin Gorda Operations Go Fully Online from October 31, 2020

Road Town, Tortola, September 21, 2020: As part of its ongoing commitment to the safety of its employees and customers, Flow is announcing that its operation in Virgin Gorda will move to a fully online operation from October 31, 2020.

In adherence to the Curfew Regulations announced by the Government of the Virgin Islands, the current opening hours for the Virgin Gorda Retail Store at the Edison O'Neal Building are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8am to 4pm. Once Curfew Regulations are lifted, the store will resume regular opening hours from 8:30am to 4pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays until October 31, 2020. After which customers will not have physical access to the Virgin Gorda Retail Store, as all operations will be conducted online.

As of November 1, 2020 the Online/ Virtual Virgin Gorda Store will operate Mondays to Fridays, from 8:30am to 5pm, and services will also available via WhatsApp Message at 544-0189 or via email at [bvi-customerinquiry@cw.com](mailto:bvi-customerinquiry@cw.com) during the same hours.

Flow BVI Country Manager, Ravindra Maywahlall stated, "Our priority is to keep our customers connected as we continue to deliver services safely and conveniently to the Virgin Gorda community using innovative ways to offer our services in this new COVID-19 environment. We will implement an appointment based system for installations, equipment collections and phone sales, through our Virtual Store which will continue to be managed by our Senior Retail Associate, Alicia Modeste."

He added, "We first introduced the Virtual/Online Store in March at the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic in the BVI, as part of our efforts to be more responsive to the community's needs during the 24-hour curfew. Feedback from our customers indicated that it was an easier and more convenient way for them to contact us and access our products and services."

Maywahlall added, "We are deploying a new online payment system that will be easier and more user friendly, and which will complement our already large e-Payment options. Additionally there will be a bill payment kiosk which will be placed at 'Mr. Nice Guy' giving customers additional options to make payments." Customers can pay bills online, using one of the following options: The MyFlow App which is available for Free at Google Play or App Store, Discoverflow.co online payment portal, as well as Online banking options at Republic Bank (formerly Scotia) and First Caribbean Bank (FCIB.) Additionally customers can use Top Up Flow.com to easily purchase their prepaid plans online.

## Labour Department Appointments Can Be Rescheduled

Persons who had scheduled appointments with the Department of Labour and Workforce Development prior to the recent curfew order can now contact the department to have them rescheduled.

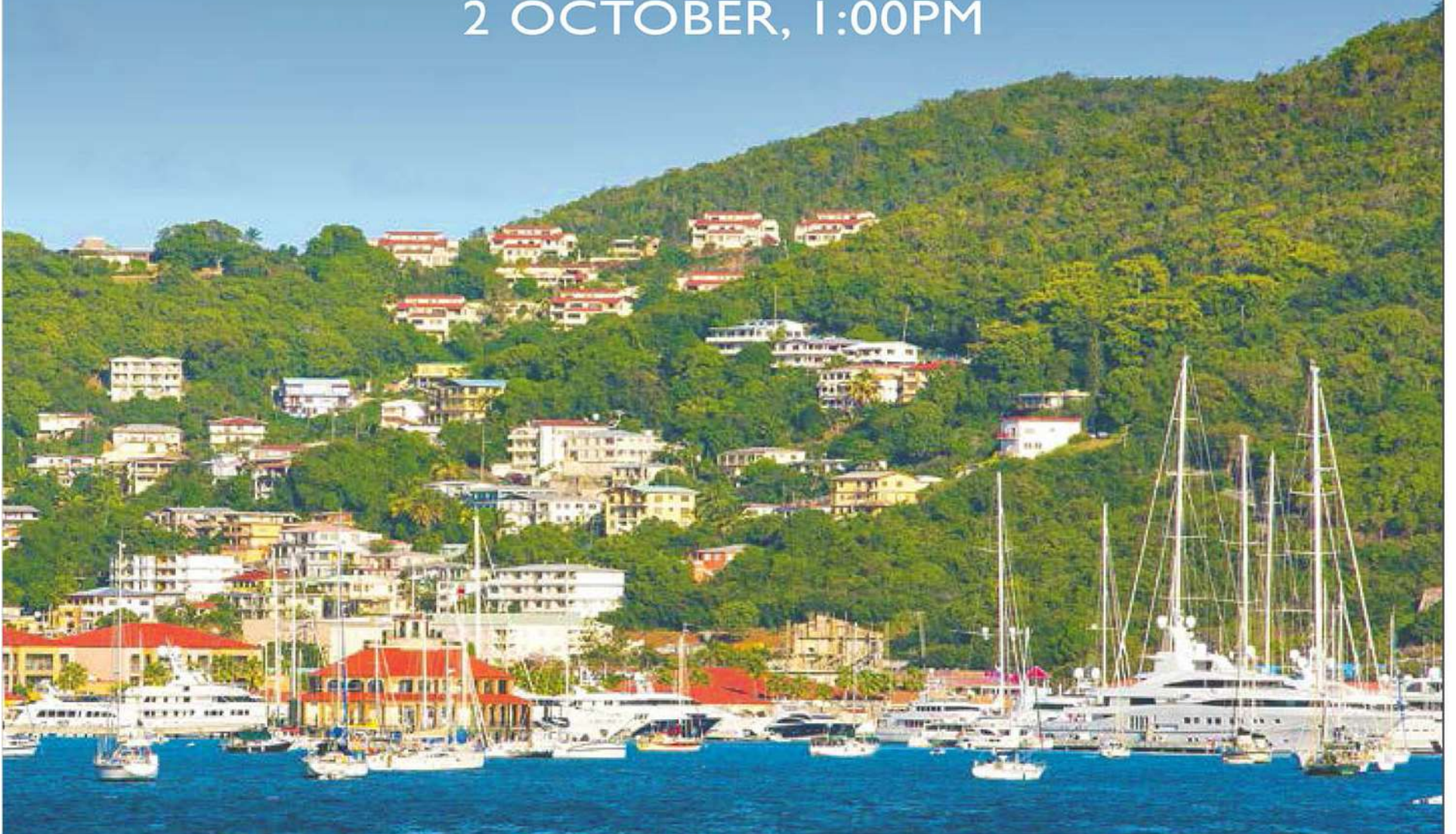
Appointments can be made Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

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# BVI Ports Authority Unveils a New Brand

September 18th, 2020 – Tortola, British Virgin Islands – The British Virgin Islands Ports Authority (BVIPA), the managing authority for all seaports for more than 30 years, unveiled today the launch

of a new corporate brand identity. The organization will continue to be known as the BVI Ports Authority but a refreshed look was presented. Branding research determined that evolving its brand identity,

rather than completely changing its name, was the optimal decision. The reputation and equity built under its previous identity is a valuable asset, but no longer accurately reflected the organization's direction,

services and strategy towards achieving the BVIPA's vision, "to become the regional leader in providing efficient seaport facilities where customer and employee satisfaction is paramount." The way forward in this New Regular requires a refresh and reboot of the strategy to achieve its Mission and Vision. In the effort to chart the new way forward, the focal point of the new logo has become the anchor. In the words of the BVIPA's chairman, Mr. Kelvin Hodge, "It is a symbol of hope, when lifted up from the water of a port, it represents a new adventure, a new voyage or journey. An anchor is raised when we enter a new era just as when a ship is about to set sail." The main feature of the BVIPA's new logo is the anchor but the new contemporary logo speaks to efficiency, clarity and directness as the BVIPA team charts the course for the future while remaining steadfast and resilient.


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**The Role**

The ideal candidate will be an excellent communicator with a real passion for training and staff development. They should have an outstanding training delivery style and technique, plus be able to train competently at a variety of business levels. They should also be an experienced coach, capable of helping staff to reach their full potential.

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*(L-R) Chairman BVI Ports Authority Board, Mr. Kelvin Hodge and Premier and Minister of Finance, Honourable Andrew A. Fahie unveiling the BVIPA's new brand*

The rebranding is part of the organization's strategy to evolve its business and create a foundation for new opportunities. The organization underwent a strategic restructuring early this year to better leverage its business; it updated its cargo and cruise booking system to allow for real-time bookings; it recently implemented a new pandemic plan to ensure an uninterrupted supply chain, a new contactless payment service was recently offered to enhance customer services; and it is actively exploring new lines of business such as technical calls and warm layups. Premier and Minister of Finance, Honourable Andrew A. Fahie who is also the Minister responsible for Ports commended the BVIPA for its work thus far, "I continue to have enormous confidence in the BVI Ports Authority's team and its commitment in their continued role in keeping the supply chain moving during this pandemic and beyond. It is fitting that the anchor will now be the prominent feature of the rebranding, as the BVI Ports has shown us strength and steadfastness over the years, especially during this pandemic and will continue to be a source of stability in our New Regular." Premier Fahie further stated, "They are not waiting for the change to happen or for a date to move forward, they are moving forward, and they are staying ahead of the curve ready and set for when we open up this economy in the New Regular." In all, the branding embodies an organization that is reinventing itself, but is still very committed to its history. The new identity builds upon its history of innovation and quality care, but also opens doors to the future. The BVI Ports Authority's rebranding will be a phased transformation. The first phase was the unveiling of the new brand identity which additionally serves as a precursor to the organization's 30th Anniversary celebrations. As the BVI Ports Authority moves forward on this journey with a new brand identity, it does so with BVILOVE.



# Elmore Stoutt High School Receives Additional Music Equipment



L-R (2) Maples Representatives; Premier and Minister of Finance, Honourable Andrew A Fahie; Chief Executive Officer, Anthony McMaster; Deputy Premier and Minister for Education, Culture, Youth Affairs, Fisheries and Agriculture, Dr. the Honourable Natalio D. Wheatley

The Elmore Stoutt High School Music Department now has additional music equipment following a donation from Maples Group and Unite BVI.

The equipment was donated to the Ministry of Education, Culture, Youth Affairs, Fisheries and Agriculture by Maples Group, which also donated an additional \$12,500, and Unite BVI's donation of \$4,270 towards the project as part of their commitment to music education in the Virgin Islands.

The donations were facilitated by the Recovery and Development Agency (RDA) as part of its fundraising mandate and in an effort to attract public/private partnership to fund recovery efforts.

Deputy Premier and Minister for Education, Culture, Youth Affairs, Fisheries and Agriculture, Dr. the Honourable Natalio D. Wheatley said he was thankful for support and investment towards the

Territory's young people.

The Instrument received include:

Qty.	Description
6	Bb Trumpets: Etude WBT ETR100 Trumpet Outfit with case
5	Bb Trombones: Allora ATB-250L Student Trombone with case
1	Bb Euphonium: Giardinelli GEP-300 Series 3 Valve Euphonium with case
1	Bb Tuba: Allora AATU-105P Tuba with case
3	Full size Digital Pianos (88 keys): Yamaha with cushion, seat and stand
2	Electric Bass Guitars (4 string): Ibanez
1	Electric Guitar (6 string): Fender Squier

The instruments will be allocated to students to practice at home during these times of remote learning due to COVID-19.

The school's music programme is presently housed in a temporary structure on its campus that was contracted through the Recovery and Development Agency (RDA) as part of its rebuilding mandate after the hurricanes of 2017. The temporary structure was also a public/private sector partnership with UNITE BVI

development of the master plan for the rebuilding of the rest of the school including the music classrooms, and that the ministry welcomes all support for this project especially for additional musical equipment.

Minister Wheatley added, "In the meantime, we have an immediate need for further support to be able to work together to raise funds to purchase a new steel band orchestra to complete the available instruments for our students at the high school. So, the ministry and the

RDA would welcome new funders to come forward and join our partnership."

The Ministry of Education, Culture, Youth Affairs, Fisheries and Agriculture will continue to partner with the RDA to rebuild the Territory stronger, better and smarter.

The RDA was established in April 2018, to collaborate with the Government of the Virgin Islands, private sector, the public and civil society to best address the urgent needs of the Territory as a result of the natural disasters that occurred in 2017.



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# COMMENTARY

## COVID 19 AND FEARFUL TIMES FOR VIRGIN ISLANDS BUSINESSES

By Dickson Igwe



Dickson Igwe

September 18, 2020

There is light at the end of the tunnel on the COVID 19 Pandemic with an approved vaccine expected shortly, and new super swift testing and tracing capabilities.

However businesses remain desperate and fearful, and that is to be expected

Ok. This Virgin Islands swimming instructor met his key sponsor on another breezy day in paradise, at a marina and resort on Tortola.

The marina and resort manager – a charismatic man with a relaxed bonhomie- was unusually melancholic. He was clearly burdened with the horrific impact that the pandemic was having on his business.

" We need a national plan for reopening Mr. Igwe," he asserted. My revenues are down over 50%, and that is having dire repercussions for my customers and employees. "There is only so much we can bear before we may have to close down, even if that means for one season he added."

Now this writer has supported the government's posture that it will be directed by the science – and only by the science- in its plans for reopening the country and economy. However, he fully appreciates the concerns of business that relies on an open and free market, and stress free trading environment, to survive.

Closed borders, lock downs, and curfews, are excellent for containing and controlling the spread of the Corona Virus. However, the preceding are also a "death knell" for any economy.

And it has been a miserable year so far. The Coronavirus has killed hundreds of thousands around the world. And it has also confined the rest of us to our homes for much longer than usual, and on a daily basis, as the virus has ravaged the BVI economy, especially travel and tourism.

And in the colder countries to the north, especially North America and Europe, as autumn days get colder and shorter, and Covid-19 cases surge,

a dismal time looms ahead. COVID 19 appears to be a nightmare that will ever end?

The cries of the tourism and maritime industry in a country like the BVI are understandable. In the USA, Canada, and Europe, businesses have been supported by trillions of dollars of government stimulus. A country like the Virgin Islands simply cannot afford that type of overt and generous support to keep the population in jobs and out of poverty.

Consequently, the end to this horrible time is the hope that a vaccine will be forthcoming soon. Scientists around the globe are racing to develop a vaccine.

Regulators everywhere are fast-tracking approval processes.

While it is not yet clear whether any particular vaccine will prove to be safe and effective, pharmaceutical companies are preparing to crank up production of many promising candidates.

