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BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDERS POPULATION DECREASING

Former Minister of Health and Social Development Hon. Carvin Malone is urging Virgin Islanders to consider Canada as a cautionary tale of what can happen when a country's local population decreases, while the requirements for economic and social services continue to increase.

The Opposition Member made this point during his guest interview on the ZBVI Honestly Speaking Talk Show with Claude Skelton-Cline on 8 November. During that interview Hon. Malone urged Virgin Islanders to participate in the Constitutional Review exercise currently underway; as he said that this document will be critical in preserving the Virgin Islands way of life.

The pleading from the legislator was due to his findings that the local population is decreasing and as such he warned that the concerns of Virgin Islanders in a short time will not be reflective of the majority.

CENSUS CONCERNS

The Former Minister explained that the true reflection of the current population numbers would be best ascertained by a Territorial census. However, he noted that the planned census exercise might be completed shortly. "The last population census was conducted in 2010 but it was completed in 2011. We are due one every 10 years. It is hoped that we can get it completed next year," he opined.

Nonetheless, Hon. Malone noted that even the previous census did not paint a rosy picture of the Virgin Islander population. He said: "when you look at what we have in terms of the Virgin Islanders because everyone will sing that you have the definition as to an indigenous Virgin Islander for instance, whether it is two parents, whether it is one parent, whether it is two generations, four generations or five generations. The fact is that those persons born in the Virgin Islands in the 2011 census had moved down to about 42 percent. I had the board look...and given where that figure is. Today it would be about 40 or 39 percent. In terms of born here indigenous."

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Hon. Malone noted that a birds-eye view of the shrinking local population can be seen by examining of the current Virgin Islander family structure. "When you look at the structure of the family — the average family size as early or as late as you want to call it 50s, 40s, 30s we talk about the family size

of 12, 13, 14, 15. When you look at average family size today one, two, and three," he pointed out.

The Legislator further asserted that the dwindling Virgin Islander population number also raises concern about the Territory's development and labour needs for economic

development. The Legislator stated: "We are talking about expanding our tourism, expanding our financial services; expanding what we have; but our population is only growing by immigration not by birth."

THE IMMIGRATION DEBACLE

While alluding to the matter of immigration control Hon. Malone mentioned the situation of Canada. The Opposition Member stated: "Canada had done such a great job with immigration at one point; they are now stealing residents and citizens from other lands. They are saying we will give

you a free Canada passport just come we need people to work. We need people to add to the social security system...because the average age is high; and the contributing age to the economy is dwindling; and the young folks are moving away."

22 PERSONS COMPLETE THE FINTECH PROGRAMME

The Territory has moved one step closer in its efforts to use FINTECH to value add to and further cement the Territory's place in the global financial services industry with the completion of training of the first Fintech programme participants.

Since 2018 the Territory signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the National University of Singapore to provide such training and the recent graduation of the inaugural BVI Fintech Training Programme showcases the partnership arrangement.

22 persons completed the programme which was facilitated by the H. Lavity Stoutt Community College's Robert Mathavious Institute (RMI) for Financial Services.

While extending kudos to the cohort, Premier and Minister of Financer Dr. the Hon. Natalio Wheatley stated: "The students received their certificates from the National University of Singapore School of Computing. I will again support the second cohort of students for the Fintech programme scheduled for next year."

The FINTECH Professional course began on 21 March, 2022. The programme included eight weeks of course work and up to four months of project work.

This FINTECH training programme was made possible through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding between the National University

of Singapore and the Government of the Virgin Islands on 12 November, 2018.

The aim of the arrangement was to assist through educational and training support in (NUS) government's plans to development new business in the FinTech area.

During the signing of the MOU, former Premier Dr. the Hon. D. Orlando Smith reflected on the fact that during his BVI Asia Trade Mission he was able to visit, learn and have a series of discussions at the National University of Singapore. He also referenced the fact that Professor Keith from the NUS visited the BVI in late July (2018) and conducted a two-day FinTech Immersion Course at the H Lavity

Stoutt Community College and a series of workshops and talks with senior Government officials, members of the business communities and members of the House of Assembly.

The former Premier said that Professor Carter's visit ignited interest in what was described as the 'ABCD Economy' – AI (Artificial Intelligence), Blockchain, Cryptocurrency and Data.

"Now, I am very pleased to witness the signing of this Memorandum of Understanding for education, research and consultation in these areas between the National University of Singapore and the British Virgin Islands. This is of great benefit to the whole Territory including our Financial Services

Industry represented today by Executive Director of BVI Finance, Mrs. Lorna Smith, OBE," Hon. Smith said at the signing.

He also noted that the agreement between the government and the NUS will be essential in Government's move to re-position itself digitally and to foster innovation, investment and the development of new businesses in all sectors of the BVI economy.

"As we enter an era of digital change, the relationship fostered between NUS and the BVI with this MoU will generate tangible results through the exchange of ideas, expertise, and the application of academic insight and research to real-world problems and opportunities," the former legislator added.



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MINISTER RYMER MAKES NEW ATTEMPT TO IMPROVE AIRLIFT SITUATION

During a recent press conference, Minister for Works and Utilities Hon. Kye Rymer made further mention of Government's plans to improve the airlift situation that has been burdening the tourism sector for years.

The Minister who seemed optimistic about the plans in the pipeline to better air transport to the Territory told reporters during a recent press conference that the new Board of the BVI Airports Authority pledged to move this mandate of

improved airlift forward.

Hon. Rymer said, "I was able to have a good meeting with my newly formed board yesterday, the BVI Airports Authority Board led by Theo Burke and the mandate was given that this is the direction that the board needs to be taking the airport into where we are speaking about increased airlift and expansion of the runway."

The quest to improve particularly direct flight to the Territory is not new as it goes back to the 1980s.

In fact, there have been many studies done over the years to determine the best approach to the situation. This fact, was also referenced by the Minister when he noted that the previous plans that were done. "What we have is over the years we have done quite a lot of consultancies and had various drawings and so forth in terms of the expansion," Hon. Rymer noted.

One prominent Chief Minister of the Twilight of the old millennium was quite adamant in saying: "I will not be the Chief Minister

who will bring jets to the BVI". Prior to that AirBVI was dissolved and the Tortola-Miami experimental flights were short-lived.

Mr. Rymer also suggested that the new Board considers some of the studies that were done in order to propose the next step forward. "I don't think that we need to recreate the wheel. And I know the premier can confirm that we have some investors that are ready to come in and assist with certain parts of the expansion. So, we are eager to get started in terms of making sure that the runway

extension is a priority," Hon. Rymer announced.

"What I know is during my short time I have been reaching out to various airlines in terms of increasing airlift in the territory. You would have seen, I think about a month back, we were able to land an Embraer 190, that plane is able to take direct flights from Tortola direct to the mainland, Miami and the eastern seaboard. So we have been working with that agency in terms of trying to cement that relationship to have increased airlift and have a direct flight to the US as well," he added.

FEDERAL PROSECUTOR FILES NEW CHARGE AGAINST FORMER PREMIER

The legal woes of former Premier Hon. Andrew Fahie and former Managing Director of the BVI Ports Authority Oleanvine Maynard have worsened now that they are facing a new criminal charge. The increase in matters before the court is a result of the recent laying of an additional charge of 'Interstate and Foreign Travel in Aid of Racketeering' against both Fahie and Maynard. This new offense was filed in the United States District Court of Southern Florida.

The disclosure of this new charge came as a result of circulated US court documents that were dated November 8.

The documents stated that both Fahie and Maynard are now confronted with this new charge of Interstate and Foreign Travel in Aid of Racketeering.

Both of defendants were slapped with this charge as a result of what occurred days before they were arrested. In the case of the Former Premier, the Court document noted that the new charge against him is the result of an alleged interaction that occurred on or about 24 April. It was also noted that the new charge against the Former BVIPA MD arose from an alleged action that occurred on or about 26 April. Both of these alleged incidents

are said to have occurred in Miami-Dade County, in the Southern District of Florida.

It was stated that the charges were filed by Assistant United States Attorney Shane Butland who accused both of the defendants of "knowingly travel in interstate and foreign commerce with the intent to promote, manage, establish, carry on, and facilitate the promotion, management, establishment and carrying on of an unlawful activity, that is a business enterprise involving narcotics or controlled substances."

It was also mentioned that the new charge carries a maximum five-year prison

sentence and a maximum fine of \$250,000.

Both Hon. Fahie and Ms. Maynard were arrested in Miami Florida on 28 April as a result of a sting operation that involved DEA agents. His arrest on drug and money laundering charges resulted from an undercover operation involving a US DEA informant.

In addition to Hon. Fahie and Maynard, the son of the Former Ports MD Kadeem Maynard was also charged with the offenses of conspiracy to import a controlled substance, conspiracy to engage in money laundering, and attempted money laundering.



BVI PROGRAM EXAMINES PRACTICAL IMPLICATIONS OF SANCTIONS ON LITIGATION AND ARBITRATION



Dancia Penn, OBE KC, Dancia Penn & Co; Independent Arbitrator with Caribbean Arbitrators; Co-Chair of the Program – welcomes attendees

Others, Left to Right:

- **Khawar Qureshi KC, Head of McNair International; Keynote Speaker**
- **Hon Barry Leon, Independent Arbitrator with Caribbean Arbitrators; former BVI Commercial Court Judge; Co-Chair of the Program**
- **Brodrick Penn, Director of Enforcement, BVI Financial Services Commission**
- **Fiona Forbes-Vanterpool, BVI Attorney General's Chambers**
- **Sjoerd Koster, President, BVI Bankers Association; ; General Manager, VP Bank, BVI**



Left to Right:

- **His Excellency Governor John Rankin CMG, British Virgin Islands**
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His Excellency Governor John Rankin CMG, British Virgin Islands – addresses the audience

At a time when the imposition and effect of international sanctions against Russia and other States are receiving significant public attention globally, a high-profile program in BVI, chaired by Hon Barry Leon, Independent Arbitrator with Caribbean Arbitrators and former Presiding Commercial Court Judge in BVI, and Dancia Penn OBE KC, Dancia Penn & Co, and Independent Arbitrator with Caribbean Arbitrators, examined the significant practical impacts that the imposition of sanctions has had – and continues to have – on international litigation and arbitration in BVI and internationally.

Khawar Qureshi KC, Head of McNair International, delivered a Keynote presentation. Mr. Qureshi drew on more than 30 years' experience in advising commercial parties and State authorities, including the UK Government (as an "A" Panel Treasury Counsel on Litigation, Arbitration and Public International Law matters), on sanctions regimes of the UN, EU, USA, and UK.

Qureshi explained the difficulties that arise conducting dispute resolution when one or more of the parties is affected by sanctions. He stressed the importance of effective and thorough due diligence by all those involved to ensure compliance with applicable sanctions regime.

While lawyers can apply for individual Special Licences to permit them to be paid legal fees by a sanctioned client, increasing concerns about the delays in those processes have resulted in an emerging trend of regulatory authorities to issue General Licences to facilitate legal representation. Licences are intended to facilitate access to justice for sanctioned parties, while maintaining the sanctions in place for other purposes. Yet there are concerns about the clarity and scope of General Licences issued so far.

Following Qureshi's Keynote presentation, eminent speakers from Government, the Finance sector and a leading international arbitral institution presented their perspectives and insights on how sanctions are affecting litigation and arbitration, and what lawyers and others can do to navigate the consequences of sanctions so that litigation and arbitration can continue.

BVI Governor His Excellency John Rankin CMG, who is the "competent authority" for sanctions in BVI, emphasized the importance of BVI, as a leading global financial centre, playing its part in the effective implementation of UK sanctions. The UK sanctions have been extended to BVI and other British Territories. The Governor's Office carries out its role in implementing and enforcing sanctions, and considering licence



Khawar Qureshi KC, Head of McNair International; Keynote Speaker

applications, with support from multiple agencies across the UK and the BVI Government, including the Attorney General's Chambers.

Addressing the application process for licences for lawyers to be paid "reasonable professional fees and expenses" by a sanctioned party, Fiona Forbes-Vanterpool, of the Attorney General's Chambers, explained that, in accordance with the guidance issued by the UK's Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation, applications needed to be as specific and well-evidenced as possible, explaining the legal representation and why the fees sought are reasonable for a given case.

Sanctions can raise a large number of legal and compliance issues for banks and other financial institutions, particularly in BVI as a major offshore financial centre. Brodrick Penn, Director of Enforcement at the BVI Financial Services Commission, brought his more than 20 years of experience to bear in explaining the FSC's role in ensuring that financial institutions operating

in BVI have adequate procedures and controls in place to achieve full compliance with sanctions, assisting the Governor's Office by sharing relevant information, and "flagging" suspect transactions to enable regulatory investigations to be undertaken.

Sjoerd Koster, President of the BVI Bankers Association and General Manager of VP Bank in BVI, explained the complexities involved in an international bank staying current with global developments in regulatory embargoes and financial sanctions, and highlighted online systems available to BVI banks to assist with this. Often multiple countries' sanctions regimes will apply to a proposed financial transaction.

Arbitration institutions serve a vital role in administering arbitrations. Natalia Petrik, Deputy Secretary-General of The Arbitration Institute of the Stockholm Chamber of Commerce, a leading arbitration institution which has administered many disputes involving parties from Russia and the CIS region explained the significant impact that sanctions have had on some arbitrations, including leading to the resignation of arbitrators, and provided examples of situations in which arbitral institutions can provide guidance and assist disputing parties' counsel in overcoming practical difficulties.

The program was held on 7 November at the BVI International Arbitration Centre before a large in-person audience and was live-streamed to an audience around the world.

Those in attendance included Hon Dr. Natalia Wheatley, BVI Premier and Minister of Finance, Hon Dawn J. Smith, BVI Attorney General, John Beechey CBE, Chairman of the BVI International Arbitration Centre Board of Directors and former President of the ICC International Court of Arbitration, Hon Gerard St. C. Farara, Eastern Caribbean Court of Appeal, and other judges of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court and other Caribbean courts.



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Duplicate Names of Voters Posted for Public Review

The Office of the Supervisor of Elections is urging the public to review a list of registered voters found to be duplicated entries in the current elections system.

Supervisor of Elections, Ms. Scherrie Griffin said as the office moves over to a new and upgraded Elections

Management System, efforts are being made to filter out these repeated entries of persons. Some of these persons, she explained, may have passed while others may be two different individuals without enough information to differentiate between them.

Ms. Griffin added that

these duplicates in the system are one of the many reasons why upgrading is significant.

“With occurrences like these that hinder the flow of the voter registration process, it underscores the benefit of prioritising a much needed change to a new and modern system,”

Ms. Griffin said. She added, “The office is hopeful that once the relevant persons listed as duplicates reach out to us, we will be able to move over to the new system efficiently.”

The Supervisor of Elections also noted that addressing the duplicates, and overall voters’ list maintenance, facilitates the Office’s ability to publicise a more accurate database of voters.

“The office’s capacity to publish an accurate database of voters can engender the public’s confidence in our ability to administer electoral processes in a transparent and accountable manner,” Ms. Griffin added.

The duplication list can be accessed at bit.ly/

duplicatenames. If an individual sees their name duplicated on the list, they are asked to contact the Office of the Supervisor of Elections to verify their information accordingly. The office is located at 216 Upper Main Street, at the Creque Building and can be contacted at electionoffice@gov.vg or 468-4380.

The Office of the Supervisor of Elections is committed to providing with integrity, general direction and supervision over the registration of voters, the administrative conduct of free and fair elections in the Virgin Islands, and imparting efficient, reliable and courteous service to the public.



