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**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE THIRTEENTH ANGUILLA
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 27TH FEBRUARY 2025 AT 3.45 PM**

PRESENT: Her Excellency the Governor, Ms. Julia Crouch
The Honourable Premier and Minister, Mrs. Cora Richardson
The Honourable Deputy Governor, Mr. Perin Bradley
The Honourable Minister, Mr. Cardigan Connor
The Honourable Minister, Mr. Kyle Hodge
The Honourable Minister, Mrs. Shellya Rogers-Webster
The Honourable Minister, Mr. Jose Vanterpool
The Honourable Attorney General, Mr. Kurt De Freitas KC
Clerk to Executive Council, Ms. Dumisa Webster

IN ATTENDANCE: The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Mr. Cordell Richardson
Senior Ministerial Advisor, Health, Mr. Evans McNiel Rogers
Ministerial Assistant, Sports, Youth & Culture, Mr. Jeison Bryan
Head of the Governor's Office, Mr. Orlando Ames-Lewis

EX MIN 25/33 EX MEMO 25/25 Public Holidays Act, (R.S.A. c. P130) Special Public Holiday Regulations, 2025

The Hon. Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth & Culture and the Head of Governor's Office remained.

The Honourable Deputy Governor briefed Council on the memorandum, which requests that Friday, 28th February 2025 be

declared and appointed a special public holiday throughout Anguilla. This request aligns with the past practice of the declaration of a special public holiday in Anguilla following an electoral victory. It was noted that on 27th February 2025, the Honourable Premier, Mrs. Cora Richardson-Hodge, Honourable Ministers and the Honourable Parliamentary Secretary were sworn into office by Her Excellency the Governor.

Executive Council noted and approved the Special Public Holiday Regulations, 2025 thereby authorizing HE the Governor to declare and appoint the 28th day of February 2025 as a public holiday throughout Anguilla and a public holiday for all purposes of the Act.

Action: EXCO CLK; EXCO MEMBERS; HE THE GOVERNOR.