Governments are even creating a market for vaccines by placing big orders in advance.

If at least one of these bets pays off, 2021 will be a much happier year.

A vaccine offers investors renewed confidence. That is the main economic benefit in a vaccine short term. When investors - who run the

global economy-feel confident, there is frequently a rising confidence of consumers and businesses. That is usually the path out of recession. Economics is first and foremost about confidence.

The hope is that once a vaccine is approved and widely distributed, that humanity will finally be free to hug elderly relatives, socialize with both friends and strangers, move around as we please, and get back to work more or less normally.

In the meanwhile, governments like the Virgin Islands ,that do not have the power to create trillions of dollars of stimulus, out of the creation of debt instruments that investors are willing and happy to "lap up," must use every effort to ensure their economies survive, by listening to the cries of their business people.

One option for the Virgin Islands is creating a regime of pandemic worker who will test, trace, and isolate residents and aliens, as a means of driving normality in the economy. That regime should be supported by a COVID19 tax and levy on travelers who should rightly cover the costs of such a program.

New technologies, like trackers

on bands around the wrist, and cell phone applications, should enable COVID tracers keep an eye on travelers who enter the territory and who prior to entry test negative for COVID 19.

A look around the world will reveal the BVI is not unique in having locked borders and severe travel restrictions. And until a vaccine is approved and widely distributed this is going to be the norm everywhere.

In Europe, a second surge has appeared and is forcing another round of restrictions and local lock downs. The USA – the world's worst affected country- is already seeing a second surge that is worrying scientists.

Yes, government must listen to business. And government must provide businesses with its plan to reopen the country and economy; a plan that is transparent and widely available.

But businesses too must understand the limits of government to "pull a hare out the hat" and return to pre pandemic normality in the time of COVID.

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## STATEMENT BY MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, CULTURE, YOUTH AFFAIRS, FISHERIES AND AGRICULTURE

DR. THE HONOURABLE NATALIO D. WHEATLEY

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2020

### UPDATE ON THE REOPENING OF SCHOOLS

Good day and God's blessings to the people of the Virgin Islands. During my statement on the reopening of schools on Tuesday, 25th August, 2020, I announced that our phased plan to reopen schools was derailed due to a spike in COVID-19 cases in the Territory. I also stated that this decision would be reviewed in the weeks that followed. Since then we have had dozens of active cases. Through the leadership of the Minister of Health and the HEOC team and the cooperation of the public, we have been able to contain this latest outbreak of the Corona Virus, and for this we give all thanks to God! But

we are not out of the woods yet, and I encourage everyone to remain vigilant and adhere to the various health and social distancing guidelines as we continue in our efforts to combat the virus.

As a result of the continued progress that the Territory has experienced with the identification and isolation of positive cases, with the widespread testing and reduction of new positive cases, and with the many recoveries of infected persons, I am pleased to announce that we are now poised to resume our phased reopening of schools.

During yesterday's Cabinet meeting, Cabinet received the

HEOC COVID-19 Situation Report #28 and made various decisions in regards to the Territory's schools.

One such decision was to instruct the Attorney General's Chambers to amend the Suppression Order No. 6 to allow private schools, daycare centres, pre-schools and colleges to open for in-school instruction where approved, following inspection by the Social Monitoring Task Force and the Ministry of Education, and in compliance with the Social Distancing Protocols of six feet and Sanitisation Measures.

It is of paramount importance that everyone understands

that all educational institutions must have measures in place to safeguard the health and wellbeing of our children and our teachers, as stipulated in our "Framework for the reopening of Schools", or they will not be allowed to open. This is a serious responsibility that we must all work together on.

Our public school system will also open, but in a phased manner. We recognize that all students are not able to access online education in the same way, and, therefore, Cabinet further decided to allow the following groups back into our public school classrooms: technical education students;



Dr. the Hon. Natalio D. Wheatley

students with special needs; and marginalised students and adult education students, as specified and approved by the Chief Education Officer.

Today, a new Public Health (COVID-19 Control and Suppression Measures)

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(No. 7) Order, 2020 has now been gazetted to give effect to Cabinet's decision. As was done during the Trinity term, all institutions are asked to make the necessary preparations and contact the Chief Education Officer, who will make the arrangements for inspection with the Environmental Health Division.

All schools will be expected to comply with the requirements outlined in the Ministry's Framework for the Reopening of Schools which include some of the following provisions:

All persons on school campuses must wear a mask or face shield. Visitors to school campuses will be restricted. Each school will decide how visitors will be accommodated with the restricted guidelines. School schedules will be outlining lunch and break periods and having them occur in a staggered manner to ensure a

control of students gathering in groups.

I wish to emphasize that schools should continue to engage students through a series of online interactive sessions utilising Cisco Webex, Zoom online platform, Class Dojo, Facebook, WhatsApp, Instagram, Google Teams, and Google Hangout, combined with the Google Classroom, emails, and PowerSchool for sending and receiving assignments, even for those who are attending classes on the campus.

You would have already heard me outline the plans of the Ministry for this academic year to ensure that we work with every child to get the best academic results. I am calling on all parents to be diligent in ensuring that your child has a structured place in which to engage in

school.

Over the next few weeks, I will engage in further discussions as I seek to have another phase of the reopening framework implemented. The schools will be prepared appropriately to accommodate students. Clear demarcations must be placed separating the spaces for each student. Wash basins must be visible for hand washing; sanitizers must be in all classrooms for on-going sanitisation throughout the day. Before I close, I am pleased that the ICT Unit of the Ministry has been able to commence the distribution of Virgin Islands Digital Education (VIDE) ahead of the start of a new school year. I am aware that there have been some challenges which have resulted in the interruption to the distribution schedule. I was disappointed to learn about the extensive damages to the loaned devices. This lack of due care and attention to protecting these loaned devices has contributed to the current challenges. I wish

to give parents the assurance, however, that the Unit is working tirelessly to make additional VIDES available and to create alternative solutions to the existing challenges. For those parents who have already collected their devices, please note that the ICT Unit is in the process of emailing the credentials to allow students to access the application on the VIDES. Emails are being sent to the students' VI schools accounts. The ICT Unit will continue this exercise over the weekend so that students who have already collected their VIDES can access the textbooks.

I know that some parents in Grades 7 to 9 are becoming anxious because they have not yet received their VIDES. However, I wish to assure them that during these first two weeks, no new material will be taught. Emphasis will be on various orientations, providing psychosocial support, coping strategies, COVID-19 health

and safety tips, classroom etiquette, classroom expectations, including online etiquette, overview of the course material for the term, submission of assignments, academic ethics. During week two, emphasis will be on building basic subject readiness skills. By the end of this period, we expect to have solved the existing challenges.

We are indeed grateful to God for this breakthrough to allow some of our students to return to the classroom. This decision is timely as we will be joining on Sunday, 20th September, 2020 to commit the 2020/2021 school year into God's hands in our Annual Back to School Church Service. I invite you to join us on Facebook Live at 3:00 p.m. as we give God thanks and commit our new school year into His hands.

*Thank you for listening. May God continue to bless the people of these Virgin Islands.*



# GLOBAL NEWS BRIEF

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**PUERTO RICO** - In response to the Trump administration's politically motivated announcement regarding Puerto Rico, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE (DNC) Chair Tom Perez released the following statement:

"Donald Trump has consistently treated Puerto Ricans as second-class citizens. His administration failed Puerto Rico when Hurricane Maria made landfall and the people desperately needed help, and throughout the recovery process. I visited the island after Maria to bring supplies to those in need. And I witnessed the worst devastation I've seen in my life. But instead of showing leadership, Trump abandoned our fellow Americans when they needed us most. At every step, Trump has chosen to attack Puerto Rico and to disrespect the memory of the thousands who died because of his negligence. His administration has knowingly ignored laws and consistently treated Puerto Rico as a bargaining chip."

"Puerto Ricans will not be fooled by his empty promises — the deaths, the suffering, and the struggles Puerto Ricans still face are a constant reminder that Trump talks plenty but does very little. Joe Biden and Kamala Harris have a comprehensive plan to help Puerto Rico rebuild and begin a

new era of hope and prosperity; they will invest in recovery, not play games with disaster aid; they will provide more nutritional assistance and Medicaid funding, not slash them; and they will treat Puerto Ricans with the dignity and respect they deserve."

**WASHINGTON** - DNC Chair and former Labor Secretary Tom Perez released the following statement after 1.4 million Americans filed initial claims for unemployment last week: "Lies have consequences. Donald Trump lied about this pandemic, and now nearly 200,000 people have died, our economy is in recession, and just last week, another 1.4 million Americans filed for unemployment claims. This is the 26th consecutive week where more people have filed for unemployment benefits than during the single worst week of the Great Recession. Nearly 30 million are receiving some form of unemployment insurance. And it gets worse: an estimated 12 million Americans have already lost their employer-based health insurance. Meanwhile, Donald Trump is focused on taking health care away from millions more. Enough is enough. Donald Trump's lies have cost lives. At the very least, it should cost him his job. Joe Biden and Kamala Harris will put the health and safety of the

American people first. They will act decisively to end this pandemic and get Americans back to work. They will show the leadership and courage that have been lacking in the Trump White House since day one. And they will repair the soul of our nation."

**WASHINGTON** - "Democrats will always fight to end discrimination on the basis of race, ethnicity, national origin, language, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, or disability."

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No matter who you are, who you love, where you're from, or how you worship, Democrats are fighting for you.

**SCOTLAND** - As the morning of September 19 dawned six years ago, despondent supporters of Scottish independence looked on dejected in Glasgow's George Square, draped in Saltire flags and their cheeks emblazoned with the word "Yes". While they had come close to achieving what many had thought unthinkable, the dream of an independent Scotland appeared to have careened off the road just as the finish line came into view.

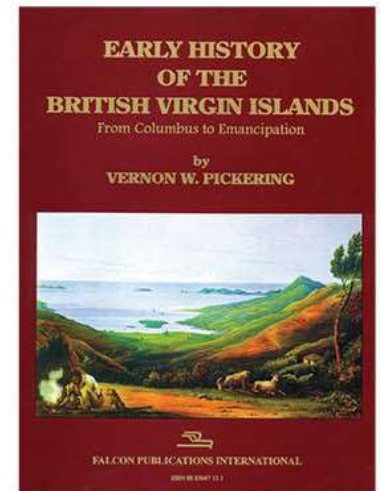
Fast forward to today and the foundations of the precarious United Kingdom are once again shifting under the weight of public and political pressure. Opinion polls in Scotland now consistently show a majority in favour of secession from the rest of the UK, a trend that shows little sign of being just a flash in the pan. So, why the sudden sea change in the fortunes of the independence movement in such a short period?

In the six years since the Scottish independence referendum took place on September 18, 2014, the UK has gone to the polls in two constitutional referenda, three general elections and devolved parliament elections. In this midst of this political tumult, one event in particular has had more impact than the rest: the EU referendum.

While the political and economic union that had persevered for 300 years held (just) in 2014, faultlines over Brexit could cause the final, fatal tremor that sees the UK collapse in on itself entirely. (Euro News)

**UNITED KINGDOM** - BREXIT risked sparking a domino effect in Europe, with Sweden appearing influenced by Britain's vote, after a poll found the country to be in favour of ditching Brussels for independence. Prime Minister Boris Johnson had been handed a flurry of resignations amid his controversial Internal Market Bill, which the government admitted risks breaching international law. The UK's envoy on press freedom, Amal Clooney, quit her role "in dismay" at the government's willingness to break international law over Brexit. The human rights lawyer said it was "lamentable" for Boris Johnson to be contemplating overriding the Brexit agreement he signed last year. Across the Atlantic, US presidential nominee Joe Biden similarly denounced the move, warning Mr. Johnson

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that a trade agreement would not be reached between the two should Northern Ireland's peace agreement be compromised. (Source: Express.co.uk)

**LONDON** - The Bank of England left policy unchanged but warned the UK economy was in a precarious position as COVID-19 cases rise and the government's furlough scheme draws to a close. Policy setters kept interest rates at record low levels and maintained the Bank's programme of bond buying at £745bn (\$966.6bn), as had been widely expected. The central bank said the UK economy was performing better than had been expected at its last meeting. However, rising COVID-19 cases, uncertainty around the end of the furlough scheme, and Brexit risks meant it was still unusually difficult to forecast and risks remain high. "The outlook for the economy remains unusually uncertain," the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) said in a summary of its meeting. The pound sank against the euro and dollar in response to the policy statement. (Yahoo News)

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# Ninth District came together during the weekend to clean the seaside in observance of International Coastal Clean-up Day.

