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# MINUTES OF THE 120<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE TENTH ANGUILLA EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2012

PRESENT: His Excellency the Governor, Mr Alistair Harrison

The Honourable Deputy Governor, Mr Stanley Reid

The Honourable Edison Baird, Minister of Social Development, Health, Sports and Education

The Honourable Walcott Richardson, Minister of Labour, Immigration, Lands, Physical Planning, Human Rights, Environment, Gender Affairs and Agriculture and Fisheries

The Honourable Evan Gumbs, Minister of Infrastructure, Communications, Utilities and Housing

The Honourable Acting Attorney General, Mr Ivor Greene

Mrs Sonia Brooks, Acting Clerk to Executive Council

IN ATTENDANCE: Dr Bonnie Richardson-Lake, PS, HSD

Mr Lynrod Brooks, Health Planner

Dr Wycliffe Fahie, Chairman of Tenders Board Ms Dawn Richardson, Member of Tenders Board

Mr Gifford Connor, DLS

Hon Jerome Roberts, Adviser to Hon CM

Mr Perin Bradley, TIO

Ms Mary Clare Haskins, Crown Counsel Ms Gina Brooks, Tourism Planner

ABSENT: The Honourable Hubert Hughes, Chief Minister and Minister of Finance,

Economic Development, Investment, Commerce and Tourism

The Honourable Attorney General, Mr James Wood

#### EX MIN 12/672 **CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES**

Council confirmed the Minutes of the 119<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2012 and the Minutes of a Special Meeting held on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2012.

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#### **MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**

#### EX MIN 12/674

# EX MIN 12/664 EX MEM 12/319 ANGUILLA SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD PROPOSED TOWN CENTRE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

HE The Governor informed Executive Council that the Consultant would start work next week by email and would visit Anguilla later.

### **OUTSTANDING ITEMS FOR EXCO**

1. EX MIN 12/500 CENTRAL CHRISTIAN SCHOOL of 19 July 2012 To report back to Executive Council.

Action: PS, ELSYC

2. EX MIN 12/501 LEASE OF CINNAMON REEF PROPERTY

of 19 July 2012 FROM ASSIDCO

To report back to Executive Council.

Action: HON CM; PS, ELSYC; PS, FIN;

PS, EDICT

3. EX MIN 12/502 CONSIDER REQUEST FROM THE ANGUILLA of 19 July 2012 TOURIST BOARD (ATB) FOR THE GOA TO

TOURIST BOARD (ATB) FOR THE GOA TO FUND SETTLEMENT WITH MR FITZROY

"BRIGGY" TOMLINSON

To report back to Executive Council.

Action: PS, EDICT

#### EX MIN 12/675

# EX MEM 12/322 ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT AT HER MAJESTY'S PRISON

Council:

- (a) approved the filling of a Senior Clerical Officer post at HMP.
- (b) approved a stipend of \$300 per month to the Executive Secretary who serves as the Secretary to the Parole Board.

Council authorised the issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the Minutes.

Action: PS, HSD; PS, PA; PS, FIN; BD

#### EX MIN 12/676

# EX MEM 12/323 APPLICATION FOR ISSUE OF LICENCE UNDER THE ALIENS LAND HOLDING REGULATIONS ACT – BLUE TIDE LIMITED (SECTION: WEST CENTRAL; BLOCK: 28110B; PARCEL 60)

Mr Gifford Connor, DLS joined the meeting.

Council agreed to issue an Aliens Land Holding Licence to Blue Tide Limited to hold 0.77 acre of land on a freehold basis located at Rendezvous Bay, with a villa thereon and forming part of the private residences at Cuisinart Resort Golf Course.

Fees payable are as follows:-

i) Stamp Duty on Licence @ 12.5% of EC\$4,032,300.00

Exempt

ii) Stamp Duty on transfer @ 5% of EC\$4,032,300.00

EC\$201,615.00

**TOTAL** 

EC\$201,615.00

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Council authorised the issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the Minutes.

Action: PS, MHA/LANDS; PS, EDICT; PS, FIN; DLS

#### EX MIN 12/677

### EX MEM 12/324 OVERDRAFT FACILITY 2012

Council approved the following:-

- (i) an overdraft facility of EC\$20 million be maintained at the Caribbean Commercial Bank (Anguilla) Ltd at an interest rate of 6.75 per cent for one year, effective from 1 October 2012;
- (ii) a Continuing Guarantee be provided by the Government of Anguilla; and
- (iii) the operating accounts relationship established with the original approval of the facility be maintained at Caribbean Commercial Bank (Anguilla) Ltd.

Council authorised the issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the Minutes.

Action: PS, FIN; PS, EDICT

#### **ORAL MENTION**

## EX MIN 12/679 SHORT TERM CONTRACT – SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICES

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Dr Bonnie Lake Richardson, PS, HSD, Mr Lynrod Brooks, Health Planner, Dr Wycliffe Fahie, Chairman of Tenders Board, and Ms Dawn Richardson, Member of the Tenders Board joined the meeting.

Counsel agreed the following:

- (a) that arrangements should be made for someone to cover garbage for two days a week at the Corito landfill site;
- (b) the Tenders Board should solicit three quotations and tailor the present contract to effect a short term arrangement;
- (c) the long term contract should be put out to tender by October.

Council authorised the issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the Minutes.

Action: PS, HSD; CHAIR TB

#### EX MIN 12/680 SIXTH NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON YOUTH AND DEVELOPMENT

The Hon Deputy Governor reminded the Ministers of the Sixth Annual National Conference on Youth and Development for policy makers on October 17, 2012 at the Atlin Noraldo Harrigan Parliamentary Building.

Action: MINS OF GOV'T

## EX MIN 12/681 **MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

Council agreed that there would not be an Executive Council meeting on Thursday 4 October due to the fact that most of the Ministers would be off island.

Action: EXCO MEMBERS

#### EX MIN 12/682 **OVERSEAS TRAVEL**

Council was informed of the following dates of overseas travel:

HE The Governor - 3 - 10 October in New York

Hon Minister of Infrastructure - 3 - 8 October to attend the 8<sup>th</sup> High Level

Session Ministerial Forum in Bahamas – Water and Energy Nexus in Caribbean Development

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