PROGRAM LISTINGS

MONDAYS

- (1:00 PM) OMOJA - WITH EDJU EN KA
- (5:00 PM) TALKING POINTS - WITH MRS. VIOLET GAUL
- (7:00 PM) INSPIRATION MONDAYS - WITH MEADE MALONE
- (7:30 PM) TRANSFORMING YOUR TOMORROW TODAY - BY TRANSFORMATION CHURCH INTERNATIONAL
- (8:00 PM) NDP RADIO PROGRAM (1ST & 3RD MONDAYS) - BY THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY
- (8:00 - 9:00 PM) NEW COVENANT PRAYER LINE (EVERY 2ND MONDAY) - NEW COVENANT MINISTRIES

TUESDAYS

- (5:00 PM) HONESTLY SPEAKING PROGRAM - WITH CLAUDE SKELTON CLINE

WEDNESDAYS

- (10:00 AM) THE MORNING SHOW - WITH PAUL HEWLETT
- (1:15 PM) OMOJA - WITH "EDJU EN KA"
- (7:00 - 8:00 PM) DYAS VOICE PROGRAM - (2ND AND 4TH WEDNESDAY) WITH DEPT. OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS
- (7:00 - 9:00 PM) THE HOT SEAT REVISED PROG. - (1ST & 3RD WEDNESDAY)
- (8:00 - 10:00 PM) THE HOT SEAT REVISED PROG. - (2ND WEDNESDAY) WITH CARL DAWSON, JULIAN GORDON, AND WALWYN BREWLEY

THURSDAYS

- (5:00 PM) HONESTLY SPEAKING PROGRAM - WITH CLAUDE SKELTON CLINE

FRIDAYS

- (7:00 - 8:00 PM) BODY AND SOUL PROGRAM - WITH REV. DR. PASTOR MELVIN TURNBULL, DR. KEDRICK PICKERING, REV. MICHAEL ANTHONY, PASTOR CALVIN MILLS, AND REV. DR. KEITH LEWIS

SATURDAYS

- (8:00 - 10:00 AM) MORE TALK, LESS MUSIC - WITH ZOE AND JOE JACK
- (10:00 - 11:00 AM) KNOWLEDGE IS POWER HOUR
- (4:30 - 6:00 PM) SPORTS TALK - WITH CLEMENT "BONE CRUSHER" DONOVAN, AND ROY PICKERING (ALTERNATING WEEKS)
- (6:00 - 7:30 PM) A LOOK AT THE COMMUNITY - WITH HOSTS ULRIC SCATLIFFE & DR. HARLAN VANTERPOOL

SUNDAYS

- (7:15 - 7:30 AM) HOPE FOR TODAY B'CAST - BY: CHRISTIAN FAITH ASSEMBLY
- (7:30 - 7:45 AM) VOICE OF THE LAMB B'CAST - BY: TRINITY MORAVIAN CHURCH
- (7:45 - 8:00 AM) ADVENT EYE MINISTRY (2ND & 4TH SUNDAY) - BY: BRO. MICHAEL WILLIAMS
- (7:45 - 8:00 AM) FAITH BELIEVING B'CAST (1ST & 3RD SUNDAY) - BY: UPPER ROOM DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE, BOSTON, MA
- (8:00 - 8:15 AM) VOICE OF HOPE B'CAST - BY: APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH
- (8:30 - 9:00 AM) GOSPEL OF JESUS B'CAST - BY: GOSPEL OF JESUS EVANGELISTIC PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
- (9:00 - 9:30 AM) SHOCKING BIBLE PROPHECIES - BY: SEVENTHDAY ADVENTISTS CHURCHES
- (9:30 - 9:45 AM) AGAPE TOTAL LIFE BROADCAST - BY: AGAPE TOTAL LIFE CENTER
- (9:50 AM) HOLINESS AWAKENING B'CAST - BY: CHURCH OF GOD OF HOLINESS, BAUGHERS BAY
- (10:05 AM) REVEALED TRUTH B'CAST - BY: SHAMMAH DELIVERANCE MINISTRIES
- (10:35 AM) UNSHACKLED RADIO MINISTRY
- (12:30 PM) ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, SEA COWS BAY SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE
- (1:30 PM) ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL ANGLICAN CHURCH (EXCEPT 2ND SUNDAY)
- (4:30 PM) HYMNS & THEIR MEANINGS PROG. (1ST & 3RD SUNDAY) - WITH BRENDA HERBERT STEWART
- (6:00 PM) METHODIST CHURCH MONTHLY SERVICE (1ST SUNDAY)
- (6:00 PM) ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL ANGLICAN CHURCH (2ND SUNDAY)
- (7:00 PM) YOUR GOSPEL MUSIC PROGRAM - WITH VALERIE LETTSOME AND CLAUDE PARILLON (LAST 3 SUNDAYS)
- (7:30 PM) "VICTORIOUS PRAISES" B'CAST - WITH SIS. ESMIE POTTER (2ND SUNDAY)

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Statement By Honourable Melvin Turnbull On Meeting With New UK Overseas Territories Minister The Rt. Hon. Lord Zac Goldsmith

I am presently at the United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP27) in Sharm El-Sheik, Egypt, as a key player in the representation of overseas territories and small-island developing

Climate and Environment at the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO). He replaces Rt. Hon. Jesse Norman MP who served for a brief period following Rt. Hon. Amanda Milling MP. Among the issues discussed was

nature and the environment. During their meeting, The Rt. Hon. expressed his enthusiasm about the opportunity he now has to develop those areas in our respective territories.

The OTs represented at COP27 are British Virgin Islands, Anguilla and Falkland Islands, amongst other world leaders including the new UK Prime Minister Rishi Sunak, Barbados Prime Minister Mia Mottley, U.S. President Joe Biden, and the host President Abdel Fattah El-Sisi of Egypt. Further OT representation will follow COP15 in December of this year and again at COP28 in 2023. It's incumbent upon OT leaders to continue conversations such as this, so that our priority areas can be presented to the UK in a way that results in meaningful change.

The Rt. Hon. Lord Goldsmith said that he is pleased to be

our representative, and has pledged his support with coordinating financial and technical resources to mitigate the effects of climate change in our different regions.

I shared with the Minister that his dialogue with the OT Minister was promising.

I invited him to visit the BVI to see the work that the Government of National Unity has done to reform and

restructure the public service since May 5th.

It is important to recognise and strengthen the work that's being done on an international, regional and local level to better the Virgin Islands and charter our own course.

We look forward to The Rt. Hon. Lord Goldsmith's tangible support while we build a BVI we can be proud of for generations to come.



states, whose livelihoods are increasingly affected by the effects of climate change.

On Monday 14th November, I was pleased to meet and liaise with incoming UK Overseas Territory (OT) Minister The Rt. Hon. Lord Zac Goldsmith. The Rt Hon Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park is the Minister for Overseas Territories, Commonwealth, Energy,

a need for truer representation of the OTs at international conferences such as COP27, considering that the OTs make up about 90% of the UK's oceans and areas significantly affected by climate change. The appointment of The Rt. Hon. Lord Goldsmith as OT Minister is in fact opportune, as his professional interests and innate passions comprise



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Statement by Premier Wheatley on Financial Services Week 2022

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Greetings to everyone here in the Virgin Islands and tuning in around the world. It is a pleasure to open Financial Services Week 2022. This is the time we take to acknowledge the importance

of our financial services industry, not just to the BVI and its economy, but also to recognise the outstanding role that the industry and its stakeholders continue to play locally, regionally, and internationally.

This year the theme for Financial Services Week is Globalisation: BVI Beyond. Globalisation is the term used to describe how extensive trade networks and technology have made our world more connected and interdependent. This process of trading across borders has evolved with the advancement of human civilisation and resulted in decreased poverty levels and increased wealth and prosperity across the globe.

But what does this have to do with the BVI and its financial

services industry?

The global economy is powered by millions of cross-border investments and transactions. These transactions are facilitated by international finance centres like the BVI, which provide specialist services that keep the wheels of the global economy turning.

People and businesses choose the BVI because of our robust legal framework, regulation and conformity to international standards. We are a popular and efficient jurisdiction for the incorporation and operation of a range of entities, including holding companies, multi-shareholder companies, joint venture companies and funds, trusts and partnerships. We are also well-known for our professional service firms,

primarily legal, insolvency and accounting, as well as our well-renowned centre where disputes are resolved in our Commercial Court or the International Arbitration Centre.

During Financial Services Week, we showcase this work, but we also take introspection on where we are and what is required for us to advance as a forward-thinking jurisdiction. We must ask ourselves important questions about what it will take to develop strategies to adapt and keep pace with the trends and advancements of globalisation.

In these uncertain and often unpredictable times, we must continue building on the strong foundations laid for us more than 40 years ago when our financial services industry was birthed. We must embrace and prepare for the future.

That is why as the then Minister of Education, I supported the first cohort of 22 professionals to complete the inaugural BVI Fintech Training Programme of the H. Laverty Stoutt Community College Robert Mathavious Institute (RMI) for Financial Services. The program was administered by and the students received their certificates from the National University of Singapore School of Computing. I will again support the second cohort of students for the Fintech programme scheduled for next year.

BVI Finance has planned

a packed schedule of fun and educational activities for Financial Services Week. I encourage everyone across the BVI to get involved and learn more about this industry that is so essential to our economic well-being.

I am excited about the important report commissioned from Pragmatix Advisory by BVI Finance, which will be launched at the Beyond Globalisation Conference on Tuesday morning. On Tuesday evening, I am eager for the Great Debate between students of the H Laverty Stoutt Community College and practitioners in the financial services industry. They will be debating the question – Does Globalisation Have a Future? Will the students win the debate against seasoned practitioners again? Tune in and see who wins!

I look forward to the Special Edition Breakfast Forum, where our Director of Communications will speak with the Director of Tourism, the Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce and the CEO of BVI Finance about the intersection of business, tourism and financial services.

Beyond the educational opportunities, you can also join in the fun with hiking, Jeopardy night, and quizzes on ZBVI radio. Financial Services Week is for all of us, so join me as we celebrate our Financial Services Industry.

I now declare Financial Services Week 2022 officially opened.

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Launch of Constitutional Review Public Consultations

Remarks by Premier Wheatley

Honourable Leader of the Opposition and Representative for the 3rd District, Honourable Julian Fraser.

Mrs. Lisa Penn-Lettsome, Chair of the Constitutional Review Commission.

Commissioners Dr. Charles Wheatley and Dr. Reverend Melvin Turnbull, we are grateful for your presence here.

And I am also grateful to the media for being here to capture this important event.

A pleasant Good Afternoon to you all and members of the listening and viewing public.

The Constitution is perhaps one of the most important documents for any society.

It sets out the rules by which the members of that community agree to govern themselves. It establishes the institutions of Government, the parameters and rules by which these institutions operate and interact with one another, and how the relationship between the people and their Government is to be managed.

The Constitution usually includes such things as fundamental rights, the powers and limitations thereof of Constitutional actors such as the Governor, the Attorney General, elected Representatives and Ministers, to name a few. In our case as an Overseas Territory, our Constitution also defines aspects of the relationship between the UK Government and the elected Territorial Government.

These are very important functions for a Constitution. And one of the most critical things to note is that when a written Constitution is enacted, its content cannot be changed very easily – even if the effectiveness or relevance of a provision becomes an issue due to changes within the society over time. So, you have to live with and abide by that text until the time comes around to write a new Constitution or you have to go through the rigorous process required to make the necessary amendment.

What this means is that in designing our new Constitution we need to put deep thought into what we want it to say and what we want it to contain. We also have to look towards the future and gauge what our future needs from

a Constitution may be so that those issues can be taken into account during the Constitutional Review process.

Since the return of legislative function to our shores in 1950 – 72 years ago – the Virgin Islands has had four written Constitutions. Our current Constitution, the Virgin Islands Constitution Order 2007 was enacted 15 years ago. The Constitution prior to that was enacted in 1976 – 31 years prior to the 2007 Constitution. So, persons can appreciate why it is important to get the provisions right.

Persons would recall that when the current Constitution was enacted, the intention was that it would be reviewed after 10 years. In 2017, the then Premier Dr the Honourable D. Orlando Smith had stated the Government's intention to commence a Constitutional Review. This effort was thwarted by Hurricanes Irma and Maria. Constitutional Review remained a live topic, and in June 2020 the House of Assembly approved the establishment of a Constitutional Review Commission with Terms of Reference. The intention was to put everything in place so that the Commission would be able to begin work when the restrictions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic abated.

Of course, we all know that the

pandemic was protracted. This pushed back the timeline and the Commissioners received their instruments of appointment in December 2021.

The report of the Sir Gary Hickinbottom Commission of Inquiry, at page 691, acknowledges that the current Constitution “cannot take the weight it has to bear” and, at Recommendation A2, calls for urgent review of the Constitution. Sir Gary Hickinbottom points out that we must aim for a new Constitution “that will enable the people of the BVI to meet their aspirations, including those in respect of self-government within the context of modern democracy,” and which will also enable the progressive development of our own political institutions.

The COI Report recommended some issues that should be included in the Terms of Reference of the Constitutional Review and amendments to the composition of the Commission, and these were taken on board by the House of Assembly in a Resolution approved in September 2022.

Other preparatory work having been completed, the Constitutional Review Commission, under the Chairmanship of Mrs Lisa Penn-Lettsome is ready to begin engaging the public for its

input into the development of our new Constitution. The Commission has set up a website: www.yourconstitution.vg. Please check it out.

Sir Gary Hickinbottom, in his Report, mentioned the alignment of the Constitution to our aspirations as a Virgin Islands people, and the issue of our self-determination. These are not new topics to us, but it is good to see that he has acknowledged them and their role in the Constitutional Review exercise.

We should note that since 1949, our fore parents have articulated a vision for Virgin Islanders to have greater control and say in their own governance – and even before that; we can go back to those persons who rebelled against slavery. These principles have carried forward throughout the decades. The Preamble to the 2007 Constitution also speaks to the significance of our unique cultural identity that has been formed, and which continues to evolve, over generations, and our quest for social justice, economic empowerment and political advancement, as well as self-determination.

I mention this because our political status is a topic that is sure to come up as the Constitutional Review Commission engages in dialogue with

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF NO TRADE LICENCE FOR COMMERCIAL RECREATIONAL VESSELS

STATEMENT BY PREMIER AND MINISTER OF FINANCE
DR. THE HONOURABLE NATALIO D. WHEATLEY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2022

Good day and God's blessings upon the people of the Virgin Islands. I take this opportunity to publicly congratulate Governor Bryan and Lieutenant Governor Roach on their re-election. I also take this opportunity to congratulate all other government officials elected.

It is important to note that we are currently formulating new policies and amendments to existing legislation that will recognise transient vessels, modify fees, provide greater ease of access while ensuring that the economic value of locally based charter operations is protected.

We are grateful to those who have chosen to have their base of operations in the BVI, we recognise their important continuous contribution to the BVI economy and we in no way underestimate the value of this sector. There is a balance to be maintained and that balance must offer advantages for BVI based products and services within the BVI tourism space because of their commitment to the Territory and product. Last season was however difficult for all parties involved and some subsectors of the tourism economy were severely impacted by the resulting reduced maritime traffic. While it will take time to fully develop and implement the proposed solution; there is an immediate need to make some adjustments to ensure that this tourism season affords all subsectors the opportunities to pursue a return on their investments through adjusted provisions for increased maritime traffic. Without improved traffic numbers those opportunities are reduced.

We are also happy to facilitate easier access for our USVI neighbors with whom we enjoy a strong relationship; and they in return have agreed in principle to reciprocal applications for BVI boats trading into the USVI – this an important step considering potential recent escalation of requirements that could've cripple traffic on both sides.

I come to you today with an important announcement in regard to our tourism sector. In an effort to provide a more efficient and streamlined experience for our incoming guests, effective Friday 11th November, we have taken the decision not to require BVI trade licences from foreign based commercial recreational vessels conducting day or term charters or water taxis. Work Permits will not be required for the crew working on these vessels.

We will continue to promote the BVI based business and develop incentives and advantages for those so committed. This is already evident in some reduced fee levels for home based charter operations; and our BVI based maritime businesses are returning. Today we welcomed the yacht Taillights, a large yacht into the BVI home based family – chartering based in BVI under a BVI company this season, the first of it's size to be BVI home based. I understand that we should have a second similarly-sized yacht joining the BVI family shortly; and this is a testament to the value and quality of the BVI tourism product that we continue to develop and promote.

There is much more work to be done, and I will update you shortly with more updates to assist in a very successful tourist season.

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the public as it proceeds with its work. Self-determination is not a topic to shy away from. No topic that is dear to any individual should be shied away from.

But with respect to self-determination and the political status of the Virgin Islands, not only has the COI Report highlighted its importance and relevance, but the United Nations Charter, Article 73, also charges Non-Self-Governing Territories and Administrating Powers with the responsibility to bring an end to colonialism and its remnants. The United Nations has dedicated four consecutive decades to this mission of resolving and regularizing the political status of the Non-Self-Governing Territories.

It is also worth noting that the Virgin Islands Assessment of Self-Governance Sufficiency in Conformity with Internationally-Recognised Standards Report, prepared in 2021 by Carlyle G. Corbin, International Advisor on Governance, has also emphasized that our current Constitutional arrangements are no longer suitable to furthering the transition that is required by Article 73(b) of the UN Charter and the transfer of power doctrine under the Decolonisation Declaration.

Mr Corbin also recommends that we must have a new Constitution, and a Constitutional arrangement, that is suitable to the decolonization/ self-determination objective, with an appropriate timetable for replacing the present "asymmetrical dependency governance model" with one that does not have a democratic deficit and which will truly facilitate the Virgin Islands people being able to pursue and achieve their aspirations.

Addressing the issue of political status requires us to assess, define and articulate our vision and aspirations as a people. The Constitution, by establishing and strengthening institutions, and defining, limiting and regulating the powers and roles of the political actors, designs and equips the institutions for political development and advancement. Therefore, our new Constitution will be the vehicle for taking us wherever we, as a collective society, decide we want to go - and when we wish to get there. We have to make sure it is fit for purpose.

The how, where and when is also dependent on the role the UK will play in our governance and the powers that will be reserved for the Governor. Recommendations A2 (iii) and (iv) of the Sir Gary Hickinbottom Report also speak to these issues - and the House of Assembly have incorporated them into the Terms of Reference for the Constitutional Review Commission. Those two sub-Recommendations entreat the Virgin Islands people to have their say on what powers should be reserved to the Governor, and mandate for the new Constitution to have a mechanism for the transfer of reserved powers to the devolved Virgin Islands Government in the future, without a further change to the Constitution being required.

So, these are very important issues, and it is important that as many persons as possible come forward and share their views and have their voices heard on these matters. I know that the Constitutional Review Commission will be conducting some public education exercises, along with public consultations. Additionally, the public is already being invited to prepare written submissions to the Commission and to set up appointments to meet with the Commission if they so desire.

I want to urge all persons to ensure that they are included in the conversation and ensure that their views are heard - and to participate in a respectful manner. If you do not make use of this opportunity, it may be a very long time before another one presents itself.

I know that the members of the Constitutional Review Commission and all our Constitutional actors are fully aware that if a constitution does not reflect what the people want, then that contradicts everything a Constitution is supposed to stand for and it makes a mockery of the process.

This is why I believe it is safe to say that the Constitutional Review Commission aims to ensure that the new Constitution reflects the aspirations and the will of the Virgin Islands people - who are the persons, along with the future generations, who will be most directly impacted by the Constitution when it is written and put into effect.

The Virgin Islands we want to create for the future and the future we want for our people depend on the Constitution we are about to create.

But, for the Commission to know what is in the hearts and minds of Virgin Islanders, we all have to come forward and tell them - whether in open meetings or in written submissions.