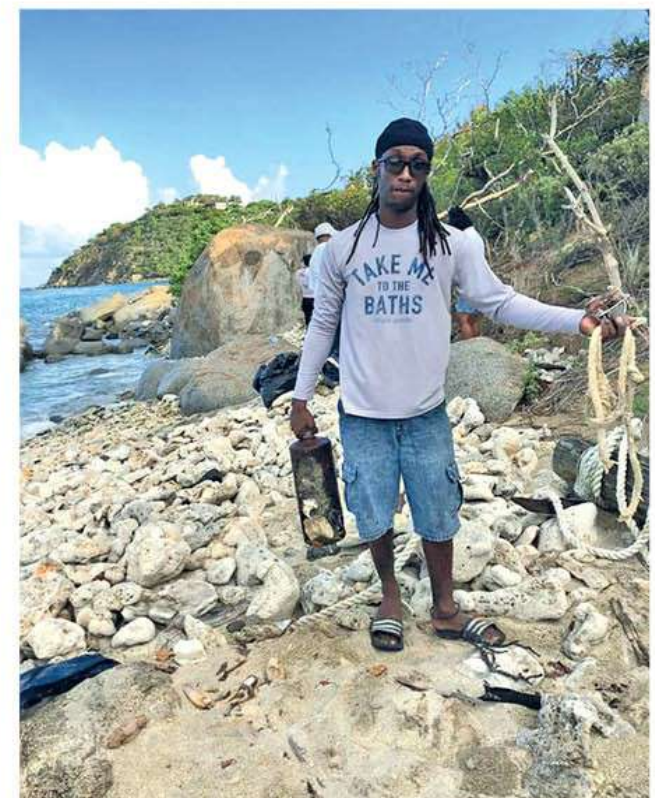
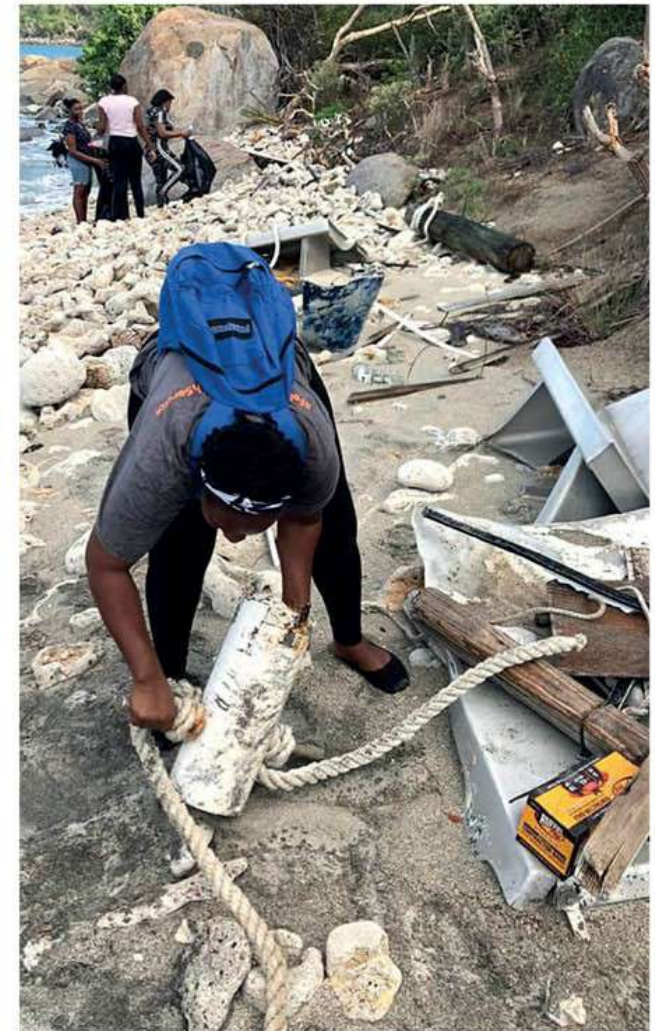
Residents of the Ninth District came together during the weekend to clean the seaside in observance of International Coastal Clean-up Day. The residents did a thorough job removing debris and trash along areas in Virgin Gorda.

The residents called the exercise a show of community spirit and pledged to continue to do their part to improve their community.

International Conservancy (IC) the global organization behind the day's observance explained that the 2020 observance was done under the banner of "harnessing the Power of People to Fight Ocean Trash."

It was explained that International Coastal Cleanup began more than 30 years ago, when communities rallied together with the common goal of collecting and documenting the trash littering their coastline. "The movement was catalyzed by the passion and spirit of two committed individuals. Back in 1986," IC said.

The day of coastal cleaning is now observed in more than 100 countries.





## Ladyburd Talks

**Dear Readers : Time Management and Self-Care during COVID-19 is very important**

The world is fighting a relentless battle against the COVID-19 pandemic – most offices and businesses are scaled down and schooling is still virtual. With the line between academic, professional and personal spaces blurring, many are finding it difficult to juggle deadlines, homeschooling, online lectures, household chores, and attending to family.

Having no physical classroom space to go to, no face-to-face lecture meetings, no lively discussions about a class project with course-mates, the typical day looks rather bleak, and for many students, productivity might drop to an all-time low. However, there are steps you can take to care for yourself and use your time productively.

**Here are some tips on how to effectively manage your time.**

### Set a schedule

Try and maintain some semblance of structure from the pre-quarantine days. Wake up and go to bed around the same time, eat meals, shower, adapt your exercise regimen, and get out of your PJ's as you normally do before..

Have a calendar to keep track of your daily activities. Your calendar should include days and time. Make an attempt to stick to your daily schedule by setting an alarm so you do not spend more than the allocated time for each activity. This way, you will be able to stay on track.

### Avoid multitasking and micro-tasking

Try not to perform more than one task or activity at a time. Many people think they can do multiple things at once but there are downsides to it. When you multitask or micro-task, assignments take longer to get done because each time you come back to an assignment, you have to get familiar with it, find your spot and remember what you were going to do next. You are also more likely to make mistakes and remember less because switching between tasks tires out the brain and you're less able to commit what you're learning to long-term memory.

### Trade your strategies for new ones

Look for ways to adapt your usual habits or form new ones. For example, if you usually study in the library, ask yourself what kind of environment helps you study. See if you can recreate that at home. Maybe it's studying in a chair, rather than on your bed or couch, or moving to a new spot when you change tasks. If you feel you need background noise, consider a white noise app.

In your best interest, avoid obsessing over endless coronavirus coverage. Choose only certain credible websites like cdc.gov for a limited amount of time each day.

With all the uncertainly happening outside your home, keep the inside organized, predictable and clean.

Setting up mental zones for daily activities can be helpful to organize your day. For example, try not to eat in bed or work on the sofa – just as before, eat at the kitchen table and work at your desk.

Loosening these boundaries just muddles your routine and can make the day feel very long.

Source: Posted by Oluwapelumi Osunrayi



## Ladyburd's Mail Box

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**Dear Ladyburd:** I have a problem and I need to talk with you about it, to see if you can advise me. My girlfriend is so Jealous, I honestly, don't know how long I can continue to deal with this situation. She searches my phone, and whenever I get a call she listens, or ease-drop on the call to hear what I am saying. The last straw is that I caught her with my phone again. I am not sure what she is looking for, I was so upset that I left the house for a couple hours, when I got back I did not speak to her...Its quite awhile now and I am still upset about it. How can I deal with this situation....**Jay**

**Ladyburd:** **Dear Jay:** There is some trust issue here, and I was wondering, what have you done to her, (not to accuse you of anything) why she is so insecure and not trusting you, that she found the need to search your phone, which I think is wrong on her part. Are you showing her love, are you supporting her emotionally, or are you always on your phone and ignoring her. Ask yourself these questions.

Regardless of what it is, she needs to say something to you, if she is not doing that, you would have to have a talk with her, you cannot build a relationship without trust. So you have to have this discussion, so that you can decide together that you are going to invest in this relationship and make it work, or you both decide to move on..



## Light Bulb Moments

*"The best portion of a good man's life is his little nameless, unencumbered acts of kindness and of love."*

— Wordsworth

*"When we do the best we can, we never know what miracle is wrought in our life or the life of another."*

— Helen Keller

*"Life is ten percent what happens to you and ninety percent how you respond to it."*

— Charles Swindoll

## Poetry Corner

### See It Through

*When you're up against a trouble,  
Meet it squarely, face to face;  
Lift your chin and set your shoulders,  
Plant your feet and take a brace.  
When it's vain to try to dodge it,  
Do the best that you can do;  
You may fail, but you may conquer,  
See it through!*

*Black may be the clouds about you  
And your future may seem grim,  
But don't let your nerve desert you;  
Keep yourself in fighting trim.  
If the worst is bound to happen,  
Spite of all that you can do,  
Running from it will not save you,  
See it through!*

*Even hope may seem but futile,  
When with troubles you're beset,  
But remember you are facing  
Just what other men have met.  
You may fail, but fall still fighting;  
Don't give up, whate'er you do;  
Eyes front, head high to the finish.  
See it through!*

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Source: <https://www.familyfriendpoems.com/poem/see-it-through-by-edgar-guest>

# Tickle My Funny Bones

By Delseita



## The Sermon

A young parish minister about to deliver his first sermon asked a retired cleric for advice on how to capture the congregation's attention. **"Start with an opening line that's certain to grab them,"** the older man said.

**"For example: 'Some of the best years of my life were spent in the arms of a woman who was not my wife.'"** He smiled at the younger man's shocked expression before adding, **"She was my mother."**

The next Sunday the young clergyman nervously clutched the pulpit rail in front of the congregation. Finally he said, **"Some of the best years of my life were spent in the arms of a woman."**

He was pleased at the instant reaction then became panic-stricken. **"But for the life of me, I can't remember who she was!"**

## Tardy Christian

One Sunday morning my sister Liz was surprised to receive a phone call from her minister. He reported that he'd just been in a minor car accident and asked if she could inform the congregation he'd be unable to conduct services that day.

Liz was flattered that out of the entire congregation, she was the one he had called—until the minister went on to say that since Liz was always the last to arrive at church, he knew she would be the only person he could still reach at home.

## Swear Words

Phillip and his friend delivered a large refrigerator to the local priest's home. With difficulty we had managed to get the fridge into the porch, but struggled for over 20 minutes to make the 90-degree turn through the narrow door. The priest, seeing our difficulty, asked what we usually did when confronted with such a situation.

Rubbing some badly skinned knuckles, Phillip replied, **"Well, Father, at this point we usually start cursing and using some F words"**

**"Well, gentlemen,"** Father replied, **"allow me time to move out of earshot so you can continue your work."**

## PUN INTENDED

**"What did the mayonnaise say when somebody opened the refrigerator?**

**"Hey, close the door! I'm dressing!"**

Source: <https://bestlifeonline.com/bad-funny-puns/>

# POLICE NEWS

## ARREST BLOTTER

.September 13 to 19, 2020

### WOUNDING CAUSING GRIEVOUS BODILY HARM WITH INTENT

On 18-09-20 at 1300hrs, Police arrested and charged Raheem Smith, 25 of Hawk's Nest for Wounding Causing Grievous Bodily Harm with Intent. He appeared before the Magistrate's Court and was remanded to Her Majesty's Prison, pending the results of his COVID-19 test, to reappear at a later date.

### THEFT

On 19-09-20 at 1030hrs, Police arrested and charged Monique Hodge-George, 47 of East End for 2 Counts of Theft. She was granted bail in the amount of \$10,000 with one signed surety to appear before the Magistrate's Court on 28-10-20 at 0900hrs.

### POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED DRUG

On 13-09-20 at 1350hrs, Police arrested and charged Travis Osborne, 27 of Carrot Bay for 2 Counts of Possession of a Controlled Drug, Possession of a Controlled Drug with Intent to Supply to Another, Breach of Curfew and Driving in Contravention of Traffic. He was granted bail in the amount of \$5,000 with one signed surety to appear before the Magistrate's Court on 28-10-20 at 0900hrs.

### POSSESSION OF CANNABIS

On 13-09-20at 1400hrs, Police arrested and charged Jevaughn Abel, 29 of Greenland for Possession of Cannabis and Breach of Curfew. He was granted bail in the amount of \$5,000 with one signed surety to appear before the Magistrate's Court on 27-10-20 at 0900hrs.

## POLICE SEEKING INFORMATION IN VG INCIDENT

Friday, September 18 - Police are seeking the assistance of the public in helping to identify three masked men who entered the residence of a Virgin Gorda resident.

It is confirmed that on Friday, September 18, 2020, during afternoon hours, the men entered the home of an employee of EMC Construction armed with a firearm and straps and tied up his family, demanding his whereabouts and money. The masked men later fled the scene before the arrival of the officers leaving the family unharmed.

Persons with information that can lead to the identification of the suspects involved can contact the emergency number 911 or RVIPF's non-emergency line 311. All information will be treated with discretion and confidentiality will be assured.

In an unrelated matter, Police are conducting investigations into an incident which occurred in East End between two brothers, resulting in one brother being transported to Dr. D. Orlando Smith Hospital with serious injuries, which were inflicted with a machete. It is uncertain as to the reason for the altercation; however, the attacker is presently in police custody.

## ROBBERY IN EAST END

Saturday, September 19 - Police are seeking the assistance of the public in helping to identify two masked men who entered the residence of an East End resident. It is confirmed that on Friday September 18, 2020, in the evening hours, the men entered the home of an employee of Scaffco Shutters, one being armed with a firearm, tied the family with clothing and searched through their belongings. The men, having found cash and jewelry, fled the scene before the arrival of officers. No one was injured during the ordeal. This incident occurred just hours after a similar incident which occurred in the Ninth District.

Persons with information that can lead to the identification of the suspects involved can contact the emergency number 911 or RVIPF's non-emergency line 311. All information will be treated with discretion and confidentiality will be assured

## Territory Wide Free Shuttle Service Resumes September 28

The public is notified that the free shuttle service being offered on Tortola, Jost Van Dyke, Virgin Gorda and Anegada will resume on Monday, September 28, 2020.

As a result of the Imposition of a new Curfew (No. 32) Order, 2020, the updated schedule per island is provided:

Tortola	6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Jost Van Dyke	6:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Virgin Gorda	7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Anegada	7:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Patrons are reminded that face masks are a requirement to receive service and that all social distancing and safety protocols should be strictly adhered to.

**No Mask No Service!**

**COVID-19 Mathematics Lesson:**  
PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING

30 PEOPLE  
30 DAYS  
30,000 LIVES SAVED

GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

**SOCIAL DISTANCING IS A WAY TO SLOW DOWN OR STOP THE SPREAD OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES BY LIMITING CONTACT BETWEEN YOU AND OTHER PEOPLE.**

**EVERY CHILD MATTERS**

**Parents! Teach your child the PANTS RULE!**  
Talk Pants and you've got it covered!

**P** Private parts are private. Nobody is permitted to touch it

**A** Always remember your body is yours and yours only.

**N** No means no. Never yield to pressure.

**T** Talk about secrets that upset you.

**S** Say something and speak up! Someone can help.





# PUBLIC STATEMENT

## OPERATION OF UNLICENSED MONEY SERVICES BUSINESS IN THE BVI



BVI Financial Services Commission (the "Commission") reminds members of the public that operating a Money Service Business ("MSB") is a regulated activity that requires a licence.