I take this opportunity to thank all the members of the Constitutional Review Commission for their service and for the diligence with which I know they will approach this assignment.

I look forward to wide public participation, and I look forward to us having a robust, relevant and functional Constitution that is aligned with our aspirations and vision as a people, and which will enable us to realize the dreams of our fore-bearers who carried the torch for generations before us.

I thank you, and may God continue to bless and protect our Virgin Islands and its people, and may he continue to guide us on the path to success and prosperity.



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TAXI AND LIVERY COMMISSION

The Taxi and Livery Commission is the regulatory body of the land transportation-for-hire industry of the British Virgin Islands.

The Government of the Virgin Islands is seeking qualified persons to fill the following positions:

- Chairman
- Member representing the Taxi-Cab Operator on the Sister Islands
- Member representing the Livery Service Operators

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GLOBAL NEWS BRIEF

STORIES SELECTED BY GIORGIO MIGLIAVACCA

CANADA - Canadian authorities arrested an employee of public utility firm Hydro-Quebec on Monday and charged him with espionage for allegedly trying to steal trade secrets and sending them to China.

Yuesheng Wang, 35, was an employee and researcher for the firm whose work related to battery materials, said the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP).

Wang was taken into custody at his home in Candiac, a suburb of Montreal, and due to appear in court on Tuesday.

He is accused of obtaining trade secrets, using a computer without authorization, deception to gain trade secrets, and breach of trust by public officer.

The public utility company Hydro-Quebec oversees the production, transmission, and distribution of electricity within the Canadian province as well as its export to parts of the northeastern United States.

How was the crime committed?

According to the RCMP, its national security enforcement team started investigating Wang after a complaint from Hydro-Quebec.

Wang worked in a facility that developed technologies for energy storage and electric automobiles. He had been recently fired citing "serious breaches of the company's code of ethics."

The researcher is accused of allegedly using his position to carry out research for a Chinese university and other Chinese research institutions while working for Hydro-Quebec, according to RCMP Inspector David Beaudoin. [Deutsche Welle]

GHANA - After jetting into the capital of Ghana, the international arms broker who called himself "Excellence" greeted his buyers at the Golden Tulip hotel and proposed a secret sale: millions of dollars in missiles and grenades for use against American forces.

"Who else knows I'm with Hezbollah?" Faouzi Jaber asked as night fell on the four-star hotel with a life-sized sculpture of a giraffe in the lobby.

Jaber, who was representing a top operative for the Iran-backed terrorist organization, offered to sweeten the deal. He would help the buyers secure coveted positions as special diplomats - known as honorary consuls - who can travel easily through airports and transport their bags without law enforcement scrutiny.

"I will make you a consul in your country," Jaber said. "All of your friends will be consuls because when we travel -"

His associate cut in: "You'll have a diplomatic pass."

Jaber's covert offer in the fall of 2012, recorded by federal investigators, promised protection through a little-known international program that gives countries large and small the ability to enlist private citizens to serve as volunteer diplomats around the world.

Founded centuries ago, the honorary consul system was meant as a lifeline for countries unable to afford foreign embassies but has since broadened into a mainstay of international relations, embraced by a majority of the world's governments. [El Pais]

ROME, NOV 15 - Italy's public debt dropped to 2,741 billion euros in September, a fall of 16.2 billion with respect to August, the Bank of Italy said on Tuesday.

Along with other factors, the central bank said the public sector borrowing requirement for the month of 13.8 billion euros was more than compensated for by a drop in the Treasury's liquidity from 48.1 to 31.9 billion.

It said tax revenues were down by 5.8% to 33.5 billion in September. But it added that tax revenues for the first nine months of the year were up by 12.4% with respect to the same period in 2021, taking them up to 364 billion. (ANSA).

RUSSIA - With his brutal invasion of Ukraine, Russian President Vladimir Putin has made himself and his henchmen vulnerable to prosecution for war crimes - and they know it.

If you listen to speeches, press conferences and media appearances by Russian pundits and political figures, you'll hear an undercurrent of

fear about ending up at a "tribunal" - the way former Yugoslav leader Slobodan Milošević did.

As the Kremlin's war effort buckles in the face of Ukraine's fierce counterattacks, and the odds of victory fade and risk of regime change rises, Putin and his pals must surely be considering their exit strategies. [Politico.eu]

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC - Recently, dancehall sensation, Spice, has been all over the media due to speculation of plastic surgery complications. According to reports, Spice was in the Dominican Republic (DR) for the procedure. It's a place many celebrities and ordinary women flock to for such procedures.

The DR is one of the most popular destinations for those seeking cheap cosmetic plastic surgery. Liposuction, Brazilian Butt Lifts (BBL), abdominoplasty (tummy tuck), and breast augmentation are only some of the operations that attract disproportionately Black and Latina clientele to the island. While the promise of a perfect figure at a bargain price is alluring, it is not without incredible risk. Botched operations and lax medical standards have resulted in illness, permanent scarring, and in some cases death.

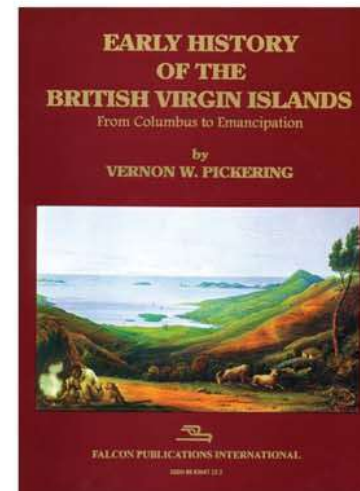
According to an article in the *The Guardian*, in 2018 alone, over 23,000 plastic surgeries were performed on the island, with 80% performed on foreigners. Affordability is the main draw to cosmetic medical tourism. Prices for the equivalent operation in the United States can be up to 80% cheaper in the Dominican Republic. For example, breast augmentation in the States might run you USD\$8,000 but in the DR, you can find surgeons willing to do the same operation for USD\$2,000. [Caribbean News Weekly]

Before diving into the health risks, the prices are the first red flag. These too-good-to-be-true figures are very much that... Frequently visitors are given a quote that solely covers the operation, and then have to pay out of pocket for hidden hospital fees and overnight charges. Furthermore, many surgeons in the DR are incentivized to perform riskier operations. For example, they may take out more fat than is medically advisable in liposuction. They may also promise more exaggerated "coca-cola bottle" or "barbie-doll" figures. [Caribbean National Weekly]

BERMUDA - Spending approval will be sought by the Ministry of Home Affairs for a \$500,000 scheme - announced four months ago - to hand out LED light bulbs to families.

Walter Roban, the minister, provided an update on the Progressive

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Labour Party administration's commitment to support households, which was part of a \$15 million economic relief package unveiled in July.

David Burt said earlier that the bulbs would be bought and distributed by the Government to help reduce power bills.

He told the House of Assembly: "It is widely known that the cost of energy in Bermuda is among the highest in the world and is a contributory factor to the country's high cost of living.

"In response, the LED lights distributed under this proposal will use up to 85 per cent less energy which will help reduce the household energy costs for Bermuda's families."

At a press conference today on Throne Speech initiatives Mr Roban, who is also the Deputy Premier, said: "We are going through the process to get our approval for that funding to be used to purchase the light bulbs now. "We're working with the Ministry of Finance to approve that funding." He confirmed that the cost of the scheme was "half a million dollars". [Royal Gazette]

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Natoya Frett

McW Todman & Co continues to recognize top BVI Law Student at Eugene Dupuch Law School.

MCW Todman and Co has been donating the prize for the best performing BVI student at the Eugene Dupuch Law School for over 10 years, and this year was no exception, However, due to the Covid Pandemic they were unable to do the presentation in person this year but was able to do so directly through the school.

Miss Natoya Frett, expressed her gratitude and appreciation, she added:

"Studying at the Eugene Dupuch Law School was both a challenging and

rewarding experience. I'm forever grateful to the support of family, friends and loved ones, the BVI Financial Services Commission, faculty and staff of the Eugene Dupuch Law School and my fellow classmates, especially my fellow BVI student and study partner, Ms. J'nae Hopkins who provided mutual support as we both faced the challenge of non-face-to-face study during the height of the Covid pandemic. Thank you to McWelling Todman & Co. for their continued support of BVI students' pursuit of a legal education and career."

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BVI SWIM SCHOOL

Congratulations are in order for the 10 BVI Swim School swimmers who gave a stellar and amazing performance during last weekend's VISF Championship Meet!

The Swim Meet took place on November 5 & 6 and was hosted by the St Thomas Swimming Association, Inc. Representative from the BVI Swim School said that the event was a wonderful experience for BVI swimmers, competing against both St Thomas and the St Croix Dolphins!

“Our swimmers went above and beyond this weekend! Many of them swimming new personal best times, staying strong while swimming through heavy rain on Saturday and bringing home 10 medals,” the BVI Swim School said.

It was noted that swimmer Hannah Kazembe placed first in the Girls Under 25m Butterfly with a time of 37.48. She also placed second in the 25m Freestyle with a new PB time of 24.69. Hannah was closely followed by swimmer Naya Bissoondutt, who finished third with a new PB time of 28.84.



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Ladyburd Talks

Dear Readers: Happy Thanksgiving

We know Thanksgiving is a day set aside to give extra thought and expression to the blessings in our lives. Whether this Thanksgiving finds us in a season of plenty or lack, joy or grief, sickness or health, there truly is always something to be thankful for even if we have to dig deep to find it or to be thankful for the always present reality of hope.

Thanksgiving is a compound word consisting, of course, of thanks and giving. A huge part of the day is taking the time to contemplate our blessings, but if we stop there, the day is only half celebrated because the other 50 percent of the holiday is about giving.

Yes, it's vitally important to be aware of our many blessings. But if we spend all our time counting our blessings, then the day is merely a way to pat ourselves on the back for what we have.

The Most Important Aspect is Gratitude — The Part That Makes It Complete

We complete the circle of thanks-giving by contemplating just as much, if not more, on how we can give our time, resources, and talents to serve others. And then after contemplating the how and what we will give, actually going out and doing it.



Happy Thanksgiving!

Ladyburd's Mail Box delseitaliburd@msn.com

Dear Ladyburd: My friends and I go partying on weekends, but of late I am not in the mood to go out. I have not gone out with them for a while, and last week one of my friends called me up and insisting that we go out, anyhow, I did not give a definitive answer. However, they came over by my apartment at about 9pm and demanded that I get dressed. I did not want to be rude to them, but I told them I am not going anywhere, told them I was not feeling well, for them to go away, but they were there insisting, we were all in the living room and I went in my bedroom and closed the door and left them out there in the living room, they left about half an hour after. Now they won't speak to me and are furious with me. What do I do.... **Still want to Be Friends.**

Ladyburd: Dear Still Want To Be Friends: No matter how close you and your friends are, they should appreciate the fact that sometimes you want to be left alone, in your own space by yourself, and it's not every time they come and say let's go, you are going to get dressed and take off with them, if they cannot understand that, then they are not qualified to be your friends, I am not in agreement with you leaving them in the living room by themselves, but they actually forced you to excuse yourself and left them there, because they could not take a hint.

Speak to them and let them know you are getting older, wiser, and more focused, you do not feel like going to Party every weekend. If they cannot accept that then, you will know what to do.

Do not let them make you feel guilty.



Light Bulb Moments

"Gratitude is not only the greatest of virtues, but the parent of all others."

— MARCUS TULLIUS CICERO

"Gratitude opens the door, the power, the wisdom, the creativity of the universe. You open the door through gratitude."

— DEEPAK CHOPRA

Poetry Corner

A Special Day

*Thanksgiving is a special day,
A day we give our thanks.
For all the people in our lives,
And the money in our banks.*

*Thanksgiving is a special day,
A day we share the joy.
We come before a lavish meal,
One we quite enjoy.*

*Thanksgiving is a special day,
Togetherness, all families the same.
Time spent in happiness,
We may even plan a game.*

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Tickle My Funny Bones

By Delseita



My Wife Is Gone Missing

A man walks into a police station and announces,

"My wife's gone missing."

The police officer says, **"OK sir, we'll help you. Since when has your wife been missing?"**

The man replies, **"Since about a month ago."**

The police officer is shocked, **"What? A month?! Why on Earth are you coming only now?!"**

"Well... I've no more clean clothes to put on anymore."

TURKEY?

"What did the turkey say to the turkey hunter on Thanksgiving Day?" "Quack, Quack!"

"Why did the farmer have to separate the chicken and the turkey?" "He sensed fowl play."

"What key has legs and can't open a door?" "A turkey."

"Why did they let the turkey join the band?" "Because he had his own drumsticks."

"What happened to the turkey that got in a fight?" "He got the stuffing knocked out of him!"

"You know you overdid it at Thanksgiving when you thought the serving size for turkey was one."

"If you call a big turkey a gobbler, what do you call a small one?" "A goblet."

"What do you call a running turkey?" "Fast food."

"Why was the Thanksgiving soup so expensive?" "It had 24 carrots."

PUN INTENDED

"Why did the cranberry turn red?" "Because he saw the turkey dressing!"

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BVI SWIM SCHOOL



Hannah also placed 3rd in the 50m Freestyle (55.11) and 25m Breaststroke (43.84).

Eljay Scatliffe placed second in the Boys 11-12 50m Breaststroke, with a PB time of 54.09. He also finished second in the 100m Breaststroke (2:10.92)

Princess Samantha Vergel placed second in the Girls 11-12 50m Backstroke, with a PB time of 1:01.74, and third in the 50m Freestyle, with a time of 52.05. While Jack Morris placed third in the Boys 13-14 100m Breaststroke, with a time of 1:46.60.

New Personal Best times were also achieved by Jaden Maduro, Niklaus Vergel, Arun Bissoondutt & William Vergel.

While lauding the success of the swimmers the BVI Swim School further stated, "Huge congratulations to every single swimmer! We are so proud of you! Many swimmers were able to enter longer distance races and enter in different strokes for the first time, as they have gained more stamina and become legal in new strokes over the past few months!"





Cranberry and Orange, the Delectable Holiday Duo

I jokingly call this time of year "pumpkin flavored everything time." Yet, in the shadow of the squash is the equally endearing cranberry. While cranberry on its own is tart and berry-licious, if you want to make cranberry sing, pair it with orange.

This jam is sweet, tart and unbelievably addictive. Besides giving a major upgrade to your turkey sandwich, you'll love it with cream cheese and crackers as an appetizer. It's also an excellent glaze for turkey, chicken, pork and salmon.

To take this over the top, serve it on fresh-from-the-oven cranberry orange bread. This nontraditional twist on Irish Soda Bread is crusty, buttery and bursting with holiday flavor.

The combo is outrageously delicious. It's also easy, fun and quite inexpensive.

Here's the plan: We start by making the bread, and while it bakes, we make the jam. Then we enjoy the bread, still warm from the oven, slathered in flavorful jam. It's the perfect way to spend an autumn afternoon in the kitchen, but you may want to enlist a friend, because this is sticky business.



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Cranberry orange jam pairs deliciously with cranberry orange soda bread

CRANBERRY ORANGE SODA BREAD

Yield: 1 loaf

Total Time: 1 hour 20 minutes

- 5 cups all-purpose flour, divided
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 1/2 teaspoons kosher salt
- 1/2 cup (1 stick) cold butter
- 1 3/4 cups buttermilk
- 1 large egg
- 1 tablespoon orange zest, freshly grated
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 cup dried cranberries

Preheat oven to 375 F. Line a baking sheet with parchment or non-stick spray. In a large bowl, mix 4 cups flour, sugar, baking soda and salt. Use a cheese grater to grate the cold butter right into the flour mixture and stir to distribute. In a medium bowl, whisk together the buttermilk, egg, orange zest and vanilla. Pour the wet ingredients into the dry ingredients and stir until the dough comes together. Add the dried cranberries and stir. The dough will be very sticky.

Place the dough onto a floured flat surface. Sprinkle about 1/4 cup flour over the dough and begin kneading, adding flour as you go until the dough is no longer sticky and you can knead it easily. Form dough into a round loaf and place on the baking sheet. With a sharp knife, cut an "X" into the top. Bake for 45 - 55 minutes, until golden brown and the bread sounds hollow when you tap it. Let cool for 10 minutes before you devour it.

CRANBERRY ORANGE JAM

Yield: 2 cups

Total Time: 20 minutes

- 3 1/2 cups (12 ounces) fresh or frozen cranberries
- Zest and juice from one orange
- 1/4 cup apple cider vinegar
- 1/2 cup water
- 3/4 cup sugar
- Pinch salt
- 1 1/2 tablespoons low or no sugar pectin

In a large saucepan, combine cranberries, orange zest and juice, vinegar, water, sugar and salt. Bring to a gentle boil for 10 minutes as the cranberry skins burst. Take a potato masher and smooch it all together. Add the pectin and stir well to combine. Bring back to a boil for 3 minutes as the mixture thickens. Remove from heat and let cool. This makes 2 cups of jam and fills two 8-ounce glass jars. Refrigerate and use within three weeks.

If you want to add a little zing, add either 1 tablespoon of minced candied ginger or one jalapeno pepper, seeds removed and finely minced. (Wear gloves!)

In addition to being a lovely foodie gift, this duo would be very happy on your next charcuterie board. Pair with brie cheese, blue cheese, nuts, sliced pears, honey butter, crackers, and chicken pate.

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POLICE NEWS

FIVE DETAINED FOR POSSESSION OF EXPLOSIVES BOAT CAPTAIN CHARGED

Monday, November 14 - Five persons were arrested for illegal entry into the BVI after officers of the Joint Task Force detected a vessel that travelled from the USVI into the BVI without making clearance late yesterday evening.

The five persons, two males and three females, all residents of St. Thomas, USVI, were detained after searches of bags onboard the vessel yielded a firearm magazine with ten rounds of ammunition. The boat was seized, and the occupants taken into Police custody. Apart from the charge of unlawful possession of ammunition, the captain of the vessel, Patrick Faudrois, 29, a native of Haiti, residing in St. Thomas, was fined for various immigration and customs breaches. He will appear in Magistrate's Court at the next available sitting. The other four occupants were subsequently discharged.

POLICE RECORD UPSURGE IN THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLES

Wednesday, November 16 - Royal Virgin Islands Police Force is recording spike in theft from motor vehicles and is asking the public to ensure that vehicles are locked when not in use particularly in parking lots during the day and overnight.

Four separate incidents were reported in the last week where cash, bank cards, cellular phones and tools were among the items taken from unlocked vehicles.

One female was identified after a member of the public saw her opening the door of a vehicle.

Police are discouraging persons from leaving valuables in their vehicles. With no alternative, persons should lock all doors and keep these valuables out of sight.

The public is asked to be on the lookout for individuals loitering and acting suspiciously in or around parking lots. Persons with information can contact Police through its 311-access number.



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CELEBRITY BEAUTY SECRETS – WHAT THEY ARE & HOW TO COPY THEM

You are probably wondering how celebrities like Dakota Johnson, Jennifer Aniston, Jessica Simpson & Hilary Duff look so gorgeous all the time? How does their hair always look so perfect and well-conditioned?

What's the Secret?

Well the secret is in the tools, the products and the stylist.

You can create these looks at home, and one of the best tips is:- the less time you spend on it the better it will look. Now you are probably wondering how, but if you think it takes 8-20mins to straighten your hair, you may start to believe me.

Here is some great tips that you can use at home that will help you to look even better. These tips come not only from personal experiences but also from the celebrity stylists, who help to create a great red carpet look.

So here we go, read on for the ultimate in celebrity hair tips.

How to get that Going to the Oscars Glamour

Whenever you see a picture of a celebrity on the red carpet, you are probably thinking how amazing they look. And what you can see is a hairstyle that has taken months of planning and trips to the stylists in order to look absolutely Hollywood perfect.

Before the big event, the celebrity will consult with their stylist about how they want to look, but also ask advice from their hairdressers on how to look up to date, but also very sexy and feminine.

Those who kept up with the times on the red carpet this year went for very large Hollywood curls, with an extra rich colour and shine. To recreate this look here are some tips on how to curl your hair so you can look just as elegant.

Create Great Curls

If you have just bought yourself some very expensive straighteners, or you are thinking about it, why not consider the idea of curling your hair with straighteners? You can get more controllable curls which are far easier to manage than your natural hair is!

Try:-

1. Make sure that your hair is semi-straight, or if not straighten it.
2. Spray on some heat-protection spray and then divide your hair into sections. The fewer the number of sections the tighter the curls will be.
3. Take the straightener and clamp it over the top of the

section, then whilst pulling down the straighteners turn the straightener round. To produce a tighter curl clamp harder with the straighteners and pull harder when you bring it down.

4. Do not brush your hair after you have done this, but simply tease through with your fingers.

And add some shine spray.

Another way to curl your hair that always creates great celebrity styles hair effect is to use some heated rollers. The type of rollers that you should get should depend on how long and thick your hair is, and how tight the curl that you want to achieve is.

For short thin hair try using a straightener (the above method) or tongs, for thick medium length hair to use some medium

sized heated rollers and for really long hair I would use some very large velcro rollers. Try using these on wet hair and then drying off with a hair dryer (be sure to have plenty of hair grips on hand however).

The most perfect thing about celebrities hair is that it always appears in perfect condition. Just think, can you remember every seeing Jennifer Aniston with her hair looking messed up?!

Many celebrities will have plenty of deep conditioning treatments at their salon

before the big event. These treatments will vary from Damage Restructuring to Deep Conditioning and Detoxifying.

There are plenty of high street products out there that are suitable for home use and you can pick them up on the high street for reasonable prices. I would always recommend that you look on the back and see the list of ingredients, the more chemicals it has in it, the worse it will be for your hair in the long run.

You may wish to consider trying some organic haircare products, which are not always as expensive as you think, and with organic followers like Gwyneth Paltrow and Elle McPherson you will be in great company!

Or indeed for a special event such as a prom or a ball, why not go down to your local hairdresser or beauty salon and have a hair wrap or mask? These may be quite expensive but will definitely get you the look that you desire and its worth treating yourself for a special event.

Always check with the salon about which treatment they think will be right for you, because not all of them will be suitable for your hair type.



THIS WEEK IN CORRUPTION

By Transparency International

This week, we're joining with our chapter in Madagascar to call attention to possible corruption in Malagasy lychee exports to the EU. A crucial source of income for many Malagasy people, the trade has been controlled by a select few with little transparency or accountability for over a decade.

The Groupement des Exportateurs de Litchis (GEL) was founded in the 2000s with the expressed intent to unite and empower Malagasy lychee exporters. Fast forward to 2011, and Madagascar's government has entrusted the private association with the authority to manage all lychee export campaigns. And yes, the GEL has since capitalised on this juicy opportunity.

Seemingly without any open tender process to allow for fair competition, the GEL gave exclusive rights to export lychees to the EU over a 10-year period to just two French companies. According to years of research from our chapter, these two companies paid dues to the GEL. But there's no reason foreign entities should pay for GEL membership because it's supposed to consist exclusively of Malagasy companies. This could be evidence of foreign bribery - a form of corruption that is unfortunately commonplace around the world, and major trading countries like France are doing far too little to stop their companies from engaging in it.

As if this were not enough, in 2017 the GEL set up another opaque entity to act as a commercial intermediary with the French companies - The Litchi Trading Company Ltd (LTC). Our research suggested two Frenchmen who are former employees of the French companies with exclusive export rights were closely involved in its creation. The fact that LTC is registered in secretive Mauritius, which the EU listed as a jurisdiction at high risk of money laundering until just this January, adds to the suspicion.

The tight and murky control of this industry has increased prices for lower quality lychees for people in the EU, while

Malagasy farmers earn less. Retail purchasers in the EU pay an average of 3 euros for a kilo of lychees, and Malagasy farmers now earn a little over 10 cents per kilo. The rest ends up in the pockets of a few influential people.

Unsurprisingly, importers in the EU have turned to other countries like Mauritius, Mozambique and South Africa, so exports from Madagascar have almost halved since 2008. This most hurts farmers who rely on lychees as an essential

source of income - but it also impacts the entire Malagasy economy.

That's why on Thursday, along with Transparency International Madagascar, we sent submissions to judicial authorities in France and Madagascar calling for further investigation and action against potential corruption in the industry. Malagasy farmers deserve better, and both these governments have a

responsibility to bring justice, fairness and transparency to the lychee sector.

On Thursday, together with our chapter in Madagascar, we sent legal submissions to France's Parquet National Financier (the national financial prosecutor's office) and Madagascar's Pôle Anti-Corruption (anti-corruption court) calling for investigations into possible criminal actions by companies and individuals involved in the Malagasy lychee trade.

Most profits of the lucrative lychee trade between Madagascar and the EU are concentrated in the hands of a few powerful and politically connected individuals - at the expense of tens of thousands of small-scale lychee producers and collectors who do not get their fair share.

Ketakandriana Rafitoson, executive director of Transparency International Madagascar



HOLLYWOOD

by Tony Rizzo

HOLLYWOOD — Paul Newman speaks from the beyond. He died on Sept. 26, 2008, at 83, but has his new autobiography to serve as an oral history of his life. Entitled "The Extraordinary Life of an Ordinary Man," the memoir was released Oct. 18 with David Rosenthal, who began working on it with Paul 20 years ago. Rosenthal interspersed Paul's memories with those of friends and family, including his first wife, Jackie Witte (whom he left in 1958 to date, and eventually marry, Joanne Woodward).

Paul wanted to "leave some kind of record that sets things straight. Pokes holes in the mythology that's sprung up around me." In the book, he reveals his parents were cold-hearted people. His mother viewed him as "a decoration for her house." Paul stated, "The damage for me has come when I've realized what people were clamoring for was not me. It was characters invented by writers." Is that insecurity rearing its ugly head?

He was amused he came in first place in a 1950s poll of women asked to choose which well-known personality they had sexual fantasies about. He added, "Joanne gave birth to a sexual creature. She taught me, she encouraged me, she delighted in the experimental." He also confessed, "And then, there's the celebrity aspect; being a movie star means you start out with three strikes against you ... the adulation, the recognition in restaurants — these are completely unnatural."

He continued, "I never enjoyed acting; never enjoyed going out there and doing it. It's probably the reason I drank as much as I did. But, acting gave me a sanctuary where I was able to create emotions without being penalized for having them."

I was assigned by magazines to get pictures of him, and he was rarely, if ever, amenable. I finally gained his respect by writing a nasty poem for him and Joanne about their conduct that they, unbelievably, loved and liked me for. Paul knew Joanne had



Paul Newman in "Exodus" (1960)

Alzheimer's two years before he died. It's been reported she doesn't even remember who Paul Newman was, but at 92, she's still hanging on. This autobiography is a must-read, if only to try to understand what made stars like Paul Newman tick.

Are you ready to return to "The Planet of the Apes"? "Kingdom of the Planet of the Apes" has begun production. All that's known is that it's a continuation of 2017's "War for the Planet of the Apes."

Meryl Streep's last film was Netflix's "Don't Look Up" (2021), which she's following with the AppleTV+ anthology series, "Extrapolations," co-starring Sienna Miller, Kit Harrington, Matthew Rhys and David Schwimmer. It depicts the effects of climate change through various views. We know she's a great actress, but how is she at extrapolating the weather?

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celebrity extra

by Dana Jackson

Q. Do the People's Choice Awards still exist? As a kid, I remember them being on TV. I always wanted to take a survey to vote for my favorites, but never got the chance. — H.L.

A. Yes, the People's Choice Awards are still a thing and are still broadcast on network television. This year, they'll be hosted by Kenan Thompson ("Saturday Night Live") and air on NBC and the E! channel on Dec. 6 at 9 p.m. ET/PT. Voting is done online by Nov. 9 at www.votezca.com.

The awards first aired in 1975, and up until 2005, the winners were determined through a Gallup poll. The first winners included Barbra Streisand as Favorite Film Actress and John Wayne as Favorite Film Actor. Ellen DeGeneres has won the most awards since its inception. This year, Ryan Reynolds ("The Adam Project") will be honored with the "People's Icon Award" for the bulk of his work.

Each category for the stars, shows and movies consist of eight nominees each and include recent films like "Halloween Ends" and "Black Adam."

Q. Did they ever find a permanent host for "Jeopardy!" or will they continue to rotate the two they have now? — A.A.

A. In July 2022, it was officially announced that Ken Jennings and Mayim Bialik would remain hosts of the hit syndicated game show "Jeopardy!" When Alex Trebek passed away from pancreatic cancer in 2020, there was a long rotation of hosts, including NFL quarterback Aaron Rodgers and fan favorite LeVar Burton ("Reading Rainbow"), until it was announced the search had ended because producer Mike Richards had landed the coveted job. He was soon fired after past sexist and racist comments of his resurfaced.

In the meantime, the show called upon past "Jeopardy!" champion Ken Jennings and sitcom star Mayim Bialik ("The Big Bang Theory") to rotate hosting duties. It was such a ratings success that they were offered contracts, and the rest is history.



Depositphotos

Kenan Thompson, Host of the 2022 People's Choice Awards

Q. I read that former Bachelorette Emily had another baby. How many children does she have, and how old is her daughter, Ricki, now? — B.C.

A. Emily Maynard was chosen as the star of ABC's "The Bachelorette" 10 years ago. She was a young mother who had lost her fiancé, NASCAR driver Ricky Hendrick, in a plane crash in 2004. She found love briefly with contestant Jef Holm, who proposed to her at the conclusion of the reality show, but it wasn't meant to be.

After the show, she stayed under the radar, living a normal life in Charlotte, North Carolina, raising daughter Ricki, when she started dating a man she met at church named Tyler Johnson. They eventually married and had five more children, including a new baby boy named Jones, who was born in August of this year.

Ricki, the little girl Maynard was pregnant with when she tragically lost her fiancé, is now 17 years old.

Send me your questions at NewCelebrityExtra@gmail.com, or write me at KFWS, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.

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Out on a Limb



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FUNGI FEST RETURNS TO OPEN THE FESTIVE SEASON AT CYRIL B. ROMNEY TORTOLA PIER PARK

(Cultural Music Festival Returns for Culture & Tourism Month 2022)

Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, November 11, 2022: 25th November will be an evening of spectacular cultural entertainment when a collage of bands from Anguilla, Nevis, and several villages around the British Virgin Islands takes the stage at the Cyril B. Romney Tortola Pier Park. The evening's celebration will begin at 5:30 p.m. with a brief opening ceremony and will be one of the highlights of the celebration of

Culture & Tourism Month 2022.

The evening will headline two cultural bands from the neighbouring region, Took and the Boys from Anguilla and Sugar Hill String Band from Nevis. A mix of local fungi bands will also perform including, Leon and the Hot Shots, The Lashing Dogs, Zion Sounds, The Razor Blades, 4 Strong International, and Cedar School Fungi Band. Other local primary school fungi bands will also appear in the line-up.

"As a lover of music and culture and in my official capacity, I am proud to lead the return of the BVI's premier cultural music showcase, the Fungi Fest," said Honourable Alvera Maduro-Caines, Junior Minister for Tourism and Culture.

One of the evening's highlights will be the lighting of a 30 ft Christmas tree at 7:00 p.m. presented by the Rotary Club of Central Road Town.



The Razor Blades (a fungi band)

DOMINICA STAGES A SUCCESSFUL 22ND EDITION OF THE WORLD CREOLE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Roseau, Dominica, November 11, 2022: After a two-year hiatus, Dominica has staged a successful World Creole Music Festival as part of the island's 44th Independence celebrations. The festival hosted 23 artists, 11 of which were "local" or Dominican artists in the genres of Cadence-Lypso, Bouyon, Compas and Dancehall. Soca, Zouk, Reggae, and Afrobeat were performed by other regional and international performers.

According to a preliminary count and provisional data, there were 7,421 visitors who arrived over the normal WCMF period of Friday, October 21 to Saturday, October 29. This is a 5% increase in visitor arrivals over 2019. Visitor arrivals by air were 6% ahead of 2019 while visitor arrivals by sea showed a 4% improvement over 2019.

Attendance for the festival in 2022 surpassed the attendance figures from 2019 as well. Preliminary reports from scanned tickets into the park total the attendance at 33,173, approximately 14% greater than 2019. Patrons had the option of general attendance, seating in the stands or patronizing the Coastal Village VIP.

A combination of increased ticket sales and an increase in ticket prices resulted in gate receipts which are 31% higher than 2019 gate receipts. Over 200 media and influencers were accredited to cover the World Creole Music Festival.

As such, Dominica has received coverage regionally from Trinidad and Tobago in the south to St. Kitts in the north. Patrons generally enjoyed the performances with each having a favorite based on their preferences.

The Minister of Tourism, Honourable Denise Charles stated that this year's festival has been coined as the best Creole Festival by many patrons. The aim was to take the creole festival to a new level in terms of the variety of bar and food options, standard of entertainment, expanded grounds area, and the entire experience. Additional grounds area space was provided in anticipation of the expected crowds, a new elevated experience was introduced in the Rainforest Lounge; new genres of music formed part of the exciting line up; ten premium bars were added to the grounds in addition to picnic benches; and several young local artistes were given an opportunity on the international stage.

The World Creole Music Festival is proving to be one of Dominica's most attractive experiences as it highlights talent on an international stage as well as creates an atmosphere for unity and enjoyment in the Nature Island.

The dates were also launched for World Creole Music Festival 2023 from October 27-29, Mas Domnik, Dominica's Carnival from January 14 - February 22; and for Dominica's Jazz'n Creole on April 30, 2023.



Discover Dominica Authority (DDA) extends special gratitude to this year's World Creole Music Festival sponsors which include presenting sponsor, the Government of Dominica; headline sponsor, Digicel; gold sponsor, Tropical Shipping, silver sponsor, Coulibri Ridge; bronze sponsors, RCI Guadeloupe, RCI Martinique, and premier banking partner - National Bank of Dominica; corporate sponsors, Tranquility Beach, Belfast Estate-Kubuli, Josephine Gabriel & Co. Ltd., DBS Radio, The Wave, Spektak TV/TRACE, L'Express des Iles, and PDV Caribe

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For more information on Dominica's World Creole Music Festival, contact the Dominica Festivals Committee at (767) 448-4833/255-8221, visit the official website www.DominicaFestivals.com, or follow Dominica Fests on Instagram and Facebook.

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Elections Put New Voting Laws to the Test

WASHINGTON —

America has one Senate contest from the 2022 midterm elections that remains undecided, requiring a runoff election December 6 in the southern U.S. state of Georgia where turnout was heavy last week despite new balloting restrictions that some observers had feared would depress turnout of poorer and minority voters.

"It was just a very successful election day," Georgia Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger told a press conference the day after the November 8 midterm contests in his state. Raffensperger, a Republican, said the state's new voting laws did not impact turnout and that major snags on election day were avoided because a record number of people took advantage of pre-election day voting, such as absentee-by-mail and early in-person voting.

"We saw processing times to vote that led to two-minute average wait times across the state," said the secretary of state. Georgia election officials said more votes were cast in the state in 2022 than in any prior midterm election.