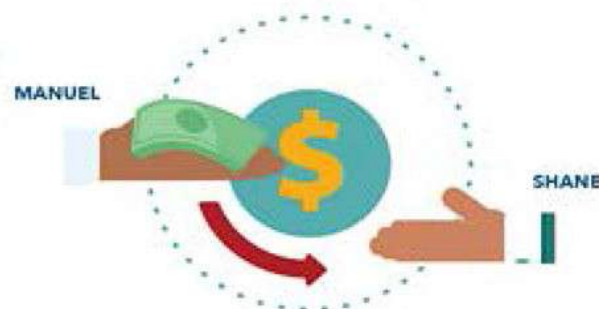
### CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING SCENARIO:

1.



Manuel wants to send some money to his family in the U.S.A.

2.



He gets into contact with Shane, who charges Manuel a fee to send money to the U.S.A.

3.



Manuel's family can then pick up the funds in the U.S.A. from Shane's associate.

**In this example, Shane is conducting a money services business that requires licensing.**

*The Financing and Money Services Act, 2009 provides for the regulation, licensing and supervision for persons carrying on financing and money services businesses.*

### PENALTY

If **NOT** licensed, and Shane is carrying on an unlicensed money services business, he has committed an offence. Shane may be liable to the following penalties:



1. A fine of \$75,000 USD;
2. 3 years imprisonment; or
3. Both

### Money Services operation includes:



Money transmission services (the business of moving money between bank accounts or from one person or organisation to another)



Cheque cashing services;



Currency exchange services;



The issuance, sale or redemption of money orders or traveller's cheques; or



An agent or franchise holder of a person carrying on any business specified above.

If you or anyone you know is aware of persons carrying out unlicensed money services business, you should report it to any of the following:

- **The Commission** at [BankingandFiduciary@bvifsc.vg](mailto:BankingandFiduciary@bvifsc.vg);
- **The Financial Crimes Unit of the Royal Virgin Islands Police Force** at [rvipolice@gov.vg](mailto:rvipolice@gov.vg); or
- **The Financial Investigation Agency** at [info@fiabvi.vg](mailto:info@fiabvi.vg).

Relevant persons may submit further queries on licensing a money services business to:

**Mrs. Cindy George-Maduro**, Regulator in Banking, Insolvency & Fiduciary services at 852-4772 or [george-maduroc@bvifsc.vg](mailto:george-maduroc@bvifsc.vg).

# The Public's Turn to Vote For CIBC FirstCaribbean Unsung Frontline Heroes Across The Region

Bridgetown, Barbados, 17, September 2020 – With close to 100 nominations received across the region, it is now the public's turn to help choose the FirstCaribbean Unsung Frontline Heroes in the BVI.

"Over the past weeks we have been very heartened by the many nominations we have received highlighting the brave and selfless work of so many across our region who have made the fight against Covid-19 and its impact, their daily mission," said Debra King, Director of Corporate Communications, CIBC FirstCaribbean.

"As we move into the second phase of our initiative – sharing the

inspiring stories of the nominees and giving the public a chance to read and vote on those entries – we hope that the public will be inspired and encouraged by the many stories we have received," Mrs. King added.

Just over a month ago, the bank launched the regional initiative aimed at identifying those unsung frontline heroes who have shone brightest in the darkest moments of the Covid-19 crisis. The public was invited via social media platforms to submit their nominees.

To vote for a FirstCaribbean Unsung Frontline Heroes log on to the CIBC FirstCaribbean

website [www.cibcfib.com](http://www.cibcfib.com), Facebook and Instagram pages.

The nominees must have been resident in any the 16 territories where the CIBC FirstCaribbean operates and have worked, volunteered or been involved in any of the award categories listed below:

- Medical personnel
- The Protective Services
- Community Heroes (individuals who by their courageous acts, strength and self-sacrifice in the service of a community, have made a difference to those persons impacted.

The nominees for the BVI are Mr. Trevon D. Penn, Mr. Chris Juredin and Nurse Yahmega John.

The public voting period ends on 26, September 2020 and winners will be announced at the end of September 2020. Winners will receive an E-Check for US\$2,000 toward a staycation at a local hotel of their choice.

FirstCaribbean has previously highlighted many hidden treasures in our communities who have made a difference in the lives of persons they have helped or touched in some way through its flagship Unsung Heroes programme, which concluded in 2013.



Mr. Trevon D. Penn



Mr. Chris Juredin



Nurse Yahmega John.

### Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



### R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



### The Spats

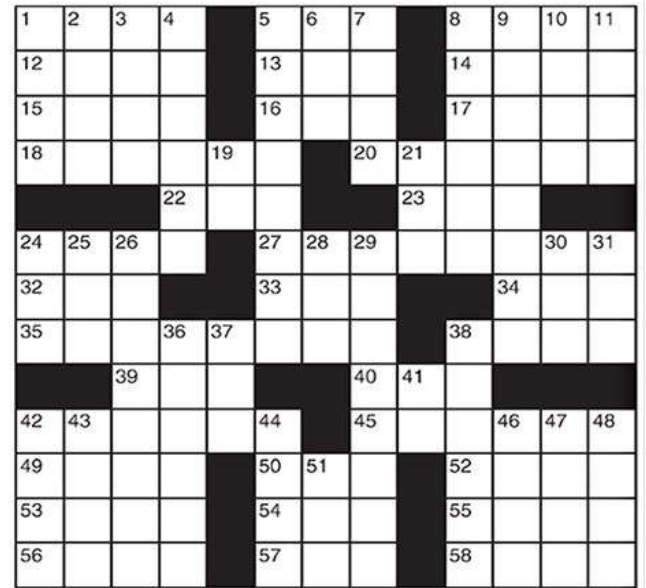
by Jeff Pickering



## King Crossword

#### ACROSS

- 1 Waller or Domino
- 5 " — not choose to run"
- 8 Stoolie
- 12 Hardly ruddy
- 13 Calendar abbr.
- 14 In due time
- 15 Noble gas
- 16 Born
- 17 Loosen
- 18 Cowpoke of the pampas
- 20 Get new actors
- 22 Car-pool lane abbr.
- 23 Profit
- 24 Elevator name
- 27 Crucial experiment
- 32 See 12-Across
- 33 Heavy weight
- 34 Mainlander's memento
- 35 Midday party
- 38 Favorable votes
- 39 Raw rock
- 40 Boom times
- 42 Merry
- 45 This or that, it matters not
- 49 Sheltered
- 50 Possess



- 52 Legislation
- 53 Factory-fresh
- 54 Craze
- 55 Malaria symptom
- 56 Automaton, for short
- 57 To and —
- 58 Egg part
- 7 Finished
- 8 Tap
- 9 From birth
- 10 Affirmative actions
- 11 Entanglement
- 19 Word after heave or gung
- 21 Finish
- 24 Night flyer
- 25 Greek cross
- 26 Guiltless
- 28 Bill and —
- 29 Sly slur
- 30 Glimpse
- 31 " — the sea-son ..."
- 36 Vinegar bot-
- 37 Coop denizen
- 38 Off
- 41 "Life of —"
- 42 Door-frame piece
- 43 Hodgepodge
- 44 Remove, as a cap
- 46 "Les Miserables" writer
- 47 Hebrew month
- 48 Stench
- 51 Simple card game

#### DOWN

- 1 Vampire tooth
- 2 Cruising
- 3 Grand
- 4 Harmonizes
- 5 Start something new
- 6 Buck's mate

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### Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	9			5	1			
	6	1		8				7
5			7					6
		3		9	8			2
7		1						5
	2			6				3
		8			4			1
	5	3						4
1			7	6	2			

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ♦♦♦♦

♦♦ Moderate ♦♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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### HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Rug is missing. 2. Hat is backward. 3. Blanket is shorter. 4. Man's hair is different. 5. Sun has fewer rays. 6. Shrubs have been added.

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5	8	2	9	7	6	4	1	3	6
6	7	8	1	3	9	5	2	5	6
3	9	4	7	2	8	7	6	4	8
3	6	7	9	8	5	2	5	8	4
9	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2	1	3	5	4	9	3	1	6	9
8	9	3	6	7	2	7	9	1	5
7	6	7	4	8	1	4	8	2	3
4	1	2	4	3	5	1	2	4	8

Answer

#### Weekly SUDOKU

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Solution time: 25 mins.

Answers

#### King Crossword

## Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

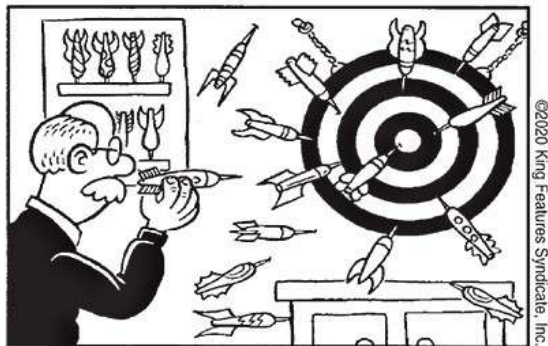
1. GEOGRAPHY: Which modern city was originally named Byzantium?
2. AD SLOGANS: Which national company's slogan is "We'll leave a light on for you"?
3. ANATOMY: Which bone are babies born without?
4. HISTORY: Which European monarch was known as the "Sun King"?
5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is Samhain?
6. MEDICAL TERMS: What is the condition formally known as diastema?
7. ART: Which famous painting is also known as "La Gioconda"?
8. LITERATURE: Where does Winnie-the-Pooh live with his friends?
9. MUSIC: Which country is the rock group AC/DC from?
10. FOOD & DRINK: What is the primary ingredient in traditional hummus?

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**MORE READERS: THE ISLAND SUN**

1. Istanbul, Turkey; 2. Motel 6; 3. Kneecaps, which develop after birth; 4. Louis XIV of France; 5. A Gaelic festival Oct. 31-Nov. 1 celebrating the end of the harvest and beginning of winter; 6. A noticeable gap between two teeth; 7. Mona Lisa; 8. Hundred Acre Wood; 9. Australia; 10. Chickpeas

Trivia Test Answers

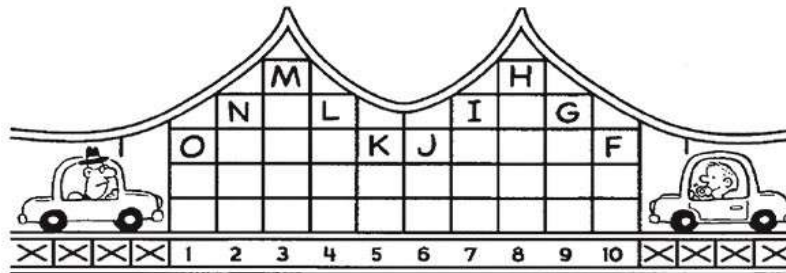


**EVERYONE** brought their own darts to the local tournament. See if you can spot two darts that are exactly alike in one minute flat.

Illustrated by David Coulson

# Junior Whirl

by Charles Barry Townsend



### A WORD BRIDGE!

The bridge above contains 10 supporting words. We give you the first letter of each word plus plenty of hints:

1. A spherical object.
2. A fastener.
3. Latin American dance.
4. Hot and flowing.
5. A young goat.
6. To extend outward.
7. One of many.
8. A Mideast confection.
9. To stare stupidly.
10. An electronic transmission.

### A STUNNING SUMMATION!

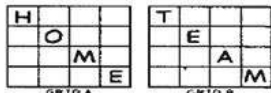
Challenge the class math whiz to solve this one. Have him/her arrange the nine digits below so that the sum of the even digits equals the sum of the odd digits.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Answer: (Even digits) 2 + 4 + 6 + 8 = 12.8. (Odd digits) 1 + 3 + 5 + 7 + 9 = 12.8.

**LET'S SEE IF YOU HAVE THE HOME TEAM ADVANTAGE!** Pictured below are two puzzle grids for you to fill in. Hints are given for each word. The words in Grid B contain the same letters as the words in Grid A.

1. Indirect information.
2. Not any.
3. Inclined surface.
4. Being identical.



1. Lacking substance.
2. Type of light.
3. English baby conveyance.
4. A layer of coal.

Answers: 1. Orb. 2. Nail. 3. Mambo. 4. Lava. 5. Kid. 6. Jul. 7. Item. 8. Haiva. 9. Gawlk. 10. Fax.

# top ten

## Highest-Paid Athletes

1. Roger Federer
2. Cristiano Ronaldo
3. Lionel Messi
4. Neymar
5. LeBron James
6. Stephen Curry
7. Kevin Durant
8. Tiger Woods
9. Kirk Cousins
10. Carson Wentz

Source: Forbes



## Salome's Stars

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) Although practical situations continue to dominate this week, there's time for the Lamb to indulge in the fun things in life — like maybe taking a special someone out for a great evening.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) This week favors relationships. Take time to renew old ones, and make time to go where new friends can be found. On a more practical note, expect news about a business deal.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) You should be seeing some progress on that new workplace situation. Meanwhile, family matters might demand more attention, and you'll want to set aside time to deal with them.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) A relationship suddenly might present some challenges you never expected. After talking things out, you might want to consider taking some time to assess what you've learned.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) A disappointing response to a request might dampen the Lion's spirits. But you might want to ask the reasons behind it. What you learn can be of great importance in a future undertaking.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) A once-volatile situation should be settled by now, giving you a chance to refocus on a project you've been planning for. Look for an interested party to rally to your support.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) A business matter that unexpectedly turns into a personal situation could create complications. Best to resolve the matter now before too much harm can be done.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) Emotions can run high when they involve personal matters that no one really wants to talk about. But this could be a good time to create the means to a workable outcome.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) A positive response to a workplace request could lead the way to other long-sought changes. Congratulations. A personal situation also takes a welcome turn.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Patience pays off, as that once-overwhelming work situation continues to become easier to handle on a one-by-one basis. Look for positive news from a colleague.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) It might be a good idea to take more time to reassess your next move in working out a complex situation. You could benefit from a new perspective on the matter.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) You might want to consider making time to discuss a change of plans with everyone concerned. Be prepared to explain your actions. Also be prepared to listen to alternatives.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You have a strong sense of what is right, and you try to work from that foundation. Friends see you as reliable.

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## Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



## Strange BUT TRUE

By Lucie Winborne

- In early 2016, a 155-year-old mousetrap caught a mouse in a British museum. The trap was part of the exposition and hadn't even been considered operational for a long time.
- Bill Nye the Science Guy holds a patent for ballet pointe shoes.
- Some odd things have been sold online, but an entire country? Yep, a fellow from Brisbane, Australia, tried to sell New Zealand on eBay in 2006! The site closed the auction at a top bid of \$3,000.
- A mental phenomenon called the Troxler effect, discovered in 1804, causes people to see monsters in mirrors — whether they say “bloody Mary” three times or not.
- In order to prevent Boggle players from using a certain swear word, the letters F and K appear only once on the same cube, making it impossible for them to both be played at the same time.
- In 1987, Steve Rothstein paid \$250,000 for a lifetime unlimited first-class American Airlines ticket, even hopping on planes to get a sandwich or go to a baseball game in other cities. It cost American Airlines around \$21 million, and they unsurprisingly ended his contract in 2008.
- A full 12% of sighted people dream exclusively in black and white.

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## Give Mayonnaise That Personal Touch

I spend hours every day thinking about food. I'm the director of a non-profit health outreach organization and a certified health worker tasked with sourcing and distributing food and essential supplies to underserved neighborhoods impacted by COVID-19. I'm also a chef, healthy food product developer, food writer and cookbook author with a passion for using unique ingredients -- produce, meats, herbs and spices -- to create recipes as the focus of my work to use food as medicine.

Sometimes, all those hours concentrating on food become a problem when it comes to figuring out what I want to eat. When that happens, I turn to a simple, satisfying solution -- I make myself a sandwich. It's the perfect, versatile, hand-held meal for any time of the day!

Sandwiches range from slices of beef, turkey, chicken or seafood on whole-wheat bread to roasted vegetables stuffed in a pita. Dressings, spreads and sauces can add a delicious depth and complexity to a typical sandwich and completely change its flavor profile.



A mealtime sandwich suddenly becomes more interesting with the addition of a beautifully flavored mayonnaise. Adding herbs, spices or fruit to homemade or a good-quality store-bought mayonnaise changes the flavor and can be made to complement a wide range of meats, seafood and vegetables.

Mayonnaise is made by creating an emulsion, in this case oil and egg yolks, two ingredients that normally don't combine. Egg yolks provide a rich, creamy base, while adding lemon juice or vinegar to the mayonnaise emulsion also helps deter any bacteria growth. Using the highest quality eggs ensures that safety concerns are reduced to a minimum.

All the ingredients for making mayonnaise, especially the eggs, need to be at room temperature. Take everything out at least 30 minutes before you begin. The lecithin in the egg yolks also helps to stabilize the emulsion ingredients, and lutein adds an important antioxidant that helps to maintain healthy vision.

The key to making an emulsion is adding the oil in a slow, steady stream. The type of oil used in the emulsion changes the flavor of the mayonnaise. Do not use unrefined oils containing monoglycerides or extra-virgin olive oil, as the flavor is too strong, and the emulsion will separate. For best results, use regular olive oil, or combine it with vegetable oil.

Use this basic recipe for mayonnaise, and then add your favorite combination of herbs, spices and other ingredients to create a spread that will add a special zip to your sandwiches.

### BASIC MAYONNAISE

For best results, avoid making mayonnaise during wet or humid weather, as it will affect the emulsion and the mayonnaise will have a greasy texture. For a richer mayo, use only the egg yolks.

- 1 egg yolk • 1/4 teaspoon salt • 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
  - 1/4 teaspoon sugar • 1/2 cup vegetable oil • 1/2 cup olive oil
  - 3 teaspoons lemon juice or white-wine vinegar • 2 teaspoons hot water
1. Using a food processor, blender or mixer set on medium speed, combine the egg yolk, salt, dry mustard and sugar until well-blended and a pale yellow.
  2. With the motor running, slowly drizzle the oils (1/4 cup at a time) into the yolk mixture in a slow, steady stream. Drizzle in 1 tablespoon of the lemon juice and a teaspoon of the hot water. Continue to alternate mixing in the oil and the lemon juice until all the ingredients have been combined. The finished mayonnaise will be thick. If a thinner consistency is desired, whisk in 1 or 2 teaspoons of hot water.
  3. Cover and refrigerate for at least an hour before using to let the flavors blend. The mayonnaise will keep about 4 to 5 days. Yield: 1 1/4 cups.

The following additions add a unique flavor to this basic mayonnaise recipe:

**Spices:** saffron, paprika, cumin, mustard, coriander, chilies, horseradish/wasabi, ground ginger, curry powder and nutmeg.

**Herbal Flavors:** dill, parsley, basil, oregano, sage, cilantro, chives, chervil.

**Other Flavors:** grated lemon or orange zest, chutney, sun-dried tomatoes, capers, anchovy paste, pureed avocado, roasted red peppers, lime juice, ground dried wild mushrooms, pesto sauce, barbeque sauce, hot sauce, pureed mango or crushed pineapple, soy or Worcestershire sauce, honey mustard, minced garlic, purple or green onions, olives, diced sweet or dill pickles.

**Oil Substitutions:** Infused olive oils, sweet almond oil, canola oil, safflower oil, avocado oil.

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## Caribbean News / Regional News

# CARICOM SG holds discussions with US Secretary of State

(CARICOM Secretariat, Turkeyen, Greater Georgetown, Guyana) Secretary-General of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM) Ambassador Irwin LaRocque had fruitful discussions with United States Secretary of State Mr Michael Pompeo at the CARICOM Secretariat Headquarters, Turkeyen, Guyana on Friday 18 September.

The discussions included exchanges on the Covid-19 Pandemic and the severe economic fall-out being experienced by CARICOM Member States, the renewal of the Caribbean Basin Trade and Partnership Act (CBPTA), the de-risking of regional banks by US financial institutions and co-operation under the Caribbean Basin Security Initiative (CBSI).

The Secretary-General took the opportunity to thank Mr Pompeo for the response by him and US Treasury Secretary Mr Steve Mnuchin to the issues raised in a letter to them by the then Chair of the Community, the Honourable Mia Mottley, Prime Minister of Barbados earlier this year. The Community sought US support for initiatives to assist in combatting among other things, the economic fall-out from the pandemic.

Ambassador LaRocque emphasised the need for CARICOM Member States to have access to concessional development financing which is denied to them due to the criteria applied of GDP per capita and the classification of Member States as middle income in that context. This access, he noted, was critical as the Region sought to emerge from the grave economic crisis brought on by Covid-19 as well as to build resilience to natural disasters.

# Antigua and Barbuda Tourism Arrivals Begin Gradual Rise

(ST. JOHN'S, ANTIGUA) September 23, 2020 – As Antigua and Barbuda Tourism Industry stakeholders prepare for peak season, tourism officials are cautiously optimistic that with arrivals steadily increasing each month since the destination's re-opening, that the moderate upward trend will continue into the traditionally busy tourism period.

For the year to August 2020, tourism stayover arrivals show that the destination received 94,810 visitors. Though arrivals dipped drastically in March due to reduced airlift brought on by the global pandemic, as the V.C Bird International Airport re-opened to international flights in June, monthly visitor arrivals have more than doubled from then until the end of August.

For the month of August, the destination received 4761 visitors, with 67% of these visitors travelling from the United States, followed by 21% from the United Kingdom & Europe, 7% from the Caribbean and 3% from Canada.

Minister of Tourism, Charles Fernandez noted that: "The Ministry of Tourism and the Antigua and Barbuda Tourism Authority continue to carefully monitor the Covid-19 landscape within our main source markets. We remain committed to working with the Ministry of Health and the entire Antigua and Barbuda Tourism sector to ensure that as the destination opens up further, we keep those protective measures in place that have been designed to safeguard our residents and those who visit our shores."

The Tourism Minister explained that it would not be business as normal, as with the pandemic ongoing, Covid-19 protocols would still require visitors to travel with their

negative PCR test, wear facial masks when social distancing was not possible and adhere to other protocols stipulated by the Ministry of Health. For tourism businesses, he noted that protocols would also affect operations, and in some instances would mean reduced occupancy levels.

Presently American Airlines, Delta, JetBlue, British Airways, Caribbean Airlines, interCaribbean Airlines and Winair

are operating flights into the destination. In the next few months, Antigua and Barbuda will welcome, Virgin Atlantic, Air Canada, and Sunwing.

In October, additional hotel re-openings have also been planned. These include Antigua and Barbuda Hotels and Tourism Association member hotels: Blue Waters Resort, Tamarind Hills, Hermitage Bay, Antigua Village, Galley Bay, Carlisle Bay Resort, St. James's Club, The Great House, Antigua Yacht Club Marina, Ocean Point Resort, Curtain Bluff Resort, and Hawksbill.

"Each hotel or accommodation offering that has opened has been inspected by the Ministry of Tourism and the Ministry of Health, to ensure that they are adhering to the covid-19 protocols set for tourism accommodation. Over two hundred properties have been inspected to date ranging from small bed & breakfast styled properties, to the larger all-inclusives," said the Tourism Minister. The full listing of all tourism properties certified as of September 15 by the Ministry of Tourism's Quality Assurance Unit, can be viewed here



Antigua and Barbuda Minister of Tourism The Honourable Charles Fernandez (centre) alongside (L-R) CEO of the Airport Authority, Euletta Francis, Executive Director of the Antigua and Barbuda Hotels and Tourism Association Patrice Simon, CEO of the Antigua and Barbuda Tourism Authority Colin C. James, and Chairman of the Antigua and Barbuda Tourism Authority Lorraine Raeburn in June, following a Destination re-opening press conference.

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# Political Brawl Erupts Over US Supreme Court Vacancy

By Michael Bowman, Updated September 20, 2020 02:23 AM

Battle lines were drawn across America's political landscape Saturday over the replacement of U.S. Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, whose death Friday silenced the court's best-known liberal voice and raised the possibility of a 6-3 conservative majority on the bench.

The vacancy came weeks before the November 3 general election that will decide whether President Donald Trump gets a second term in office as well as which party will control the chambers of Congress. How and when the vacancy is filled will have immediate political impact and could leave a permanent imprint on how the Senate functions and America is governed.

Conservatives, eager at the prospect of a third Trump-nominated high court justice, cheered Republican Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell's pledge late Friday that Trump's eventual pick "will receive a vote on the floor of the United States Senate." He did not offer a timetable.

## 'They should not falter'

"President Trump and Senate Republicans have worked hard to overturn decades of liberal activism in our court system and they should not falter now," Washington-based Heritage Foundation's political arm, Heritage Action, said in a statement. "Republicans must exercise the power of confirmation that voters have entrusted in them[.]"

Liberal groups and Democrats, meanwhile, girded for battle.

"I've never seen political hypocrisy at this level [magnitude]," veteran Vermont Democratic Senator Patrick Leahy said on NPR, noting that in 2016 McConnell refused to allow consideration of former President Barack Obama's final Supreme Court nominee,

Merrick Garland, arguing that high court vacancies should be left unfilled during an election year so the American people can weigh in on the choice.

"This is a flip-flop, it's pure politics," Leahy, a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee said. "It is going to stain the Supreme Court."

Leahy and other Democrats wrote a letter to the committee's chairman, South Carolina Republican Lindsey Graham, saying, "There cannot be one set of rules for a Republican president and one set for a Democratic president, and considering a nominee before the next inauguration would be wholly inappropriate."

For his part, Graham, rejected such calls, noting that in 2013, Democrats changed Senate rules to hasten the confirmation of Obama's judicial nominees and unsuccessfully sought to block Trump's second Supreme Court nominee, Brett Kavanaugh, whose 2018 confirmation was roiled by an allegation of sexual misconduct.

"In light of these two events I will support @realDonaldTrump in any effort to move forward regarding the recent [Supreme Court] vacancy," Graham tweeted.

Republicans have a 53-47 Senate majority and can afford three defections from their ranks and still confirm a nominee with a simple majority, with Vice President Mike Pence breaking a potential 50-50 tie.

Susan Collins, a Republican senator from Maine, is opposed to the Senate's vote for Trump's nominee. Collins posted a statement on her Twitter account Saturday, saying "we must act fairly and consistently - no matter which political party is in power . . . I do not believe that the Senate should vote on the nominee prior to the election . . . the decision

on a lifetime appointment to the Supreme Court should be made by the President who is elected on November 3rd." Alaska Republican Senator Lisa Murkowski has said she would not vote for a Supreme Court pick before the election. Others may or may not follow suit.

The looming fight added uncertainty and suspense to an election season already brimming with both. Political observers mulled how a high court vacancy may energize voter turnout to the benefit of either political party. Some argued against jumping to conclusions.

## 'Not clear'

"In a world of slim majorities & few persuadable voters, it's not clear that we know how a controversial SCOTUS confirmation battle before November would affect Senate elections and control of the chamber," Brookings Institution political analyst Sarah Binder wrote on Twitter.

Whether Trump succeeds in filling the high court vacancy, the mere effort appears to be strengthening Democrats' resolve to change how Washington works should they win control of the Senate next year.

For months, many Democrats have signaled a desire to eliminate the filibuster that requires three-fifths consent for most legislation to advance in the chamber.

Tweeting shortly after McConnell's statement backing an eventual Trump Supreme Court nominee, Hawaii Democratic Senator Brian Schatz said, "It is going to be very hard after the procedural violence that Mitch McConnell has inflicted on the Senate and the country for anyone to justify us playing it soft next year just to satisfy pundits. We must use the power that voters give us to deliver the change we are promising."



**FILE - U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg speaks during a discussion on the 100th anniversary of the ratification of the 19th Amendment at Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, Feb. 10, 2020**

In addition, some Democrats have suggested expanding the number of seats on the Supreme Court from nine to 11 if they win control of the chamber.

Republicans contend the Democrats' fury is unjustified and that 2020 is nothing like 2016, when Garland was blocked from consideration. The Senate and White House were controlled by different political parties at that time.