Runoff in Georgia

In just weeks, voter turnout in Georgia will again be put to the test as Democratic incumbent Sen. Raphael Warnock faces his Republican challenger, Herschel Walker. With more than 3.8 million

total votes cast November 8, neither candidate received more than 50% of the vote in the three-way contest with a third-party candidate, triggering next month's runoff election between the top two vote-getters.

The race between the two African American candidates has been the focus of national attention. Before the midterms, it was thought to be one of a handful of races that would decide which party controls the Senate for the next two years. Now, it will determine whether Democrats can boost their bare majority.

Getting out the vote one more time

The nation's largest civil rights organization has launched efforts to once again mobilize Georgia's African American and other minority voters who proved crucial in President Joe Biden's 2020 presidential victory in the state as well as the 2021 runoff elections of two Democratic senators. It was a historic outcome in Georgia, which has been a reliably Republican state for decades.

"We still have work to do," said Gerald Griggs, president of the NAACP Georgia state chapter. "Our folks made sure record numbers of African Americans got out and voted. But we have a runoff election and it is time for us to get back out there and mobilize."

Suley Usman, from Smyrna, Georgia, cast his ballot 10 days before Election Day with no problems.

"I'm absolutely motivated to vote again in the runoff election," he told VOA. "I want a say in who is elected."

Amid a contentious political climate in which many prominent Republicans falsely alleged voter fraud gave President Biden his 2020 victory, Georgia was one of more than 20 Republican-led states that overhauled their election laws in 2021, in what officials promoted as an attempt to boost confidence in the integrity of balloting. The measures included strengthening identification requirements for mail-in voting, reducing the number of days for early voting and restricting access to ballot drop boxes.

Critics called the new laws unfair and thinly veiled attempts to discourage voting by the poor and minorities.

"These types of tactics aim to suppress votes," said Andrea Hailey, CEO of Vote.org, in a statement quoted by The Associated Press on Monday. In response, the organization and other voter advocacy groups launched programs to educate voters and overcome any negative impact the new voting laws may have had on turnout.

"Georgians have shown they are ready and willing



FILE - Georgia Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger gives a news conference in Atlanta, Georgia, Nov. 6, 2020.

to navigate tough voting environments in order to make their voices heard," Hailey said.

In the past, Georgia's runoff contests were held nine weeks after Election Day, but this year the runoff campaign season has been shortened to four weeks, a time period that precludes new voter registrations.

Some voters have taken note.

"I absolutely believe there are actions being taken on the whole voting apparatus and process that don't need to be taken," said Usman. "I think being an educated voter is key."

Turnout and voting

Across the country, tens of millions of American voters let their voices be heard last week — in record numbers for midterms in many states — despite predictions of possible political violence, voter intimidation and disenfranchisement.

Overall, relatively few voting problems were reported.

"We in the voting rights community in Texas were fearing the worst," said Anthony Gutierrez, director of Common Cause Texas. "For the most part, it didn't happen."

In Arizona, isolated issues with voting machines sparked baseless claims about fraud. State officials quickly denied the accusations and declared confidence in the integrity of the election.

In other parts of the country, many voters said they experienced few, if any, difficulties casting their ballots.

"I'm glad there were no complications," said Bill Murphy, a voter in Prince George's County, Maryland, who expected long lines at his polling location but completed the process in 10 minutes.

"It shows the people who run the elections here were prepared this time," he added.

SPORTS



CYCLING

Leroy pedals to Pan Am Masters Cycling Time Trial victory

By Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway

Phillippe Leroy made his Pan Am Masters Cycling Championships a memorable one last Friday, as he pedaled to a 48 seconds victory in the 20K (12 miles) time trial in Baranquilla, Colombia. Leroy had a winning time of 49 minutes 04.27 seconds over his Colombian challenger, Gerardo Moncada.

"The time trial went very well. I cycled as hard as I could, paced myself very well, my bike computer didn't work so I was judging by the feeling in my legs making sure I didn't go too hard," Leroy, 62 said. "I was very pleased, completely exhausted when I finished. I didn't think I'd won, because there was such a strong competition and I didn't have a time trial bike, nor did I bring my disc wheel. And then later on, they announced that I'd won and I just couldn't believe it, it was incredible. Everyone was celebrating and took pictures with me. Even Colombians were happy for me—lots of people from Brazil and Mexico as well—it was an incredible experience."

Racing in two groups in the road race that followed on Saturday, Leroy finished 18th in 1

hour, 53 minutes and 15 seconds. He said there were about 35 Columbians in his group and 10 other cyclists from different countries. After his time trial exploits, the Colombians worked as a team to ensure that he wouldn't win. "So it was very difficult. When one Colombian attacked, the others were telling the rest to slow down, so most of the time it was me who had to counter attack and catch the man that's left, but that was tiring my legs and it was very hard for me," Leroy explained. "And when I attacked, before I got to pass the people at the front, they said 'vamos, vamos, go, go, go.' They were telling their friends to get going because I was going."

Leroy said he couldn't break away and at the end of the first lap, their champion was trying to drop him, because they had a plan. "But I managed to stay with him so he was a bit disappointed," Leroy said. "And then on the third lap, I didn't attack because I knew I couldn't sprint, but with the whole Colombian team chasing me, I couldn't break away. In the end, I just did as best as I could towards the

end of the sprint but in the front group. I did well and had the same time as the first finisher."

He was 12th in the criterion in 43:20 and said he wasn't looking forward to it since he had never done one before and besides, it was raining, which made it very dangerous accelerating after taking corners. "I did very well. I surprised myself, was having fun and positioned myself to do better than the day before. I took the corners very well," he pointed out. "At one point, I was in the breakaway of four people. The Colombians were not working hard as a team this time, they were competing against each other, so it was much more fun."

The race he noted, came down to a sprint finish which isn't his strong suit. "I did the best I could," he said. "I really had fun. In the whole three days, it has been incredible. The people are so nice. Everybody was celebrating—just incredible."

Since he's not a sprinter, Leroy said that he didn't take too many risks in the road race and criterion.



Phillippe Leroy at the top of the Pan Am Masters Cycling Time Trial Podium in Colombia

"I wanted to finish in the front group because it looks better for the BVI than getting dropped or pulled out of the race," he stated. "Sometimes, trying very hard to win, you end up being dropped. But in my case, the only way to win a competitive flat race is to be lucky to break away before the finish."

SWIMMING

From beach to starting off docks, BVI swimmers grab 10 medals

By Dean "The Sportsman" Greenaway

From swimming on Long Bay, Beef Island and in Cane Garden Bay where they also dive off the dock to practice their starts and swimming in Nanny Cay Pool, 11 BVI swimmers earned 10 medals in the USVI National Championships in St. Thomas, including eight year old Hannah Kazembe's gold in the 25m Free. They also expressed their desires to see a pool in the territory.

The team also had four 2nd place finishes, five 3rd place finishes as well as recording eight personal bests, from their season opening meet on Oct 1. Naya Bissoondutt (Girls 8 & Under) 25m Freestyle, 28.84 seconds, an improvement of 1.42 seconds. Hannah Kazembe, Girls 8 & Under 25m Freestyle, 24.69, improved by 3.04 seconds. Jaden Maduro, Boys 9-10 50m Freestyle, 46.48, improved by 5.54 seconds. Jack Morris, Boys 13-15, 50m Breaststroke, 49.03, improved by 3.89 seconds. Eljay Scatliffe, Boys 11-12 50m Freestyle, 42.19, improved by 4.92 seconds & 50m Breaststroke, 54.09, improved by 3.42 seconds. Niklaus Vergel, Boys 13-15, 50m Freestyle, 35.40 improved by 2.05 seconds & 50m Breaststroke, 51.88, improved by 8.45 seconds.

As guests on last Thursday's Sports Beat Magazine, they spoke about what having a pool in the territory would mean.

"I would like to see us having our own pool, hosting competitions and winning," Scatliffe said. "It will help the development of the sport because we'll always be accustomed to the pool, so that when we go elsewhere, there'll be nothing different."

Kazembe, 8, who started as a 2-year old, said having a pool would allow them to practice more and learn to dive off properly, while Morris said he'd like to see the BVI become one of the top swimming countries.

"It will push people to be better. We just have the ocean. We can't practice turns," he said. "If we have a pool, we can swim faster, time our swims and how long you can be underwater for."

Vergel said he'd like to see BVI getting on the map in swimming and like Scatliffe said, they won't have to make adjustments when they compete in another pool.

Coach Rebecca Nockolds said it would be a "massive help" to the swimmers and the community—not just for competitive swimming but swimming in general—with people learning to swim then getting into competitive swimming, as 25m pool on Tortola and Virgin Gorda can get

the community swimming, which leads to build a program.

"One of the biggest challenges at the moment is practicing the touches, their turns and their starts," Nockolds said. "One of the St. Croix coaches said she could see our swimmers train at the beach because she could see a strength not normally seen in a pool. They're strong, but technically the turns and the dives are the things we need to improve on, so that's where a pool can really help."

While they have access to the Nanny Cay Pool, another challenge they face is starting. She said it was a big transition for them coming from Dolphin dives, standing on the beach and diving into the waves.

"One thing I think really helped their confidence in being able to dive off a block, is when we practice in Cane Garden Bay, we often go on the dock which is quite high off the water and they'll dive off the dock there, which I think really helps," Nockolds said. "When they got on to the block, they didn't see it as being really high or too scary because they've been diving off the docks all of their lives and they're used to going off a high platform and that way, the dock really helps."



BVI Swimmers at the USVI National Championships in St. Thomas

She added: "But in terms of the actual blocks and having the grip behind your foot and adjusting it to each of their heights and levels, that was a learning experience for all of them and they're still trying to figure out where to place the block and which number is good for their height. In Nanny Cay when they're diving in, they'll often put a foot behind their teammate's back foot, so that they don't slip, when they dive into the pool."

Nockolds said the community can assist the program by helping them to get to St. Thomas to train ahead of their February competition.

SPORTS



BVI's Devin Jones, also a Football national team player, eludes a Jamaica player in the America's Rugby North 7s in Mexico City



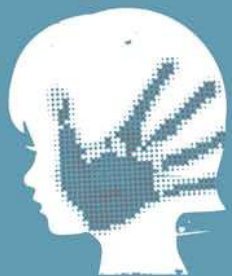
BVI batsman Neil Hayes, puts his bat on the ball as Guyana's Wicketkeeper Gopaul Boodram awaits the ball



Lead runners taking off in the 3rd Mourant College Classic Series Elite Relay Exchange



Defended by an Islanders player, a Panthers player has ball control



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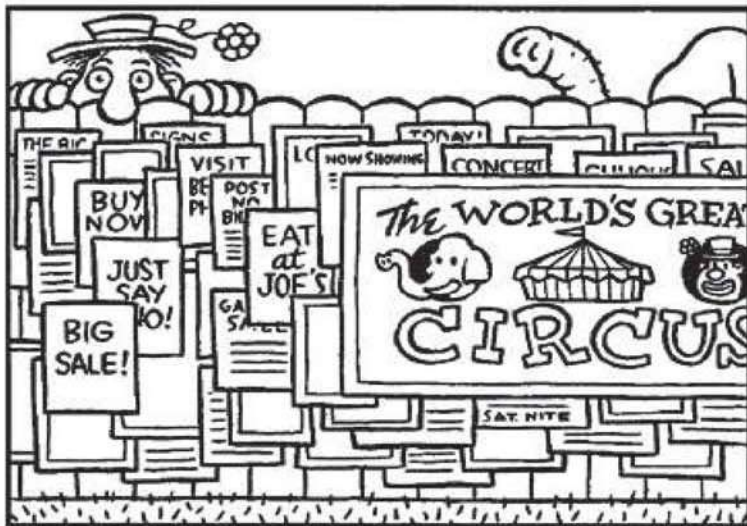
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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Junior Whirl
by Charles Barry Townsend

1. A _ A

2. A _ _ A

3. A _ _ _ A

4. A _ _ _ _ A

5. A _ _ _ _ _ A

6. A _ _ _ _ _ _ A

THE A-TO-A STEPWORD!

HERE'S your chance to become an "A" student. To the left you'll find six words that begin and end with the letter A. The following hints should help you fill in the missing letters:

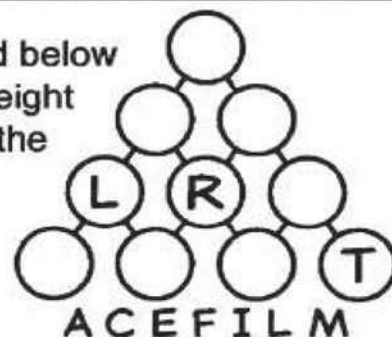
1. Expression of surprise.
2. Operatic solo.
3. Hawaiian farewell.
4. A fleet of warships.
5. A radio needs one.
6. Greek food of the gods.

THE ABOVE CIRCUS POSTER is the latest advertisement posted here. How many other posters do you see on the fence? We found 35.

DON'T LOSE YOUR MARBLES! The challenge here is to arrange four marbles so that they are of equal distance from one another.

The secret: Place three marbles in a tight triangle. Next, place the fourth marble on top in the center. All of the marbles are now equidistant from each other.

CHAIN REACTION! Take the seven letters printed below the diagram and place them in the circles so that eight four-letter words can be read top to bottom along the connecting lines. All the words will begin with the letter in the top circle.



Illustrated by David Coulson

Five or more correct will earn you an "A." You have two minutes to finish the test.

1. Aha. 2. Aria. 3. Aloha.
4. Armada. 5. Antenna.
6. Ambrosia.

The words are, top to bottom, left to right: Fill, film, firm, fire, farm, fare, face, fact.



Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) This is a good time to speak out on a difficult situation. You're known for your honesty, so people will listen and, perhaps, begin to make long-needed changes.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) The Bovine's sharp business sense alerts you to question the positions of those trying to push the Bull into a deal. Demand to see proof of what they profess.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Your quick thinking helps you get out of a troubling situation that was suddenly thrust upon you. Later on, you can expect to learn more about why it happened.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You might feel you've dotted all your i's and crossed all your t's regarding that upcoming deal. But there might be some facts you've ignored. Check again.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Time for the Lion to be more physically active. It will help shake off any lingering Leonine lethargy and restore your energy levels so that you'll be prepared for what lies ahead.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Helping those in need at this time is laudable. But don't ignore your own needs, especially where it concerns your health. A medical checkup is a wise move.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Good news: Your outspoken views about a controversial on-the-job situation could find unexpectedly strong support from a most unlikely workplace faction.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You might have to draw on your reservoir of spiritual strength to help someone special through a difficult time. Your loving attitude makes all the difference.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your proven leadership qualities make you the perfect person to take on an important workplace task. Don't shy away from the challenge.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Although some compromise might need to be reached regarding your stand on an important issue, you'll still be able to get the most crucial points across.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A chance to make a career change carries both positive and uncertain possibilities. Best advice: Check it out thoroughly, and don't be rushed into a decision.

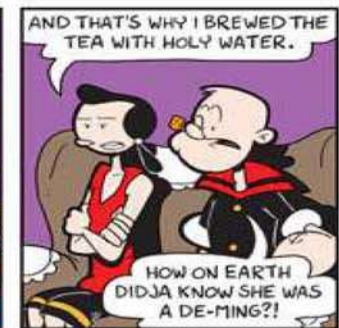
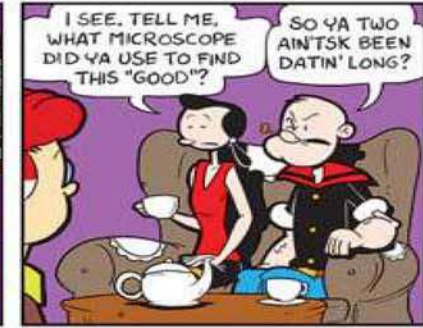
PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You're still a staunch supporter of one side of an important issue. But be prepared to deal with new information that could cause you to question your current stand.

BORN THIS WEEK: You're perceptive and quick to act when you sense that someone needs help. You are an always-dependable friend.