"By contrast, Americans reelected our [Republican] majority in 2016 and expanded it in 2018 because we pledged to work with President Trump and support his agenda, particularly his outstanding appointments to the federal judiciary," McConnell said in Friday's statement.

The finger-pointing and recriminations since Ginsburg's death are the latest examples of escalating partisan tactics that have transformed the judicial confirmation process from what was once a mostly bipartisan endeavor into a near-constant brawl.

## Bork hearings, Obama nominees

Republicans were incensed

when Democrats banded together in opposition to former President Ronald Reagan's ultraconservative Supreme Court nominee, Robert Bork, in 1987. Democrats cried foul from 2009 to 2013 when Republicans drastically slowed the consideration of Obama's judicial nominees, prompting Democrats to change the Senate rules and eliminate the filibuster for all but high court nominees. Republicans went one step further and eliminated the filibuster for all nominees in 2017.

Today, analysts say, America is in uncharted territory as the nation grapples with a Supreme Court vacancy weeks ahead of a general election.

"We rarely have these situations where someone passes away and leaves the court, right before an election," said University of Virginia presidential studies director Barbara Perry, who described the situation as unprecedented in modern times.

"So, we'll have to stay tuned to see what happens," she added.

# SPORTS



## Third member of BVI's 1st track and field team passed away

By Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway

Just three days before the BVI Athletics Association which was founded on September 19, 1970, celebrated its 50th anniversary, a third member of the very first team to compete off island, passed away.

Eric Matthias Sr., 65, died at his home on Sept 16. BVIAA founding member, its second president and its longest serving president Rey O'Neal, told Island Sun Sports about Matthias Sr. and that first team that competed in St. Croix in November, 1970.

"He was someone who would come out and not really trained doing laps around the track, but he was the only one we had who was going to run a 'long race' so we entered him in the 1500m with Dale Abrahamson and he also ran the 5000m," O'Neal recalled. "He got third in the 5000m and after that, he didn't really compete very much if at all and he sort of turned his attention to Softball shortly thereafter. He was a catcher with the Jets and was a pretty good catcher."

Velma Warner and Cecil Dawson preceded their teammate Matthias.

"Velma was the fastest girl in the territory at the time, she ran the 100/200m and I think she came second in each of those races in St. Croix," O'Neal noted. "Cecil Dawson—I considered him one of the best all round athletes if not the best that have come out of the BVI—he was the fastest guy we had. He was second in the 100m in St. Croix. I'm not sure if he ran the 200m but Mario "Sonny" Todman did. Abrahamson (800/1500m and who also played Softball and Cricket) and Gene Hodge (Shot Put/Discus Throw) were double winners. Hodge also led off the 4x100m Relay.

"Cecil was one of the four athletes in 1971 (including Abrahamson, Warner and Hodge) competing in Trinidad and did pretty well. Abrahamson got a bronze in the 800m in a pretty decent international field, so that was our first major achievement outside the Virgin Islands."

Also on that first team to St. Croix, and is now the Supervisor of Elections, was Juliette Penn, who ran the 4x100m Relay along with Marva Mercer, Elva Jeffers and Warner.

Dr. Robert Mathavious, Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of the BVI Financial Services Commission competed in the High and Long Jump events.

"Robert was the best High Jumper we had in High School for a few years and he also broke the Long Jump record that stood for quite a while, which was held by Heraldo Todman," O'Neal said. Todman was the 1957 and 1958 Virgin Islands Secondary School Victor Ludorum, competing for Bronte House. "Heraldo was the first athlete that I recalled who I think if circumstances had been different, could have been, certainly a regional and possibly an international class athlete. Robert played some Softball and competed in inter-house matches, but he was good."

O'Neal pointed out another athlete on that team to St. Croix who many might not associate with track and field as he became a dominant pitcher with the Astros Softball team, was Elmore "The Equalizer" Connor, who won the High Jump.

Edwin "Boss" Hodge who played centerfield for the Jets and the BVI National team, O'Neal noted that he was a "useful Long Jumper, High Jumper and sprinter."

Errol Blackman from Dominica who worked at Barclays Bank, was a good all-round athlete (400m, Shot Put, 4x400m Relay), so was Gerald Rose, (400m, Long Jump, 4x400m Relay) a BVI High School mathematics and chemistry teacher.

Most of the girls on that first team were quite young, O'Neal said. Marva Mercer "could do a bit of everything" (100/200m, Long Jump and 4x100m Relay). Jackie Richardson (400/800m). High Jumping sisters Urmin "Mucho" Richardson and Ramona Richardson—Urmin won the High Jump and Ramona was third.

O'Neal said Elva Jeffers (Long Jump/4x100m Relay) was an "unorthodox looking runner but somehow got from point A to point B, faster than most girls in the high school."

That first team also included Shot Putter, Monica Martin.



Eric Matthias Sr., was a member of the BVI's 1st track and field team

## ATHLETICS

## 25 Virgin Gorda runners mark BVI Athletics Association 50th anniversary

By Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway

While nothing was done on Tortola to commemorate the BVI Athletics Association's 50th anniversary, marking the anniversary of track and field and road racing governing body which was formed on September 19, 1970, 25 runners and walkers on Virgin Gorda marked the milestone with the Round de Valley Run.

"When we found out it was the 50th anniversary, we were hoping to see something somewhere but we didn't," Gloria George-Fahie told Island Sun Sports. "As you know, road runners haven't been doing anything for a few years so we decided that would be a good time to make our little comeback and that's what we did."

George-Fahie said the turnout of 25 participants was good considering the COVID-19 times where there has been several lockdowns and curfew

adjustments and persons hadn't been training nor competing. The race began at the HLSCC Virgin Gorda Center and meandered to LSL Bakeshop turning left and went over Crab Hill, over to Speedys Corner and back to HLSCC. George-Fahie said they had several of the persons that typically participate in the College Classic Series and Curwin Andrews emerged the overall winner and Kasean Wyllie—younger brother of many times College Classic Series champion Maxford Pipe, placing second. Veteran Emrol Amsterdam was the top participant in his division.

"We also had a few kids from the schools, teachers, folks who exercise and they decided to participate as well as older folks from the community," George-Fahie noted. "It was really a nice turnout, a mixture of men, women, the young, old and in between, that's what we had."

The initiative George-Fahie said, has spurred interest in rekindling road racing on Virgin Gorda and they will contact the BVI Athletics Association General Secretary to get back into road racing. Their plans she said is to have monthly races leading up to a Half Marathon in December. The plan is to use one route for walkers and another for runners. She said there has been discussions with Andrews and Amsterdam about the Half Marathon and they will be mapping out the course that was previously used with a tour from the Valley, out to Nail Bay and over to Coppermine.

"We're going to play with it a bit and see how best we can do it and get the correct course measurement, to make it the Half Marathon," George-Fahie said, noting that participants on Saturday were grateful for the event

and. "They're hoping that we don't come and do just that one race then stop. We informed them that we're going to have a series leading up to December. Other individuals who were not there but saw us out have contacted us because our numbers were on the flyer and they're interested so, we're back. We're going to take advantage of it (weekend race) and keep running."

Currently, they're looking at having another race over the St. Ursula's Day Holiday weekend and another in November, but that date is yet to be decided.

Hubert Payne was elected the BVI Athletics Association's first president, when the organization was formed on September 17, 1970. In November 1970, founding member Rey O'Neal was elected president and served

through 1973 and again 1978-2003, becoming the association's longest serving president.



Some of the participants in Saturday's BVIAA 50th anniversary commemorative run on Virgin Gorda



# SPORTS



*The 2003-2008 BVI Athletics Association Executives:  
L-R: Rose Adams, Rey O'Neal, founding member & President,  
1970-73 & 1973-2003, Epharim Penn, President, 2003-2008 and Joe Roberts*



*BVI Athletics Association Executives 2008-2012 and 2012-2016*



*In 2010, BVI Athletics Association Immediate Past President Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway, recognized former association presidents with Lifetime Achievement Awards for their contributions. L-R: Johnny Hassan, BVIAA President 1974-1976; John Lewis, 1973. Dr. Robert Mathavious, 1977; Epharim Penn, 2003-2008 and Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway, 2008-2016*



*Theda Bucknor-Forbes, left and Rey O'Neal, right, with 1974 BVI High School athletes*

*Photo Credits: Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway and Todd Van Sickle*



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# PUBLIC NOTICES

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004*

**UEMURA LIMITED**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1506549

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 21st day of September, 2020. The liquidator is **TAI Me Teck** of flat B, 10/F., Tower 16, Providence Peak, 8 Fo Chun Road, Science Park, N.T., Hong Kong.  
Dated: 22nd day of September, 2020  
(Sgd.) **TAI Me Teck**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/1]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT*  
**Media Connection Group Limited**  
("the Company")  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 20th August, 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**Martin Chesler**  
Of c/o Clermont Consultants (UK) Limited  
Regent House, Allum Gate  
Elstree & Borehamwood,  
Herts WD6 4RS  
United Kingdom  
[68/2]

**MILINTON ASSOCIATED LTD.**

Company No. 382669  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **MILINTON ASSOCIATED LTD.**, is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 21st September, 2020 and **Mrs. LINETH PONCE**, of MMG Tower, 23rd Floor, Avenida del Pacifico with Avenida Paseo de Mar, Costa del Este, Panama, Republic of Panama has been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.  
Dated this 22nd day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/3]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act*

**SANGALA CORPORATE LIMITED**  
(IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION)  
BC# 1515670  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (1) (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 7 September 2020. The Liquidator is **Stacy Gladys Eli** of 28 Cork Street, Roseau, Commonwealth of Dominica.  
Dated 7 September 2020  
**Stacy Gladys Eli**  
(Liquidator)  
[68/4]

**STANDARD FEDERAL LIMITED**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company Number 1960131  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, Subsection (1) (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 14th day of September, 2020. The Liquidator is **LIU Hui** of 7-7, Jing Gong Fu Zhong Su She, Che Dao Gou, Hai Dian District, Beijing, China.  
Dated this 16th day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. LIU Hui**

**LIU Hui**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/5]

*Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004*

**ONWELL ENTERPRISES LIMITED**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 191992  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 18th September, 2020.  
Dated: 18th day of September, 2020  
(Sgd.) **CHAN Wai Mei and CHOI Heng Chio Jeremy**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/6]

**GAPEMI MANAGEMENT INC.**

Company No. 1622861  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **GAPEMI MANAGEMENT INC.**, is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 17th September, 2020 and **Mr. JACQUES MEYS**, of Arch. Makarios III Avenue, 235, Kanika Enaerios, Estia House, Appart 723, 3105 Limassol, Cyprus has been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.  
Dated this 18th day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. Mr. JACQUES MEYS**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
68/7]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**HarlanYoung Holding Limited**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 11th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**YANG, Yi** of  
No. 1504, Building 2,  
No. 5, Xieui Road,  
Haidian District, Beijing,  
China  
[68/8]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**SDL Capital Limited**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 14th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**LIN Yibin** of  
No. 4, Lane 227,  
Sida Road, Shanghai,  
China  
[68/9]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**REACH SMART LIMITED**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 14th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**ZHOU Jia** of  
No. 101, Unit 7,  
Building 17, Landianchang  
Ximen Xiaoku,  
Haidian District, Beijing,  
China  
[68/10]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**Anbitous Havana Ltd**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**Dylan GASSER** of  
Rossackerstrasse 106,  
8047 Zurich,  
Switzerland  
[68/11]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**Galaxy Limited**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 14th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has been dissolved and struck off from the Register. The Liquidator is:-  
**SU Yu Ning** of  
1 F., No. 126, Aly. 49,  
Ln. 113, Donghu Road,  
Neihu Dist., Taipei City 114,  
Taiwan (R.O.C.)  
[68/12]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**SHENB WDAI INVESTMENT LTD**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 17th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**CHEN Yanwan** of  
5/F., No. 259,  
Wensan Road, Xihu District,  
Hangzhou City, Zhejiang Province  
China  
[68/13]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**WANGXP WDAI INVESTMENT LTD**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 17th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**CHEN Yanwan** of  
5/F., No. 259,  
Wensan Road, Xihu District,  
Hangzhou City, Zhejiang Province  
China  
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*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**GREAT DETERMINATION LIMITED**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of September 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-  
**WU Haifeng** of  
No. 150, Group 1,  
Lizhuang Village, Yuanzhuang Town,  
Rudong County, Jiangsu Province,  
China  
[68/15]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act.*

**MANARI INVEST LTD**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1720794

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 17th, 2020. The Liquidator is **Delio Jose De Leon Mela** with an address at Bloc Office Hub, Fifth Floor, Santa Maria Business District, Panama, Republic of Panama.  
Dated: September 18th, 2020  
(Sgd.) **Delio Jose De Leon Mela**  
Voluntary Liquidator [68/16]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT*  
**CHEVAL INVESTMENT & FINANCE LIMITED**  
("the Company")  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 21st September, 2020; under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has been dissolved and struck from the Register. The Liquidator is:-  
**Sharon Shapshak**  
Of c/o Clermont Consultants (UK) Limited  
Regent House, Allum Gate  
Elstree & Borehamwood,  
Hert WD6 4RS  
United Kingdom  
[68/17]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**Lorestine Holdings Limited**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 17th day of September, 2020 under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has been dissolved and struck off from the Register. The Liquidator is:-  
**Inka Farhana Binte Jeffery**  
Blk 145 Tampines Street 12  
#09-346 Singapore  
521145  
[68/18]

**AQUA-AGRICULTURE DEVELOPERS CORP.**

Company No. 1502238  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **AQUA-AGRICULTURE DEVELOPERS CORP.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 14th day of September, 2020 and **Querube Castillo de Nuñez** of Paseo del Mar and Pacific Avenues, Costa del Este, MMG Tower, 23rd Floor, Panama City, Republic, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.  
Dated this 21st day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. Querube Castillo de Nuñez**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/19]

*NOTICE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)*

**Anvil Consulting Ltd.**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 21st day of September, 2020, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has been dissolved and struck from the Register. The Liquidator is :-  
**Robin Walser** of  
600 North Bridge Road  
#12-09/10 Parkview Square  
Singapore 188778  
[68/20]

# PUBLIC NOTICES

**MOXIE FUTURE LTD**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company Number 1973497

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, Subsection (1) (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 18th day of September, 2020. The Liquidator is **Timothy John PAGETT** of Flat E, 12/E, Tower 1, Centrestage, 108 Hollywood Road, Hong Kong. Dated this 21st day of September, 2020  
*Sgd. Timothy John PAGETT*

*Timothy John PAGETT*  
Voluntary Liquidator

[68/21]

*Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.*  
**TEC Global Holdings Limited**

Company No. 1957277  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 14th day of September, 2020. Dated 21st September, 2020

*(Sgd.) Ghulam Ali*  
Voluntary Liquidator(s)

[68/22]

*Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.*  
**TEC Global Limited**

Company No. 1957279  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 14th day of September, 2020. Dated 21st September, 2020

*(Sgd.) Ghulam Ali*  
Voluntary Liquidator(s)

[68/23]

**EASY FAR EAST LTD.**

Company No. 674456  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **EASY FAR EAST LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 21st day of September, 2020 and **Eduard Abdiel Cedeño** of P.H. Plaza Canaima - Piso 20, Ave. Samuel Lewis, Panama, Rep de Panama, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 2020  
*Sgd. EDUARD ABDIEL CEDEÑO*  
Voluntary Liquidator

[68/24]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act.*  
**OBERLAND INVESTMENTS LTD.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 176627

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 21st, 2020. The Liquidator is **Delio José De León Mela** with an address at Bloc Office Hub, Fifth Floor, Santa Maria Business District, Panama, Republic of Panama.

Dated: September 22, 2020  
*(Sgd.) Delio José De León Mela*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/25]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act.*  
**WILDHORN SECURITIES INC.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 16073

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 21st, 2020. The Liquidator is **Delio José De León Mela** with an address at Bloc Office Hub, Fifth Floor, Santa Maria Business District, Panama, Republic of Panama.

Dated: September 22, 2020  
*(Sgd.) Delio José De León Mela*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/26]

**LIZMAR DEVELOPMENT LTD.**

Company No. 1790852  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **LIZMAR DEVELOPMENT LTD.**, is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 22nd September, 2020 and **Mr. YVES LUTHI**, of Rue du Saugy 9, 1026 Enchandens, Switzerland has been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 2020  
*Sgd. Mr. YVES LUTHI*

Voluntary Liquidator [68/27]

**LOTAN DEVELOPMENT INC.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company Number 1887871

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, Subsection (1) (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 21st day of September, 2020. The Liquidator is **KANG ANQI** of FLAT C, 21/E, BLK T2, ROYAL GREEN, 18 CHING HIU RD, SHEUNG SHUL, NT, HONG KONG.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 2020  
*Sgd. KANG ANQI*

*KANG ANQI*  
Voluntary Liquidator [68/28]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. 2004*  
**Silver Hills Creek Ltd.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
("the Company")

BVI Business Company No. 1781561

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 31 August 2020. The liquidator is **Philippa V O'Sullivan** of Sea Meadow House, P.O. Box 116, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.

Dated: 21 September 2020  
*(Sgd.) Philippa V O'Sullivan*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/29]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. 2004*  
**COBALT INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES LTD.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
("the Company")

BVI Business Company No. 1942320

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 02 September 2020. The liquidator is **Philippa V O'Sullivan** of Sea Meadow House, P.O. Box 116, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.

Dated: 21 September 2020  
*(Sgd.) Philippa V O'Sullivan*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/30]

*NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF DISSOLUTION UNDER SECTION 208 OF THE BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT, 2004*  
**MAX-GALORE GROUP HOLDING (FRANCE) LIMITED**

(the "Company")  
(VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION)

Company Number 670996

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to section 208(3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 (as amended) that the winding up and dissolution of **MAX-GALORE GROUP HOLDING (FRANCE) LIMITED** (the "Company") has been completed and the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies in the British Virgin Islands with effect from 11th day of September, 2020.

Dated 22nd September, 2020.  
*Guilian Lu (Julyan)*

Liquidator  
[68/31]

*Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act.*  
**EUPHONY FINANCE LIMITED**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1771616

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 21, 2020. The Liquidator is **Delio Jose de Leon Mela** with address at Bloc Office Hub, Fifth Floor, Santa Maria Business District, Panama City, Republic of Panama.

Dated: September 23, 2020.  
*(Sgd.) Delio Jose de Leon Mela*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/32]

**THREE WOOD DRIVE INC.**

Company No. 422802  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **THREE WOOD DRIVE INC.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 25th day of August, 2020 and **Querube Castillo de Nuñez** of Paseo del Mar and Pacific Avenues, Costa del Este, MMG Tower, 23rd Floor, Panama City, Republic of Panama, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020  
*Sgd. QUERUBE CASTILLO DE NUÑEZ*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/33]

**COBHAM INTERNATIONAL LTD.**

Company No. 1430499  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **COBHAM INTERNATIONAL LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 11th September, 2020 and **Querube Castillo de Nuñez** of Paseo del Mar and Pacific Avenues, Costa del Este, MMG Tower, 23rd Floor, Panama City, Republic of Panama, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020  
*Sgd. QUERUBE CASTILLO DE NUÑEZ*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/34]

**RS CAPITAL INVESTMENTS 1 LIMITED**

Company No. 1826642  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **RS CAPITAL INVESTMENTS 1 LIMITED** been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September, 2020. Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020.

*Sgd. Dr. ARMIN DOBLER*  
Voluntary Liquidator [68/34]

**NTELCOR COMMERCIAL INC.**

Company No. 1620239  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **NTELCOR COMMERCIAL INC.** been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 18th September, 2020.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020.  
*Sgd. QUERUBE C. DE NUÑEZ*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/37]

**AVA S.A.**

Company No. 306142  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **AVA S.A.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September 2020.

Dated this 23rd day of September 2020.  
*Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/38]

**MARS MILKYWAY HOLDING INC.**

Company No. 2019530  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **MARS MILKYWAY HOLDING INC.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 21st September 2020.

Dated this 23rd day of September 2020.

*Sgd. Wang Ju*  
Voluntary Liquidator

[68/39]

**CARDINGA INVESTMENT LTD.**

Company No. 629360  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **CARDINGA INVESTMENT LTD.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September 2020.

Dated this 23rd day of September 2020  
*Sgd. Mr. LARBI BEN CHEKROUN*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/40]

**AU Energy Ltd**

Company No. 1918442  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **AU Energy Ltd** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September 2020.

Dated this 23rd day of September 2020.  
*Sgd. LU DEBIAO*

Voluntary Liquidator

[68/41]

# PUBLIC NOTICES

**GRAFTON MANAGEMENT INVESTMENTS S.A.**

Company No. 1614904  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **GRAFTON MANAGEMENT INVESTMENTS S.A.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th September, 2020 and **RAMÓN ORTÍZ DE TARANCO** of Ruta 8 km. 17500, Zonamerica, Local 115 A, 91600 Montevideo, Uruguay, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator. Dated this 24th day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. RAMÓN ORTÍZ DE TARANCO**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/42]

**SHIMMER PETROLEUM LIMITED**

Company No. 606828  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **SHIMMER PETROLEUM LIMITED** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from May 19th 2020.  
Dated this 24th day of September 2020  
**Sgd. Mr. Ngieng Seng Kuok**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/43]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. Green Point Worldwide Holdings, Corp.**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 23 September 2020. The Liquidator is **Ms. Ralph De Paiva Vasco** with address at **R. Machado Lemos 245, Apt. 902, Ponta Verde, 57035-120, Maceio, Alagoas, Brasil.**  
Dated: 24 September 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Ms. Ralph De Paiva Vasco**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/44]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. GOLDEN EAST LOGISTICS CO LTD**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 1671141  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 22, 2020. The Liquidator is **Phani Schiza Antoniou** with address at **16, Krinon Street, 3110, Limassol, Cyprus.**  
Dated: September 23, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Phani Schiza Antoniou**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/45]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. NOVERY STAR GROUP LTD.**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 1972826  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 22, 2020. The Liquidator is **Phani Schiza Antoniou** with address at **16, Krinon Street, 3110, Limassol, Cyprus.**  
Dated: September 23, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Phani Schiza Antoniou**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/46]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. SC Alternative Investments Limited**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 1971107  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 18, 2020. The Liquidator is **Betty Samia Mougall** with address at **House NO: S9-19-1, Ile Perseverance, Mahe, Seychelles.**  
Dated: September 23, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Betty Samia Mougall**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/47]

**NEWTECH INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIAL LIMITED**

Company No. 2003043  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **NEWTECH INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIAL LIMITED** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September 2020. Dated this 22nd day of September 2020  
**Sgd. Du Juan**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/48]

**POLTIFIN INVESTMENTS S.A.**

Company No. 555124  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **POLTIFIN INVESTMENTS S.A.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September 2020.  
Dated this 22nd day of September 2020.  
**Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/49]

**RISOIL TRANSPORT & LOGISTICS LTD**

Company No. 1642146  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **RISOIL TRANSPORT & LOGISTICS LTD** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 17th September 2020. Dated this 22nd day of September 2020.  
**Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/50]

**VAPOMED LIMITED**

Company No. 1921039  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **VAPOMED LIMITED** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 16th September 2020. Dated this 22nd day of September 2020.  
**Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/51]

**ULMATRE INTERNATIONAL LTD.**

Company No. 1592219  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **ULMATRE INTERNATIONAL LTD.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 16th September 2020. Dated this 22nd day of September 2020.  
**Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/52]

**JACOB INVESTMENTS LTD.**

Company No. 1846608  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **JACOB INVESTMENTS LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 4th day of September, 2020 and **Romeu Cortes Domingues** of **Av. Viera Souto 206 AP 101 Ipanema, Rio De Janeiro, Brasil,** has been appointed as Sole Liquidator. Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. ROMEU CORTES DOMINGUES**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/53]

**INTERNATIONAL GLOBAL FORESTRY PROJECTS CORP.**

Company No. 689527  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **INTERNATIONAL GLOBAL FORESTRY PROJECTS CORP.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 22nd day of September, 2020 and **RAMÓN ORTÍZ DE TARANCO** of Ruta 8 km. 17500, Zonamerica, Local 115 A, 91600 Montevideo, Uruguay, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator. Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. RAMÓN ORTÍZ DE TARANCO**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/54]

**NEXIS DEVELOP INCORPORATED**

Company No. 658158  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **NEXIS DEVELOP INCORPORATED** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 21st day of September, 2020 and **RAMÓN ORTÍZ DE TARANCO** of Ruta 8 km. 17500, Zonamerica, Local 115 A, 91600 Montevideo, Uruguay, has been appointed as Sole Liquidator. Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020  
**Sgd. RAMÓN ORTÍZ DE TARANCO**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/55]

**APPOINTMENT**

**Ménines International Ltd.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1669184  
Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in Voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 22nd September 2020. The liquidator name is **Didio Fausto Carrizo Rodriguez** of **Betania, Dos Mares, Circunvalacion 13500, F-28, Panama City, Republic of Panama.**  
Sgd: **Didio Fausto Carrizo Rodriguez**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/56]

**American Compounding Limited Partnership**

(In voluntary Liquidation)  
(BC NO. LP1246)  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204(1)(b) of the BVI Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 8th September, 2020 and that **Rigoberto Broce** addressed **Panama Viejo, Puente del Rey, Anayansi Street, No.39, Panama City, Republic of Panama,** has been appointed Liquidator of the company. Dated 24th September, 2020  
**Rigoberto Broce**  
Liquidator  
[68/57]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. DOLIANI LTD.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1710846  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 23rd, 2020. The Liquidator is **Stelios Ioakim** with an address at **29, Edessas Street Limassol, 3115, Limassol, Cyprus.**  
Dated: September 24, 2020  
**(Sgd.) Stelios Ioakim**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/58]

**ASIAN ADVISOR I LTD.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1718173  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)-(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **ASIAN ADVISOR I LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 4th day of September, 2020. The Liquidator is **Miss Nicola Gillespie** c/o **Citco B.V.I. Limited, Flemming House, Wickhams Cay, P.O. Box 662, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands VG 1110**  
Dated: 8th day of September, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Nicola Gillespie**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/59]

**CLOVERFIELD GROUP INC.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 1856216  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)-(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **CLOVERFIELD-GROUP INC.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 21st day of August, 2020. The Liquidator is **Miss Nicola Gillespie** c/o **Citco B.V.I. Limited, Flemming House, Wickhams Cay, P.O. Box 662, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands VG 1110**  
Dated: 24th day of August, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Nicola Gillespie**  
Voluntary Liquidator  
[68/60]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. 204 Themis Enterprises Limited**  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

BVI Business Company No. 1856216  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 15, 2020. The Liquidator is **Meade Malone** of **Geneva Place, 2nd Floor, 333 Waterfront Drive, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**  
Dated: September 17, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Meade Malone**  
Liquidator  
[68/61]

**Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Company Act. 204 Leeward Property Holdings Ltd.**

(the "Company")  
(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
Company No. 652634  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204, subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on September 1, 2020. The Liquidator is **Meade Malone** of **Geneva Place, 2nd Floor, 333 Waterfront Drive, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**  
Dated: September 16, 2020.  
**(Sgd.) Meade Malone**  
Liquidator  
[68/62]

# PUBLIC NOTICES

**THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE  
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS**

**IN THE ESTATE OF WALTON CHALWELL, DECEASED**

**In the estate of WALTON CHALWELL, late of East End, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, deceased.**

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by Trevor Chalwell of East End, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, for a Grant of Probate of the Will of the above named deceased who died on the 16th day of January 2020 without revoking a Will bearing the date of the 4th day of September 2019 wherein the applicant is named executor.