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THIMBLE THEATRE PRESENTS
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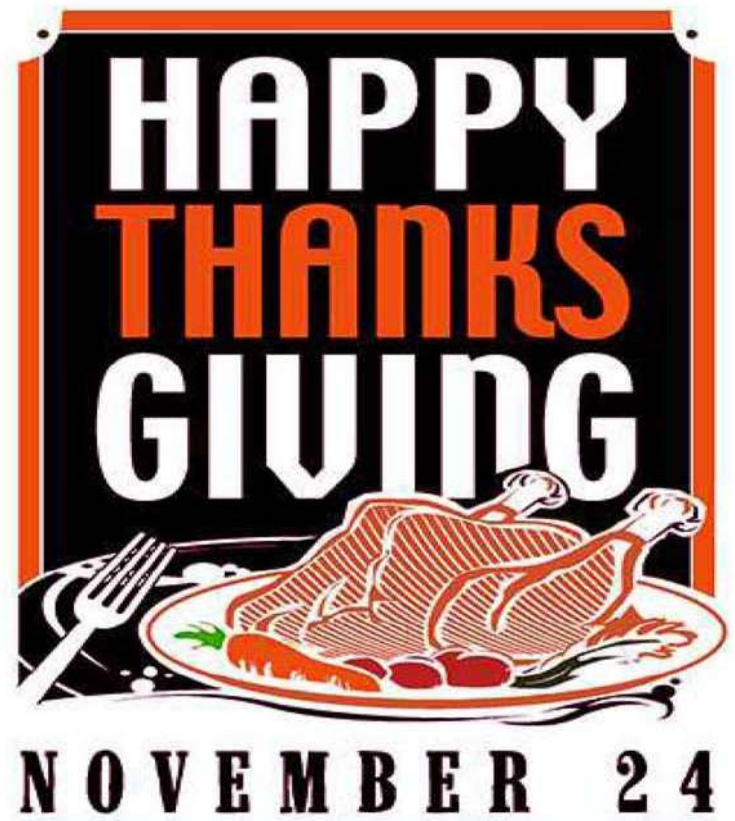




Planting mums

The difference between “garden” mums and “florist” mums is their hardiness. “Florist” mums are sold from grocery stores and flower shops, useful only as indoor potted plants for seasonal decor and won’t survive a winter if you plant them outdoors. “Garden” versions are sold from nurseries as tough perennials meant for outdoor landscapes year round. - Brenda Weaver

Source: www.hgtv.com



top ten

Signs of ‘Adulthood’*

1. Have a budget
2. Buy a house
3. File own taxes
4. Track credit score
5. Invest in 401(k)
6. Do own laundry
7. Regular doctor visits
8. Make grocery list
9. Cook own dinners
10. Watch nightly news

*ages 18-51 polled

Source: Farm Rich



GRIN and BEAR IT Wagner

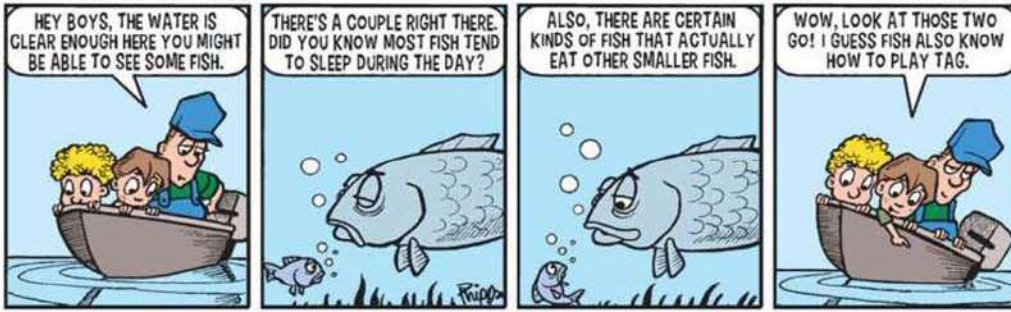


“Did I sound like that?”

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Amber Waves

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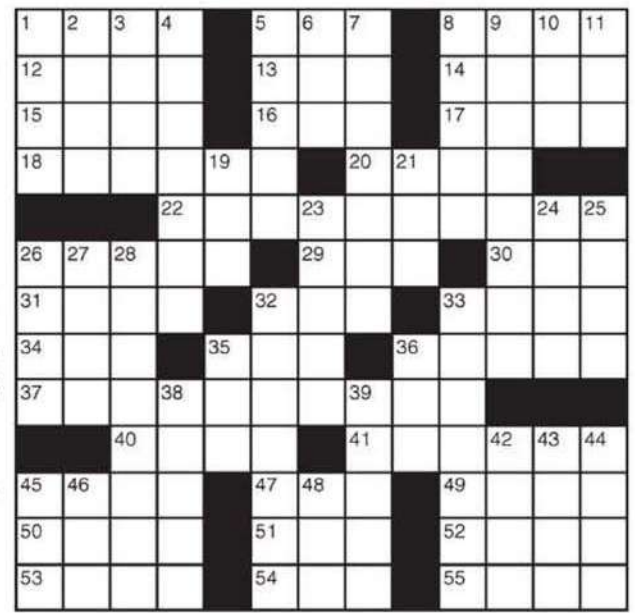
by Jeff Pickering



King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Stitched
- 5 Bol. neighbor
- 8 Urban haze
- 12 Rue the run
- 13 Six, in Sicily
- 14 "I did it!"
- 15 Corp. VIP
- 16 Not on
- 17 Goals
- 18 Summer goal
- 20 See to
- 22 Coffee variety
- 26 Macadamized
- 29 Galley item
- 30 Old Oldsmobile
- 31 "Sad to say ..."
- 32 Director Lee
- 33 Tarzan's transport
- 34 Dress
- 35 Author Umberto
- 36 Wedding rings
- 37 Rich coffee lightener
- 40 Coffin support
- 41 Serviette
- 45 No neatnik
- 47 Dos Passos trilogy
- 49 Early Peruvian
- 50 Actor Hackman
- 51 Computer key
- 52 Aussie hoppers



- 9 Variety of orange
- 10 Peculiar
- 11 Helium, for one
- 19 Succor
- 21 Mess up
- 23 Esteem
- 24 Transmit
- 25 Low digits
- 26 Walkway
- 27 Lotion additive
- 28 Wanderer
- 32 Amasses
- 33 "Twilight"
- character
- 35 Needle hole
- 36 Sheep call
- 38 Feelings, informally
- 39 Put into law
- 42 Shoelace snarl
- 43 PC picture acronym
- 45 Pvt.'s superior
- 46 Author Harper
- 48 Away from NNW

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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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. Fence is shorter. 2. Ears are different. 3. Dog is moved. 4. Helmet stripe is different. 5. Mouth is different. 6. Armbands are missing.

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Weekly SUDOKU

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Solution time: 25 mins.

King Crossword

Answers

Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. MOVIES: Who voices the character of Timon in "The Lion King"?
2. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of parrots called?
3. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What are the main colors of Italy's flag?
4. SCIENCE: What instrument is used to measure wind speed and direction?
5. LITERATURE: Who wrote the young readers' novel "Looking for Alaska"?
6. U.S. STATES: In which state can you find Glacier National Park?
7. MEASUREMENTS: What is the study of measurements called?
8. TELEVISION: The characters in "Laverne & Shirley" live and work in which city?
9. GEOGRAPHY: Which two countries occupy the Iberian Peninsula?
10. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president signed into law a bill that made "The Star-Spangled Banner" the national anthem?

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Trivia Test Answers
 1. Nathan Lane; 2. A pandemonium; 3. Green, white and red; 4. Anemometer; 5. John Green; 6. Montana; 7. Metrology; 8. Milwaukee, Wisconsin; 9. Portugal and Spain; 10. Herbert Hoover.

AMERICA'S DEMOCRACY NOT TRUMPED IN MID-TERM ELECTIONS

By Sir Ronald Sanders

(The writer is Antigua and Barbuda's Ambassador to the United States of America and the Organization of American States. He is also a Senior Fellow at the Institute of Commonwealth Studies, University of London and Massey College in the University of Toronto)

In my commentary last week entitled, *US Mid-term elections: a defining moment for the World*, I pointed out that no less a person than Joseph R Biden Jr, the President of the United



States of America, proclaimed that democracy is at stake in his country.

President Biden was not alone in this judgement. Many others, including former President Barack Obama, former and current members of the U.S. Congress, media commentators and academics voiced the same opinion. They all cited many occurrences and public statements by leading far right figures in the Republican party, including candidates for election to the House of Representatives and the Senate at the mid-term elections for which voting culminated on November 8.

Amongst the matters for deep concern were voter intimidation, death threats and physical assaults on high profile politicians, most particularly on the husband of Nancy Pelosi, the then Speaker of the House. On election day, there were many instances of voters abandoning their right to vote because they were terrified at the menacing presence of armed persons gathered around the polling stations.

All these factors played a part in the mid-term elections, whose final result is still unknown as this commentary is being written two days after all the votes were cast. Control of the House of Representatives and the Senate is not yet decided. With a run-off to be held in Georgia for its Senate seat, it will be December before control is settled. As for the House of Representatives, it appears fairly certain that the Republicans will win the 218 seats required for a slender majority.

The leaders of the Democratic Party, including President Biden, are taking

comfort that an enormous swing to the Republican Party did not happen, despite the toxic atmosphere in which the mid-term elections were held. The Republicans will have only a slender majority in the House and may yet not gain control of the Senate that could revert to the 50-50 split that obtained over the last 2 years. Indeed, even with all the results not yet certain, President Biden is being praised for success in containing an increase of

the Republican's numbers in the Congress. Biden has fared far better in his first midterms than the two most recent Democratic presidents, Barack Obama and Bill Clinton, did in theirs. In this case, it would be fanciful to write his political obituary.

The Biden Administration will face opposition in the House if the members of the Republican Party vote in concert to block legislation. Similarly, unless the Senate passes to Democratic control, or remains equally divided between the parties as it is now, giving Vice President Kamala Harris a casting vote, it can also frustrate President Biden's legislative programme. But none of this is a foregone conclusion.

In these mid-term elections, the expected large victory by the Republicans did not occur for many reasons. One of them is clearly an objection, by a large number of voters, to the tactics of intimidation by the far-right that was encouraged by Donald Trump. This includes the January 6, 2021 mob attack on a joint session of Congress that sought to prevent the formalization of Biden's victory in the 2020 Presidential elections. The failure of the Republicans to win a wide sweep of victories is also a rejection by many voters of the persistent claims of Mr. Trump and his principal advocates that the 2020 election was fraudulent - a claim he repeated about the November 8 mid-term elections where some of his sponsored candidates lost, including, famously, the TV personality, Dr Oz.

At the end of the day, the body politic of the United States placed



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great value on the democratic principles that they believe are important to them.

Two other factors would have influenced votes against the Republicans. One is the strong objection by women against the official Republican stance against abortions - not only the considerable feminist movement but also the sentiment of a large number of women who insist that they should have the right to choose whether or not to have an abortion. These groups of women turned toward the Democratic Party.

The second issue is the mindless support of the Republican Party for the gun lobby, which insists on retaining permissive policies on buying and carrying guns. The recent spate of attacks on schools and murdering of children influenced votes for the candidates of the Democratic Party who advocate stricter gun control.

Exit polls, conducted by the Pew Foundation, suggest that the rapid increase in consumer prices was the top issue for only 32% of voters. Many voters would have voted against the government for this reason, but others would have calculated that the high prices of oil and foodstuffs, the increase in interest rates and the cost of borrowing and mortgages is a world-wide phenomenon, resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic and Russia's war against Ukraine.

The Republicans failed to make this issue a dominant reason for voting against the Democratic administration of Joe Biden.

Preliminary figures indicate that around 115 million votes were cast in the midterm elections. The number will rise when all the votes are counted, but even if it is marginally more than the preliminary estimate, it is a high voter turnout even in the face of intimidation and threats. In the end, despite the continuing efforts to disrupt the rule of law and democratic practices and institutions, the voters in the U.S. chose balance and rights, but it is doubtful that this will stop the autocratic rhetoric that continues to be the bully pulpit of those who want a different America.

Mr. Trump is expected to announce his run again for the Presidency if he has not done so by the time this commentary is published. But the mid-term results are already not what he expected. He failed to gain the wide support he wanted to underpin his declaration to "save America". The opposite happened.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Baywest Investments (TCI) Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company Number 2090830
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 the 8th day of November, 2022.
Dated this 10th day of November, 2022.
Sgd. Brian Jackson

Brian Jackson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/1]

RQI LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company Number 1969335
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 10th day of November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Brian Jackson of Mandar House, 3rd Floor, P.O. Box 2196, Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**
Dated this 10th day of November, 2022.
Sgd. Brian Jackson

Brian Jackson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/2]

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

LJ Keystone Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 10th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation. The Liquidator is:-
Tse Ngan Pang,
Terence of Room 2302,
23/F, OfficePlus@WanChai, 303
Hennessy
Road, Wan
Chai,
Hong Kong.
[76/3]

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

ASTELSA LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1615456
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 November 10th, 2022. The Liquidator is **Georgia Constantinou with address at 118, Agias Fylaxeos, 3087, Limassol, Cyprus.**
Dated: November 10th, 2022
(Sgd.) Georgia Constantinou
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/4]

BALDAR MANAGEMENT INC.

(the "Company")
Company No. 283529
(In Voluntary Liquidation)
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **BALDAR MANAGEMENT INC.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 9th November, 2022.
Dated this 11th day of November, 2022.
Sgd. Mrs. LINETH PONCE
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/5]

AR Exploration Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company Number 1667224
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 9th day of November, 2022. The Liquidator is **John N Greenwood of Fin-Law, Arawak Chambers, PO Box 2196, 3rd Floor, Mandar House, Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**
Dated this 11th day of November, 2022
Sgd. John N Greenwood
John N Greenwood
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/6]

Aurum Exploration Resources Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company Number 1667246
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 9th day of November, 2022. The Liquidator is **John N Greenwood of Fin-Law, Arawak Chambers, PO Box 2196, 3rd Floor, Mandar House, Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**
Dated this 11th day of November, 2022
Sgd. John N Greenwood

John N Greenwood
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/7]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act; 2004

BLUEBIO HOLDINGS LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2049051
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 9 November 2022.
Dated: 9 November 2022.
(Sgd.) Jian CUI
Liquidator
[76/8]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act; 2004

HKHW Holdings Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2071101
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 10 November 2022.
Dated: 10 November 2022.
(Sgd.) Xianlong WU
Liquidator
[76/9]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act; 2004

Nebula HN Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2070037
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 10 November 2022.
Dated: 10 November 2022
(Sgd.) Genghua LIU
Liquidator
[76/10]

SEGERTEC S.A.

Company No. 311549
(In Voluntary Liquidation)
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 208 (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **SEGERTEC S.A.** has been dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 4th November, 2022.
Dated this 11th day of November 2022.
Sgd. Querube Castillo de Nuñez
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/11]

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

Nazary Commercial Inc.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1662925
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 November 11th, 2022. The Liquidator is **Chrysovalanto Christofidou with an address at Antheon 13, 7103 Aradippou, Larnaca, Cyprus.**
Dated: November 11th, 2022
(Sgd.) Chrysovalanto Christofidou
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/12]

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

Lean Six Sigma 3SD+ Ltd

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 7th day of November, 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.
The Liquidators is: -
Koh Poh Beng
Of Blk 203 Jurong East 21
#05-125, Singapore
600203
[76/13]

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

Ocean Management Ventures Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 8th day of November, 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.
The Liquidators is: -
Wayne Francis
Of Nerine Chambers,
Road Town, Tortola,
British Virgin Islands
[76/14]

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

Foremore Investments Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1987695
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 November 11th, 2022. The Liquidator is **Elisana Marie-Antoinette Labonte with an address at La Gogue, Mahe, Seychelles.**
Dated: November 14th, 2022
(Sgd.) Elisana Marie-Antoinette Labonte
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/15]

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

Atkot Services Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1768728
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (a) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 10th November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Jay Krishankant Agrawal of 2, Ripal Appt. NR. Cosmo Villa Row House, Premchand Nagar Rd., Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India.**
Dated this 14th November, 2022.
Sgd. Jay Krishankant Agrawal
Liquidator
[76/16]

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

Amwaj Finance Inc.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1662977
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (a) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 10th November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Arjun Rajeshkumar Patel of Room No. 9, Main Street KCB Building Jinja, NRI 000001, Uganda.**
Dated this 14th November, 2022.
Sgd. Arjun Rajeshkumar Patel
Liquidator
[76/17]

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

Vachhara Services Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1768742
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (a) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 10th November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Jay Krishankant Agrawal of 2, Ripal Appt. NR. Cosmo Villa Row House, Premchand Nagar Rd., Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India.**
Dated this 14th November, 2022.
Sgd. Jay Krishankant Agrawal
Liquidator
[76/18]

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

Winner Hydraulics Ltd

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
(BC No. 567170)
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204(1), subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on November 9, 2022. The Liquidator is **Audrey Robertson of Commerce House, Wickhams Cay 1, P.O. Box 3140, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**
Dated: November 9, 2022
Audrey Robertson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/19]

Knopler Offshore Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company Number 1848622
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 11th day of November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Brian Jackson of Mandar House, 3rd Floor, P.O. Box 2196, Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**
Dated this 14th day of November, 2022
Sgd. Brian Jackson
Brian Jackson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/20]

PUBLIC NOTICES

Pnamaganset Offshore Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company Number 1787592

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 11th day of November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Brian Jackson of Mandar House, 3rd Floor, P.O. Box 2196, Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**

Dated this 14th day of November, 2022
Sgd. Brian Jackson

Brian Jackson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/21]

Plainfield Marketing Ltd.

Company No. 1657222
(in voluntary liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the above named company, is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 11 November, 2022 and **Karl van de Wall Arneman of Brakkeput Abou #11 Willemstad, Curacao** is the voluntary liquidator.

(SGD.) **Karl van de Wall Arneman**

Karl van de Wall Arneman
Voluntary Liquidator
Dated: 11 November, 2022
[76/22]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT FRUITFUL WIN INCORPORATED

("the Company")

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 14th November, 2022; under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

LEUNG Kwok Kai
Flat B, 6/F., Fu Chak Yuen
18 Chi Fu Rd, Pok Fu Lam
Hong Kong
[76/23]

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

VELERA INC.

(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 November 14, 2022. The Liquidator is **JUAN MANUEL ABELARDO DE LA VEGA Y ORTEGA** with address at **12 SUR 303 3, LA ARCADIA TEHUACAN, PUEBLA, MEXICO.**

Dated: November 14, 2022.

(Sgd.) **JUAN MANUEL ABELARDO DE LA VEGA Y ORTEGA**

JUAN MANUEL ABELARDO DE LA VEGA Y ORTEGA
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/24]

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

Mannikin Investments Ltd.

(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 November 14, 2022. The Liquidator is **Mr. Christian Chiera** with address at **Seestrasse 37, 8002 Zürich, Switzerland.**

Dated: November 14, 2022.

(Sgd.) **Christian Chiera**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/25]

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

Elmont Holdings Limited

(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 November 9, 2022. The Liquidator is **Tim Archard** with address at **Kingsway House, Havilland Street, St Peter Port, Guernsey, GY1 2QE, United Kingdom.**

Dated: November 9, 2022.

(Sgd.) **Tim Archard**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/26]

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

WORLDWIDE ALLIANCE ENTERPRISES LTD.