ANY PERSONS having any objections to the Grant of Probate to the application shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated the 23 September, 2020

Filed by Trevor Chalwell whose address for service is c/o Harney Westwood & Riegels LP, Craigmuir Chambers, PO Box 71, Road Town Tortola VG1110, British Virgin Islands [69]

**IN THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE  
VIRGIN ISLANDS  
COMMERCIAL DIVISION  
CLAIM NO. BVIHC (COM) 0142 of 2020**

**IN THE MATTER OF CONQUEROR GLOBAL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

AND

**IN THE MATTER OF THE BVI INSOLVENCY ACT, 2003  
NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that an Application for the appointment of Mark McDonald and Matt Richardson, of Grant Thornton (British Virgin Islands) Limited, 171 Main Street, the Barracks, 2nd Floor, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, each a licensed insolvency practitioner under the Act, as joint liquidators of CONQUEROR GLOBAL HOLDINGS LIMITED ("the Company"), whose registered office is located at Vistra (BVI) Limited and its registered address is Vistra Corporate Services Centre, Wickhams Cay II, Road Town, Tortola, VG1110, British Virgin Islands, was made to the Commercial Division of the High Court of Justice on 7 September 2020 by PROJECT 11 LIMITED, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom with registration number 9118089 and an address of Solar House, 282 Chase Road, London, N14 6NZ, the legal practitioners of whom are Conyers Dill & Pearman, Commerce House, Wickhams Cay I, P.O. Box 3140, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.

Any creditor or member of the Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an order on the said Application may appear at the time of the hearing on Monday 12 October 2020 at 10.00 am (or the time specified in the final Commercial Court list, if different) by himself or his Counsel for that purpose, at the BVI Commercial Court, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands. A copy of the Application will be furnished by the undersigned to any creditor or member of the Company requiring the same on payment of the regulated charge.

NOTE: Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said Application must serve on, or send by post to, the below named, notice in writing of his intention to do so, so that it reaches the undersigned no later than 16:00 hours on Friday the 9th of October 2020. The notice must be in compliance with Rule 162 of the Insolvency Rules, 2005 and must state the name and address of the person or firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their solicitor (if any):

CONYERS DILL & PEARMAN  
Legal Practitioners on behalf of the Applicant  
Commerce House, Wickhams Cay I  
PO Box 3140  
Road Town, Tortola  
British Virgin Islands

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**IN THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE  
VIRGIN ISLANDS**

**IN THE ESTATE OF DAVID LEE KAY TUAN, late of 6A Victoria Park Road, Singapore 266531, Deceased**

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by MICHELLE LIEM MEI FUNG of 6A Victoria Park Road, Singapore 266531, for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the lawful wife of the Deceased, the Deceased having died intestate on the 28th day of March 2020.

ANY PERSONS having any objections to the Grant of Letters of Administration to the application shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated the 22nd day of September 2020

Harney Westwood & Riegels LP  
Attorneys-at-law and Legal Practitioners for the Applicant

Filed by MICHELLE LIEM MEI FUNG, Applicant whose address for service is c/o Harney Westwood & Riegels LP, Craigmuir Chambers, PO Box 71, Road Town, Tortola VG1110, British Virgin Islands. [69]

**The Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE  
Virgin Islands**

**PROBATE No. 0086 of 2020**

**In the Estate of KWAN NICHOLAS ALEXANDER YAN TAT late of 7B Shiu Fai Terrace Garden, 3-4 Shiu Fai Terrace, Hong Kong, deceased**

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by KWAN WING KUEN TINO of 602, 6/F, Block C, Sea View Estate, 8 Watson Road, North Point, Hong Kong for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the person to whom letters of administration by way of Grant No. HCAG020495/2019 was issued by the High Court of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Court of First Instance on 13th day of January 2020, the deceased having died intestate on the 10th day of June 2019.

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

Dated this 25th day of July 2020.

Filed by Walkers Attorneys-at Law whose address for service is 171 Main Street Road Town, Tortola British Virgin Islands VG 1110 [68]

**THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT  
THE VIRGIN ISLANDS  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE  
(PROBATE)**

**PROBATE NO. BVIHPB /2020**

**IN THE ESTATE OF Bahjat Nader Bucaram  
Late of Samborondón, Guayaquil, Ecuador, deceased**

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by REBECA GARZOZI BUCARAM of Samborondón, Guayaquil, Ecuador for a Grant of Letters of Administration of the estate of BAHJAT NADER BUCARAM, the deceased having died intestate on the 12th day of April, 2020. The Applicant is the surviving spouse of the deceased and as such entitled to administer his estate.

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 with the Registrar of the High Court in the Territory of The Virgin Islands.

Dated the 9th day of September, 2020

Filed by Simonette Lewis, Attorneys and Notaries whose address for service is 23 Mill Mall, Wickham's Cay I, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.

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## STAFF WANTED

**M and M Construction is seeking to recruit:**

**8 Carpenters Requirements:** Follow blueprints and building plans, construct roof & ceilings, construct building frameworks, including walls, floors, and doorframes. Inspect and replace damaged framework or other structures and fixtures, drywall construction. Applicant must also be able to instruct and guide laborers. Applicant must have seven or more years' experience.

**3 Steel Worker Requirements:** Construct and repair steel frames and structural supports for buildings, bridges, and other construction projects. Read and interpret blueprints and building plans. Applicant must have seven or more years' experience.

**3 Masons Requirements:** Maintaining tools and workspaces. Cutting, shaping and dressing materials. Lifting, carrying and placing prepared blocks. Reading and following technical drawings. Mixing cement and mortar. Restoring old and worn masonry. Applicant must have seven or more years' experience.

**1 Plumber Requirements:** Reading and interpreting blueprints to assess or plan plumbing installations and layouts. Installing, maintaining and repairing plumbing systems and fixtures. Inspecting and testing plumbing systems for safety, functionality, and code compliance. Applicant must have seven or more years' experience.

**1 Domestic cleaner Requirements:** Person will be responsible for cleaning different jobsites and staff housing complexes. Must be able to lift 30-50 pounds. Applicant must Have four or more years' experience.

Please send resume to info@simmonspropertygmt.com or call Tel#: (284) 343-3182/340-7053

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# PUBLIC NOTICES

## THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE VIRGIN ISLANDS PROBATE NO OF 2020

In the Estate of TAN KUAN GUAN late of 1 Keppel Bay Drive,  
# 02-01, Singapore 098012, deceased

### FORM P7: ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF PROBATE

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by TAN KUAN BOON (also referred to as "CHEN GUANWEN") of Apt Blk 212A Compassvale Drive, #07-125, Singapore, and TAN KUAN HWEE of Apt Blk 837 Hougang Central, #08-535, Singapore, for a Grant of Probate of the Will of the above named deceased who died on 30 April 2017 without revoking a will bearing the date of 30 March 2017 wherein the applicants are named executors.

ANY PERSON having any objection to the Grant of Probate to the said TAN KUAN BOON (also referred to as "CHEN GUANWEN") and TAN KUAN HWEE shall file an objection within fourteen (14) days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 18th day of September, 2020

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## THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT THE VIRGIN ISLANDS IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE (PROBATE)

Claim No. BVIHPB 2020

### IN THE ESTATE OF VANCETO AUGUSTUS GEORGE DECEASED

TAKE NOTICE that Virginia George, of Jost Van Dyke, British Virgin Islands, intends to apply to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice in the Territory of the Virgin Islands for Letters of Administration of the estate of VANCETO AUGUSTUS GEORGE, deceased, late of Jost Van Dyke, British Virgin Islands who died on the 14th day of May, 2019.

ANY PERSON having objections to a grant of representation to the Intended Applicant shall within fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice lodge with the Registry of the High Court in the Territory of the Virgin Islands a document setting out the said objections.

DATED: this the 25th day of August, 2020.

Alliance Law Partnership, Ltd  
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## THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE VIRGIN ISLANDS

In the estate of TERRANCE DAROLD WILLIAMS, late  
of 234/327, Village No. 5, Fa Ham Sub-district, Mueang  
Chiang Mai District, Chiang Mai Province, Thailand,  
deceased

TAKE NOTICE that KWAN HOI WANG of 40C Tower 3 Harbour Green, 8 Sham Mong Road, Kowloon, Hong Kong, being the sole Executor and Trustee named in the Last Will relating to BVI Estate (the Will) of TERRANCE DAROLD WILLIAMS, deceased who died on the 12th day of January, 2020, domiciled in Thailand (the Deceased), has applied to the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court in the Probate Division for Probate of the Will bearing the date 13 October 2018.

ANY PERSON having an objection to the Grant of Probate to the said KWAN HOI WANG, shall within fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this Notice lodge with the Registry of the High Court in the Territory of the Virgin Islands a proper document setting out the said objections.



Solicitors for the Executor

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## THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT THE VIRGIN ISLANDS IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE (PROBATE)

Claim No. BVIHPB 2020

### IN THE ESTATE OF ALLAN LAWRENCE HODGE DECEASED

TAKE NOTICE that Harriet Therese Hodge, originally of Cane Garden Bay, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, who now currently resides in Florida, USA, intends to apply to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice in the Territory of the Virgin Islands for Letters of Administration of the estate of ALLAN LAWRENCE HODGE, deceased, late of Cane Garden Bay, Tortola, British Virgin Islands who died on the 18th day of September, 2008.

ANY PERSON having objections to a grant of representation to the Intended Applicant shall within fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice lodge with the Registry of the High Court in the Territory of the Virgin Islands a document setting out the said objections.

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# Has the time come for Caribbean Republics?

By Sir Ronald Sanders



In 1994, shortly after Antigua and Barbuda and Cuba established diplomatic relations, Fidel Castro and Antigua and Barbuda's Prime Minister, Lester Bird, had a memorable conversation in Havana.

The conversation is worth recalling in the context of the third announcement by a Government of Barbados that by November 2021, it intends that Barbados should be a Republic, shedding monarchical status and Queen Elizabeth II as Head of State.

The conversation between Lester and Fidel, at which I was present as a member of the Antigua and Barbuda delegation, started with the revolutionary Cuban leader asking Lester (now Sir Lester) what big plans he had in mind for Antigua and Barbuda. Lester told Fidel that he was contemplating moving to make Antigua and Barbuda a Republic, relinquishing the monarch as the country's Head of State.

Fidel's response stopped Sir Lester and the entire Antigua and Barbuda delegation in our tracks. "Why?", asked the legendary revolutionary. "Does she interfere with your government?". Sir Lester explained that she did not and that, in a real sense, while Antigua and Barbuda like many other Caribbean countries was one of the Queen's realms, her role in the government of the country was performed by a local representative and, apart from assenting to legislation which could not be withheld, was only ceremonial, having no executive authority.

"In which case", Fidel responded, "you might consider remaining as you are. The Queen doesn't interfere with your government and she provides to foreign investors and others a level of confidence in the constitutional arrangements of your state".

The surprising conversation did not go much beyond that. It was staggering to the Antigua and Barbuda delegation, but it demonstrated the practical sense of Fidel Castro, which might account, in part, for the survival of Cuba despite the punishing embargo by the United States.

That 1994 conversation between Fidel and Sir Lester took place at least nine years before Owen Arthur, as Prime Minister of Barbados, first proposed Republican status for Barbados in 2003; eighteen years before Jamaican Prime Minister, Portia Simpson suggested it in 2012; twenty-one years prior to Prime Minister Freundel Stuart echoed the proposition in 2015 for Barbados; twenty-two years before Andrew Holness as Prime Minister repeated it in 2016 for Jamaica; and twenty-six years before the latest announcement by the Barbados government of Prime Minister Mia Mottley on September 15.

So far, none of the countries in which this proposal has been made, has gone through with it.

While the Throne Speech, in which the most recent Barbados announcement was made, referenced Barbados' first Prime Minister, Errol Barrow, cautioning against "loitering on colonial premises", there would be many who would draw a distinction between seeking independence from the colonial authority of the British (which was the context of Barrow's remarks) and retaining Queen

Elizabeth II as Head of State.

Both Owen Arthur and Freundel Stuart might have retreated from the idea not because they did not believe it to be right, but because within the Barbados society, including the business community, a great value is placed on the Queen as a symbol, if nothing else, of stability and maybe even of unity above the fray of politics.

This is probably true, too, in the case of the Bahamas, Belize, Jamaica, Antigua and Barbuda, and the five other independent countries of the Eastern Caribbean where the Queen is still head of state.

In the event, the present government of Barbados has the greatest chance of success in achieving the objective of becoming a Republic by next year. Unlike the remaining independent countries of the Caribbean of which the Queen is head of state, the Barbados constitution allows for this significant change in constitutional status by "votes of not less than two-thirds of all the members of the House". No referendum of the electorate is required. Given that the present Mottley Government controls twenty-nine of the thirty seats in the House of Assembly, achieving the vote should be easy.

The one obstacle would be how intense, if at all, will be resistance by elements of the Barbados society and the business community against the idea, and how much it threatens to divide the country. This was a matter that clearly influenced both Arthur and Stuart, during their premierships, not to press ahead with the idea.

Antigua and Barbuda, the Bahamas, Jamaica and the other six independent Caribbean countries require not only a two-thirds majority in the House of Representatives, but also a majority vote by the electorate in a referendum.

Winning referenda in the Caribbean has proven to be as difficult as pushing a boulder up a mountain. In 2009, a referendum in St Vincent and the Grenadines rejected the proposal to oust the monarchy and substitute it with a republic. And, several referenda have failed in other Caribbean countries to alter the Constitution to allow the Privy Council to be replaced by the Caribbean Court of Justice, signifying a reluctance by the majority of the electorate for radical change.

While becoming a Republic is regarded by Caribbean intellectuals as "rounding the circle of independence", the argument is not as much about the head of state not being a white woman living in a distant former colonial power; it is more about confidence in good governance when institutions perceived as beneficial are changed.

That argument can only be won by political parties in every Caribbean country, demonstrating that they will maintain the rule of law, civil and political rights, and democratic principles, including non-discrimination particularly in race and religion.

However much ruling political parties might wish to join the Barbados government in pursuing republican status, "the matter is really in the hands of the Caribbean people" as the Queen said in 2012 when Portia Simpson declared: "I love the Queen, she is a beautiful lady, and apart from being a beautiful lady she is a wise lady and a wonderful lady. But I think time come".



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