BC#473002

(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 3 November 2022. The Liquidator is **Stacy Gladys Eli of 28 Cork Street, Roseau, Commonwealth of Dominica.**

Dated 3 November 2022

Stacy Gladys Eli
(Liquidator)
[76/27]

Helena Global Properties Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company Number 1796186

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 November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Brian Jackson of Mandar House, 3rd Floor, P.O. Box 2196, Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.**

Dated this 15th day of November, 2022

Sgd. Brian Jackson

Brian Jackson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/28]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT GRAND FOUNDER INCORPORATED

("the Company")

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th November, 2022; under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

LEUNG Kwok Kai
Flat B, 6/F., Fu Chak Yuen
18 Chi Fu Rd, Pok Fu Lam
Hong Kong
[76/29]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

Future Consumption Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

WANG Xuming
of Room 401,
Unit 1, Kuang Chan Ju Building,
Gao Ming Xiao Qu,
He Ping Street,
A Cheng District,
Harbin,
China
[76/30]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.

TALISSA LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 2015260

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 November 14th 2022

Dated: November 15th, 2022

(Sgd.) **Mr. Michael Avraam**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/31]

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

WM Latin American Holdings (BVI) I Corp.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company Number #1513024

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204(1), subsection (b) of the BVI Business Companies Act that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 7 October 2022. The Liquidator is **Audrey Robertson of Conyers, Dill & Pearman, Commerce House, Wickhams Cay I, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, VG1110.**

Dated: 7 October 2022

Sgd. Audrey Robertson
Commerce House, Wickhams Cay 1
Road Town, Tortola, VG1110
British Virgin Islands
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/32]

STRUCK OFF

Liquidator's Final Notice CARMEL INVEST & TRADE INC.

("the Company")

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 1632407

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section (208) (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 14th November 2022.

Dated 15th November 2022

Pinar AKKAS
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/33]

STRUCK OFF

Liquidator's Final Notice VARAZZE LTD.

("the Company")

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 1974942

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section (208) (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 11th November 2022.

Dated 15th November 2022

Carmine Bailey
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/34]

STRUCK OFF

Liquidator's Final Notice MONTARETTO LTD.

("the Company")

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 1974950

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section (208) (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 14th November 2022.

Dated 15th November 2022

Carmine Bailey
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/35]

STRUCK OFF

Liquidator's Final Notice LADONIA ENTERPRISES LTD.

("the Company")

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 653641

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section (208) (3) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company was dissolved and struck off the Register of Companies with effect from 14th November 2022.

Dated 15th November 2022

Carmine Bailey
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/36]

C S H Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company Number 584592

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 the 25th day of October, 2022.

Dated this 26th day of October, 2022

Sgd. Brian Jackson

Brian Jackson
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/37]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act; 2004

ABLE INFINITY HOLDINGS LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Company No. 2047470

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 9 November 2022.

Dated: 9 November 2022.

(Sgd.) **Wei CHENG**
Liquidator
[76/38]

CRINDERMANE LIMITED

Company No. 1412030

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204(1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **CRINDERMANE LIMITED** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez of Paseo del Mar and Pacific Avenues, Costa del Este, Panama City, Republic of Panama** has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 16th day of November, 2022

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/39]

LOXLEY INTERTRADING LTD.

Company No. 1791634

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **LOXLEY INTERTRADING LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez of Paseo del Mar and Pacific Avenues, Costa del Este, Panama City, Republic of Panama** has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 16th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/40]

PUBLIC NOTICES

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. COSTA MAR LTD.

(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 16th November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Mr. Herman Boone, with address at Cidade de Tondela No. 25, 2690-475 Santa Iria de Azoia, Portugal.** Dated: 16th November, 2022.
(Sgd.) **Herman Boone**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/41]

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

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1560356
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 November 16th, 2022. 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: November 16th, 2022
(Sgd.) **Delio Jose De Leon Mela**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/42]

GOLDMINE INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LTD.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 426039
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204(1)-(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **GOLDMINE INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on the 16th day of November, 2022. The Liquidator is **Mrs. Claire Thomson c/o Citco B.V.I. Limited, Flemming House, Wickhams Cay, P.O. Box 662, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands VG1110.** Dated 16th day of November 2022.
(Sgd.) **Claire Thomson**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/43]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act. 2004 WYNDHAM CAPITAL MARKET LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1991996
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 15th November, 2022. Dated: 15th day of November 2022
(Sgd.) **Philippa V O'Sullivan**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/44]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. 2004 SUCCESSFUL LANE LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1480170
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 15th day of November, 2022. The liquidator is **Wang Yi of Room B1201, Zhong Bei Building, Haikou, Hainan, China.** Dated: 15th day of November 2022
(Sgd.) **Wang Yi**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/45]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act. 2004 Integrity Bright Global Investment Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1847950
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 15th November, 2022. Dated: 15th day of November 2022
(Sgd.) **LI Hui**
Voluntary Liquidator
[76/46]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. Telos Consulting Group Inc

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1998112
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 25 October 2022. The Liquidator is **KE YAO of 1008-6119 COONEY RD. RICHMOND, BC V6Y 4B7, CANADA.** Dated 1 November 2022
(Sgd.) **KE YAO**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/47]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 203 of the BVI Business Companies Act. SEPTOGRAM INVESTMENT PRIVATE LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2056694
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 203, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 11 November 2022. The Liquidator is **Harry J. Thompson of Harbour House, P.O. Box 4428, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **Harry J. Thompson**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/48]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 203 of the BVI Business Companies Act. Raabhya Corporation

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2063592
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 203, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15 November 2022. The Liquidator is **Harry J. Thompson of Harbour House, P.O. Box 4428, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **Harry J. Thompson**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/49]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. ONC SOUTH CHINA LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2000453
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 10 November 2022. The Liquidator is **YU, Ye of 17th Floor East, Xincheng Building, No. 1025 Shennan Middle Road, Futian District, Shenzhen City, Guangdong Province, China.** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **YU, Ye**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/50]

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

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2083561
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 10 November 2022. The Liquidator is **LI, Han of No. 10, Gaoxin South 4th Road, Nanshan District, Shenzhen, Guangdong, China.** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **LI, Han**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/51]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 203 of the BVI Business Companies Act. TYJ Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1402000
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 203, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 10 November 2022. The Liquidator is **John Grimshaw of 2 Wesley House, Le Quai Bisson, Le Boulevard, St Brelade, Jersey JE3 8JT** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **John Grimshaw**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/52]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 203 of the BVI Business Companies Act. Rebelism Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2076853
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 203, subsection 3 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that the Company is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15 November 2022. The Liquidator is **ADAM JUHASZ of 2277 Szhalom Hunyadi Janos Ut. 128, Hungary.** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **ADAM JUHASZ**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/53]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act. NEWPORT HOUSE HOLDINGS LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 1062642
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 15 November 2022. The Liquidator is **Frank Arthur MAYES of 2 Lowlands Cottage, La Rue des Vignes, St. Peter, Jersey JE37BE, UK Channel Islands** Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **Frank Arthur MAYES**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/54]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act. CK Enterprises, Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2039475
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 10 November 2022. Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **Harry J. Thompson**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/55]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act. ETIMES INVESTMENT LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2085468
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 25 October 2022. Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **YANG BIN**
Voluntary Liquidator(s) [76/56]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act. AMTO GLOBAL HOLDING LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2023907
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 25 October 2022. Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **DENG JIAMING**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/57]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act. HUDSON GLOBAL HOLDING LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2023913
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 25 October 2022. Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **DENG JIAMING**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/58]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act. Kangmei International Holding Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2045860
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 25 October 2022. Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **HUA, Lei**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/59]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Companies Act. Ruito Media Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)
Company No. 2079549
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 25 October 2022. Dated 16 November 2022
(Sgd.) **ZHOU, Chan**
Voluntary Liquidator(s)
[76/60]

PUBLIC NOTICES

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
Makara International Investment Limited
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 1561415
 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 4 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) Christopher S. Mckenzie
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/61]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
CryptoStar Limited
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2082843
 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 20 October 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) WANG, JIALI
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/62]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
Xrquant Limited
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2080307
 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 20 October 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) FENG, XICHENG
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/63]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act
HDE GROUP LIMITED
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2026406
 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 8 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) PENG, JUAN
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/64]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
Luck Fairy International Limited
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2071054
 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 8 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) LIU, YANSHAN
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/65]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
MetaFin Limited
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2081376
 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 8 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) CAI, Hongli
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/66]

Brent Future Fortune Limited
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2069174
 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 8 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) LI TAO
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/67]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
Alex Investment Group Corp
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2079389
 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 8 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) LIANG, SHUAILING
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/68]

Final Notice of Dissolution under the BVI Business Company Act.
Ecotherm Group Co., Ltd.
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2079573
 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 8 November 2022.
 Dated 16 November 2022
 (Sgd.) LEI, XIAO
 Voluntary Liquidator(s)
 [76/69]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004
YRTECH GROUP LIMITED
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 1780949
 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 17th day of November, 2022. The liquidator is WU, CHIEN-YI OF No. 141-1, Huashan St., Fengshan Dist., Kaoshing City 830, Taiwan.
 Dated: 17th day of November 2022
 (Sgd.) LWU, Chien-YI
 Voluntary Liquidator
 [76/70]

Notice of Appointment of a Liquidator under Section 204 of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004
INRESCO LIMITED
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 2031582
 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 17th day of November, 2022. The liquidator is LAU HING PO of FLAT D, 29/F-30/F, CARLTON COURT, 80 MA TAU WAI ROAD, TO KWA WAN, KOWLOON, HK SAR
 Dated: 17th day of November 2022
 (Sgd.) LAU HING PO
 Voluntary Liquidator
 [76/71]

Final Notice of Dissolution under The BVI Business Companies Act, 2004
Bookends Investments Corporation
 (In Voluntary Liquidation)
 Company No. 1878038
 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 15th day of November, 2022
 Dated: 15th day of November, 2022
 (Sgd.) Philippa V. O'Sullivan
 Voluntary Liquidator
 [76/72]

"NEW"
FORM "A"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
 And
 The Officer in Charge of Police
I, CHAUNCI CLINE dba MUMU HOLDINGS LIMITED/THE ORIGINAL NY PIZZA V.I. now residing at **FISH BAY PETRIUS PLAZA in the Territory of the Virgin Islands** do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **RESTAURANT Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **FISH BAY PETRIUS PLAZA, TORTOLA** and registered Parcel Number **12/8 of Block 3137B** of the **ROAD TOWN, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**
 Dated this 7th day of November, 2022.
 Signed C. Cline
 [76]

"NEW"
FORM "A"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
 And
 The Officer in Charge of Police
I, ERNEST JACOB dba BLESSINGS TO ALL now residing at **JOSIAH BAY, in the Territory of the Virgin Islands** do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **RESTAURANT & BAR Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **JOSIAH BAY, TORTOLA** and registered Parcel Number **188 of Block 3240A** of the **LONG LOOK, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**
 Dated this 2nd. day of November, 2022.
 Signed E. Jacob
 [76]

"NEW"
FORM "A"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
 And
 The Officer in Charge of Police
I, ELI NIBBS dba YAMPEY PLACE now residing at **SEA COW'S BAY, in the Territory of the Virgin Islands** do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **RESTAURANT Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **SEA COW'S BAY TORTOLA** and registered Parcel Number **266 of Block 2736B** of the **SEACOW'S BAY, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**
 Dated this 7th day of November, 2022.
 Signed Eli Nibbs
 [76]

"NEW"
FORM "A"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
 And
 The Officer in Charge of Police
I, ELTON LEONARD dba UP'S CINEPLEX FOOD & FUN now residing at **LOWER ESTATE in the Territory of the Virgin Islands** do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **NIGHT CLUB Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **PICKERING STREET, ROAD TOWN, TORTOLA** and registered Parcel Number **46/3 of Block 2838F** of the **ROAD TOWN, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**
 Dated this 2nd. day of November, 2022.
 Signed E. Leonard
 [76]

PUBLIC NOTICES

**THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
(PROBATE)
THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
BVIHPB 2022/0257**

**IN THE ESTATE OF KRISTAL-K JONELLE BLACK late of
Johnson's Ghut, Tortola,
Territory of the Virgin Islands, deceased**

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by JAVORN MICHAEL FAHIE of Johnson's Ghut, Tortola, Territory of the Virgin Islands and JOHN FITZGERALD BLACK of Lambert Estate, Tortola, Territory of the Virgin Islands (hereinafter referred to as "the Applicants" or "the Intended Administrators"), for a Grant of Letters of Administration for the use and benefit of the minor KING DAVID ZION FAHIE until he shall attain the age of eighteen years, to the estate of the above-named deceased ("the Deceased") who died on the 2nd day of October, 2022, at Sea Between Frenchman's Cay and Little Thatch, Territory of the Virgin Islands, domiciled in the Territory of the Virgin Islands. The Applicants are respectively the father and maternal grandfather of the person entitled to the grant, namely, the minor son of the Deceased, KING DAVID ZION FAHIE.

ANY PERSON having an objection to the Grant of Letters of Administration to the Applicants shall file an objection with the Registrar of the High Court in the Territory of the Virgin Islands within fourteen (14) days of the date of publication of this Notice.

Dated this 7th day of November, 2022.

Filed by: VIGILATE LAW, Legal Practitioners for the Applicants/Intended Administrators, whose address for service is at: C/o the offices of VIGILATE LAW., 185 Main Street, Lagoon Plaza, Ground Floor, Road Town, Tortola, Virgin Islands (British), Tel: (284) 340-8484. [76]

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

BVIHPB2022/0251

**OSCAR LUIS RIVERA TORRES LATE OF SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, DECEASED
PUBLIC NOTICE**

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by ANABEL ARENAS ACOSTA of SAN JUAN PUERTO RICO, the lawful wife of the deceased aforesaid, who died on 5th day of July 2017 in San Juan Puerto Rico leaving a will dated the 8th March 2013 for the Grant of Probate to the Estate of the said OSCAR LUIS RIVERA TORRES, deceased.

Any Person having objections to a grant of representation to the Intended Applicants 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 1st day of November 2022

PHOENIX LAW
10 Russell Hill Road, Road Town Tortola,
British Virgin Islands
Tel: 1-284-495-7459
Legal Practitioners of the Intended Executrix [75]

FORM "A"

"NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, JOHN KLEIN dba WBV MANAGEMENT LTD/ALICE RESTAURANT now residing at **WHITE BAY, JOST VAN DYKE** in the Territory of the Virgin Islands do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **CLUB Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **WHITE BAY, JOST VAN DYKE** and registered Parcel Number **59 of Block 1440A** of the **JOST VAN DYKE, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 10th. day of November, 2022.

Signed J.Klein

[77]

FORM "A"

"NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, BERTHELINA HENRY dba MAD DOG now residing at **BATHS HILL, VIRGIN GORDA** in the Territory of the Virgin Islands do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **BAR/RESTAURANT Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **BATHS HILL, VIRGIN GORDA** and registered Parcel Number **18 of Block 4738B** of the **VIRGIN GORDA, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 14th day of November, 2022.

Signed B. Henry

[77]

FORM "A"

"NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, OLIVER ASLOP dba THE ADMIRAL PUB now residing at **FRENCHMAN'S CAY, TORTOLA** in the Territory of the Virgin Islands do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **BAR/RESTAURANT Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **FRENCHMAN'S CAY** and registered Parcel Number **8 of Block 2033B** of the **WEST END, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 14th. day of November, 2022.

Signed O. Aslop

[77]

FORM "A"

"NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, SONETTE SAINT-LOT dba DERNIELA'S BAR now residing at **PLEASANT VALLEY, TORTOLA** in the Territory of the Virgin Islands do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **BAR Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **BAUGHER'S BAY, TORTOLA** and registered Parcel Number **532 of Block 3038B** of the **ROAD TOWN, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 12th. day of November, 2022.

Signed S, Saint-Lot

[77]

FORM "A"

"NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
We, ROBERT SWAIN JR. and CRAIG WINTER dba ON THE ROX AT THE PIER PARK now residing at **HORSE PATH and PALESTINA ESTATE** in the Territory of the Virgin Islands do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **BAR Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **CYRIL B ROMNEY PIER PARK, ROAD TOWN** and registered Parcel Number **120 of Block 2937B** of the **ROAD TOWN, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 9th. day of November, 2022.

Signed R. Swain & C. Winter

FORM "A"

"NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, LINDELL A. DEFREITAS dba THE PLAYROOM now residing at **SEACOW'S BAY** in the Territory of the Virgin Islands do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **NIGHT CLUB Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **ELMO CONNOR BUILDING, SEACOW'S BAY** and registered Parcel Number **35 of Block 3736** of the **SEACOW'S, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 15th. day of November, 2022.

Signed L. Defreitas

[77]

PUBLIC NOTICES

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

**IN THE ESTATE OF MANLIO JOSE MATERIA,
DECEASED**

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by MARINA AIDA MATERIA of Juan José Paso 1467, Mar del Plata, Código Postal 7600, Argentina, the intended Administrator of the Estate of the deceased who died intestate on the 18th day of October 2020, domiciled in Argentina, has applied to the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court in the Probate Division for a Grant of Letters of Administration in the Estate of the said MANLIO JOSE MATERIA, deceased.

ANY PERSONS having any objections to the Grant of Letters of Administration to the said MARINA AIDA MATERIA 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.

Dated the 16th day of November, 2022

HARNEY WESTWOOD & RIEGELS LP
Solicitors for the Intended Administrator
[77]

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

In the Estate of CHEN, TIEA-CHIEN also known as TIEA-CHIEN CHEN also known as CHEN, TIEN-CHIEN also known as CHEN TIEA CHIEN late of No. 1, Wufu 3rd Road, Qianjin District, Kaohsiung City 801, Taiwan, deceased

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by LIN, CHEN-CHIN also known as CHEN-CHIN LIN of No. 1, Wufu 3rd Road, Qianjin District, Kaohsiung City 801, Taiwan, for a Grant of Letters of Administration of the above named deceased who died intestate on the 21st day of November 2018.

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 4th day of November 2022.

Filed by Walkers Attorneys-at Law whose address for service is

171 Main Street
Road Town, Tortola
British Virgin Islands
VG 1110
[76]

FORM "A" "NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, IAN ADOLPHUS THOMAS dba MOONSTONE NIGHT CLUB now residing at **EAST END, Tortola VG1120, in the Territory of the Virgin Islands** do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **CLUB Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **FLEMMING STREET TORTOLA VG1110** and registered Parcel Number **149 of Block 2837E** of the **ROAD TOWN, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 7th day of November, 2022.

Signed I. Thomas
[76]

FORM "A" "NEW"

To: The Licensing Magistrate
And

The Officer in Charge of Police
I, ELTON LEONARD dba BOBBY'S SUPERMARKET now residing at **LOWER ESTATE in the Territory of the Virgin Islands** do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Magistrate at the Special Sitting of the Magistrate's Court to be held at Road Town, Tortola, on the **1st day December, 2022** for a **RETAIL Licence** to sell intoxicating liquor at my premises situated at **ROAD TOWN, TORTOLA** and registered Parcel Number **202 of Block 2837E** of the **ROAD TOWN, Registration Section in the Land Registry of the Virgin Island**

Dated this 2nd. day of November, 2022.

Signed E. Leonard
[76]

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

(PROBATE)

Probate: BVIHPB2022/0244

**IN THE ESTATE OF PERLA ADINA FREEMAN of
Tortola British Virgin Islands and St. Thomas, United
States Virgin Islands, deceased**

TAKE NOTICE that **DEXTER DENNIS FREEMAN** of St. Thomas, United States Virgin Islands, **SHARON MARLENE FREEMAN** of Georgia, United States of America, and **SHEILA FREEMAN CALLWOOD** of Georgia, United States of America, children of the deceased aforesaid, who died on the 12th day of February, 2019, intend to apply to the High Court of Justice in the Probate Division for a Grant of **LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION** to the Estate of the said **PERLA ADINA FREEMAN** deceased.

ANY PERSON or persons who has or have any objections to the Grant of **LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION** to the said **DEXTER DENNIS FREEMAN** of St. Thomas, United States Virgin Islands, **SHARON MARLENE FREEMAN** of Georgia, United States of America, and **SHEILA FREEMAN CALLWOOD** of Georgia, United States of America, shall within fourteen (14) days from the date of the publication of this Notice lodge with the Registry of the High Court of Justice in the British Virgin Islands the proper documents setting out the proper objections.

Dated this 11th day of November, 2022

Harbour Chambers BVI

Legal Practitioners for the Applicant

[76]

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

BVIHPB2022/0268

In the estate of **Gay Cull Addicott** also known as **Gay Cull**, late of 2023 **Lyndway Road, Lyndhurst, Ohio, United States of America**, deceased

TAKE NOTICE that **STEPHEN P. BAN** of 937 Club Circle, Glenview, Illinois 60025, United States of America, the Executor named in the Will (the Will) of **GAY CULL ADDICOTT** also known as **GAY CULL**, deceased who died on the 5th day of August, 2022 domiciled in Ohio, United States of America (the Deceased), has applied to the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court in the Probate Division for Probate of the Will bearing the date 18 October 2019.

ANY PERSON having an objection to the Grant of Probate to the said **STEPHEN P. BAN**, 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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PUBLIC NOTICES

Tenzing Financial Ltd.

Company No. 1722597
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that Tenzing Financial Ltd. is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November 2022 and **Liridona Berisha of Petergasse 20, 8320 Klotten, Switzerland** been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November 2022

Sgd. Liridona Berisha

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/73]

Hillary Investment Ltd.

Company No. 1723926
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that Hillary Investment Ltd. is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November 2022 and **Liridona Berisha of Petergasse 20, 8320 Klotten, Switzerland** been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November 2022

Sgd. Liridona Berisha

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/74]

Dani Associated Ltd.

Company No. 1735205
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that Dani Associated Ltd. is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November 2022 and **Liridona Berisha of Petergasse 20, 8320 Klotten, Switzerland** been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November 2022

Sgd. Liridona Berisha

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/75]

Kiko Business Holdings Ltd.

Company No. 1735228
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that Kiko Business Holdings Ltd. is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November 2022 and **Liridona Berisha of Petergasse 20, 8320 Klotten, Switzerland** been appointed as the Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November 2022

Sgd. Liridona Berisha

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/76]

HORS FINANCE INVESTMENTS INC.

Company No. 1866196
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **HORS FINANCE INVESTMENTS INC.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **CARLOS JAVIER LARREA CRESPO of Luis Milderos S2-208 y Av. de los Establos, Edificio Urban Tower, Oficina 404, Santa Lucia, Cumbaya** has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: CARLOS JAVIER LARREA CRESPO

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/77]

FLER ALLIANCE S.A.

Company No. 1846245
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **FLER ALLIANCE S.A.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **RAMON ORTIZ DE TARANCO of Ruta 8, km.17.500, Of 120 A-002 91600 Zonamerica, Montevideo, Uruguay** has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: RAMON ORTIZ DE TARANCO

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/78]

HOOLA INVEST & TRADE INC.

Company No. 1514625
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **HOOLA INVEST & TRADE INC.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez 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 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/79]

HANDERSTALL LTD.

Company No. 1045148
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **HANDERSTALL LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez 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 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/80]

REDSEA FINANCIAL HOLDING S.A.

Company No. 1485647
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **REDSEA FINANCIAL HOLDING S.A.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez 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 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/81]

GARDENVIEW PARTICIPATION CORP.

Company No. 1764015
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **GARDENVIEW PARTICIPATION CORP.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez 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 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/82]

JAIMUM TRADER INC.

Company No. 1810039
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **JAIMUM TRADER INC.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **Querube Castillo de Nunez 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 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: Querube Castillo de Nunez

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/83]

GONROU LTD.

Company No. 1944699
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 204 (1)(b) of the BVI Business Companies Act, 2004 that **GONROU LTD.** is in voluntary liquidation. The voluntary liquidation commenced on 15th November, 2022 and **GUSTAVO ANGEL VEIGA DOBRICH of SIMON BOLIVAR 1538, MONTEVIDEO, URGUGUAY** has been appointed as Sole Liquidator.

Dated this 17th day of November, 2022.

Sgd: GUSTAVO ANGEL VEIGA DOBRICH

Voluntary Liquidator

[76/84]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

GOODNESS HAPPENS LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

WANG Xing

of No. 10, Unit 05, Qianxiancheng Village, Beifeng Township, Daming County, Handan City, Hebei Province, China.

[76/85]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

Engravingtime Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

LIU Quansiang

of 5-4-202, Qingxueyuan, Shijicheng, Haidian District, Beijing, China

[76/86]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

Rainny Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

LIU Quansiang

of 5-4-202, Qingxueyuan, Shijicheng, Haidian District, Beijing, China.

[76/87]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

Remarkable Stone Culture Holdings Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

GU Yizhe

of Room 1806, No. 1699, Gubei Road, Minhang District, Shanghai, China.

[75/88]

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

GOODNESS HAPPENS LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 17th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

WANG Xing

of No. 10, Unit 05, Qianxiancheng Village, Beifeng Township, Daming County, Handan City, Hebei Province, China.

[76/89]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

Pentavite Enterprises (BVI) Limited

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

YANG Zhiqin

of Room 102, No. 3, Lane 801, Nenjiang Road, Yangpu District, Shanghai, China.

[76/90]

NOTICE

BVI BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT (NO. 16 OF 2004)

ANPHA INVESTMENT ADVISORS, INC.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of November 2022, under the terms of Part XII of the BVI Business Companies Act the Company has commenced the process of liquidation.

The Liquidator is:-

PENG Zhi

of Group 1, Liangchahe Village, Liulang Township, Yunxi Country, Hubei Province, China.

[76/91]



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PUBLIC NOTICES

Employment Opportunity
The New Horizon Ferry Services Ltd is inviting applications from suitably qualified persons to fill the following positions:

1. Cashier - Must have excellent Communication & Interpersonal Skills, Customer Oriented and Computer Literacy Skills

2. Crew - Must have an STCW certificate

All applicants must possess a minimum of five years' experience working in a similar capacity. Successful applicants should be able to work on a flexible schedule including early mornings, evenings, weekends, and holidays and must reside on Jost Van Dyke.

Please submit resume to newhorizonferry@yahoo.com
New Horizon Ferry Service Ltd
Great Harbour, Jost Van Dyke, British Virgin Islands
Tel: (284) 542 5959
[s77]

CURA UNIVERSAL LTD BASED IN SOUTH VALLEY, - VIRGIN GORDA, IS SEEKING AN - ELIGIBLE CANDIDATE WITH EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS TO JOIN THEIR PROFESSIONAL TEAM FOR THE POSITION OF HOUSE ATTENDANT. INTERESTED CANDIDATES SHOULD SEND-RESUMES TO- admin@curabvi.com OR CALL (284) 495-5868 FOR - MORE INFORMATION.
[s77]

“Scrub Island Resort, Spa and Marina is seeking qualified persons to fill the position of Night Auditor (Part Time):

The Night Auditor role is to audit the books for the hotel at night and to also manage the front desk. The front desk responsibility is given to them because rarely do customers check in or check out during nighttime, and the hotel does not need to hire clerks especially for this. The night auditors do not require high education; however, they need to be good in accounting for which they do accounting courses.

The Night Auditor receives good salary because of the additional front desk duties that are given to them. Work hours are not hectic for them, but they must be responsible about the books they have to maintain.

Academic Requirement to be a Night Auditor

High school diploma is the minimum requirement

Knowledge about ledger maintenance

Courses in the latest accounting practices

Please email your resume to rguishard@mainsailhotels.com and jmsalomon@mainsailhotels.com.

For further questions, you can contact us at 284-394-3440 or 284-346-7075”
[s77]

Caribbean Hidden Secret Ltd. is seeking the following employees as Heavy Equipment Operator and a Heavy Equipment Mechanic. Please call 340-2962 for more information.
[s77]

Scrub Island Resort, Spa and Marina is seeking qualified persons to fill the position of Engineer:

Required Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- High school diploma or GED equivalent.
 - Prior job-related experience preferred.
 - Ability to communicate effectively with the public and other employees.
 - Read, write, and speak English fluently.
 - Enjoy working with people and possess a friendly and outgoing personality.
 - Excellent communication and listening skills, as well as basic computer knowledge.
- Physical Requirement:
- Ability to speak and hear.
 - Close and distance vision
 - Identify and distinguish colors.
 - Frequent walking with some standing at times.
 - Will walk for long periods of time, possibly extended distances.

Duties:

- Designing and implementing cost-effective equipment modifications to help improve safety and reliability.
- Developing a project specification with colleagues, often including those from other engineering disciplines.
- Developing, testing, and evaluating theoretical designs.

- Discussing and solving complex problems with manufacturing departments, sub-contractors, suppliers, and customers.
- Making sure a product can be made reliably and will perform consistently in specified operating environments.
- Any other duties assigned.

Please email your resume to rguishard@mainsailhotels.com and jmsalomon@mainsailhotels.com. For further questions, you can contact us at 284-394-3440 or 284-346-7075”
[77]

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

In the Estate of Igor Vashurkin
late of 57/19 Moo 4 Chergtalay Sub-District, Thalang District, Phuket Province, 83110 Thailand, deceased

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by Evgeniia Vashurkina of 57/19 Moo 4 Chergtalay Sub-District, Thalang District, Phuket Province, 83110 Thailand (student) for a Grant of the Probate of the Will of the above named deceased who died on the day of 5th November 2021 without revoking a will bearing the date of day of 2 April 2020 wherein the applicant is named sole executor.

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

Dated this day of 2022.

Filed by BGA Law (BVI) Limited
whose address for service is Sea Meadow House,
P. O. Box 116, Road Town, T ortola, British Virgin Islands.
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B & S - PAINTING SERVICES is seeking one (1) fulltime Painter/Handyman in Virgin Gorda with 5 years or more experience.
Call (284) 344-2415 / (284) 342-3696
[s77]

JAY - ARCHIBALD CONSTRUCTION requires one full time SECRETARY, with a minimum of two years experience. Belongers preferred. Call 543-5073
[s77]

Craig Lake Construction is in need of the following positions: mason, carpenter, Steelman, painter, electrician, roofer, finisher, driver and project manager with 2 years experience. Please call 541-6722
[s76]

NANCY'S - BEAUTY SALON A needs 1 FULL TIME HAIRDRESSER. Telephone 544-8187
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STAFF WANTED

"BK C-Store Fashion & Auto Stop hiring Cashier / Store Attendant, FULL-TIME or PART-TIME. Complex Inventory and Computer Systems are essential to Store Operations and Applicants MUST understand importance of mixing BRAIN (follow system requirements and Management Instructions) with BRAWN (not lazy), and must be able to work in Store and Storeroom conditions. Formal inquiries only - Email: bkstore@yahoo.com or WhatsApp:-284-442-1842. Absolutely no Telephone nor Walk-in enquiries. Belongers Preferred." [s76]

Open Seas Shipping
Full-Time Position available:
Operation Assistant
Attend to Clients, Run Sales, Computer Savvy Bi-lingual required
BVI Islander Preferred
E m a i l : - i n f o @
openseasshipping.net or
Telephone: 284-441-3019
[s76]

French Deli needs
Position: Assistant Store Manager
Responsibilities-include Customer service, Cashing, Knowledge of European Products, and day to day Management of the Store. Must be able to work Sundays and Holidays
BVI Islander/Belonger Preferred
Call for Interview 494-5068
[s76]

A Value Ltd is seeking a full time Store Assistant/Deli assistant. Successful applicants must be able to bake from scratch and work with par-baked goods. Person must be able to work with commercial equipment and display knowledge of a healthy approach to food preparations and cleanliness. Call 541-7012 to set an appointment for an interview.
[s76]is:-

Peter Island Resort, located in the picturesque British Virgin Islands, is seeking a highly experienced, dynamic and service-minded General Manager to lead its successful opening and operation of the resort. We're looking for a passionate motivator with a strong desire to excel, mentor and drive results. This position requires at least 5 years of well-rounded leadership experience in 4-5-star resorts and reports directly to the Regional General Manager of AHC Hospitality. Living on Peter Island is required for this position with newly constructed housing being provided. Come join and lead our hard working and resilient team as we continue to restore, rebuild and operate an unparalleled piece of paradise. BVI Islanders or Belongers preferred. To apply, send application and resume to Chad James, Director of Human Resources, P.O. Box 211, Road Town, Tortola, BVI or email: cjames@peterisland.net.
[s76]

Anything Goes Bar and Restaurant has a need for workers in the capacity of Bartenders, Waitresses, Servers, Waiter, Kitchen Assistants, Cooks and Handyman. Please call 499-8985 for more information.
[s76]

Harris Place Restaurant located on Little Harbour Jost Van Dyke is seeking a full time COOK with at least 3 years experience in the restaurant business with the added ability to pleasantly converse and relate to dinner guests. Hours are evenings weekdays and weekends. Interested persons should contact and submit resume to russelljonesbvi@gmail.com or call Cynthia Jones at 284-344-8816. British Virgin Islanders and Belongers preferred
[s76]

CAMCO-INFINITE EQUIPMENT needs a Full Time Welder/Fabricator, must have five (5) years of experience. Please call 284-441-4778.
[s76]

Lindell Defreitas Playroom needs 3 Bartender, 1 Chef, 1 Assistant Chef. Please telephone 545-6776 for further details. [s76]

MF Cleaning Services is seeking to employ two full time CLEANERS. Send applications to mgapmes@gmail.com or call 341 2227.
[s76]

Open Seas Shipping
Full-Time-Position:
Warehouse-Personnel.
Must be willing to :Clear containers, forklift operations, stock cargo etc.
BVI Islander Preferred
E m a i l : - i n f o @
openseasshipping.net or
Telephone: 284-441-3019
[s76]

ONE LOVE GIFT SHOP, CANE GARDEN BAY needs TWO FULL TIME SALES CLERK. Telephone 341-6810
[s76]

A Value Ltd is seeking two full time, one parttime, and one temporary Store Assistant. Tasks include but are not limited to cleaning, cashing, driving and stocking. Applicants must have a strong command of the English language. Must be able to work as early as 5:00 am and/or as late as 9:00 pm weekends and holidays. Must have integrity, pleasant personality and value positive customer service. Experience as a cashier is an asset but not necessary. Call 541-7012 to set an appointment for an interview.
[s76]

Private school is seeking a full time Assistant Teacher to work with children ages 18 months to 12 years. The successful candidate should possess a Montessori Early Childhood Assistant Certification and First Aid Training, along with a passion for working with children.

We are seeking a reliable, energetic person with good health who is comfortable following directions, working as part of a team, who will enjoy planning and facilitating activities for students including crafts and dance.

Please send resume/CV and two current references to: office@montessoribvi.com or call 285 542 6731.

BVI Islanders or Belongers preferred.
[s76]

ONE LOVE GIFT SHOP, CANE GARDEN BAY needs TWO FULL TIME SALES CLERK. Telephone 341-6810
[s76]

ISLAND DEPARTMENT STORE

DUFF'S BOTTOM

TEL: (284) 494 36 77

FAX: (284) 494 39 09

e-Mail: ids58@hotmail.com



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