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# MINUTES OF THE 235<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE ELEVENTH ANGUILLA EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2020 AT 9:00 AM

PRESENT:	His Excellency The Governor, Mr Timothy Foy, OBE
	The Honourable Premier and Minister of Finance, Economic Development, Commerce, Tourism and Information Technology, Mr Victor Banks
	The Honourable Deputy Governor, Mr Perin Bradley
	The Honourable Minister of Health and Social Development, Lands and Physical Planning, Mr Evans Rogers
	The Honourable Minister of Home Affairs and Education, Mrs Cora Richardson- Hodge
	The Honourable Minister of Infrastructure, Communications, Utilities, Housing, Agriculture, Fisheries and Environment, Mr Curtis Richardson
	The Honourable Attorney General, Mr Dwight Horsford
	Clerk to Executive Council, Mrs Jewelle Fleming, MBE
IN ATTENDANCE:	Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Mr Cardigan Connor Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA, Mrs Evalie Bradley Financial Specialist, Mr Stephen Turnbull PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning, Mr Foster Rogers Director, Lands & Surveys, Mr Leslie Hodge
EX MIN 20/249	<b>CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES</b>
	Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA and Financial Specialist remained.
	Council confirmed the Minutes of a Special Meeting held on Wednesday 27 May 2020 and the Minutes of the 234 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of Executive Council held on Thursday 28 May 2020.
	MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES
EX MIN 20/250	<b>COVID-19 REPATRIATION OF ANGUILLIAN RESIDENTS</b>
	Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA and Financial Specialist remained. PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning,

Mr Foster Rogers joined.

Further to EX MIN 20/241 of 27 May, Council agreed that the PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning should finalise and contract the following facilities for quarantine of returning persons as part of the COVID-19 repatriation process:

- (1) Paradise Cove Hotel
- (2) Royal Palm
- (3) Bay View Homes

The following facilities are also to be used as part of the programme for relevant levels of care:

- (1) Her Majesty's Prison West (quarantine)
- (2) Princess Alexandra Hospital (isolation and treatment)

Action: PS, HLPP; CMO; CEO, HAA; HON MIN, HSD

#### EX MIN 20/251 COVID-19 RULES AND REGULATIONS

Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA, Financial Specialist and PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning remained.

Council approved the following:

- (i) Quarantine (COVID-19) Rules, 2020, subject to amendments;
- (ii) Public Health (Quarantine) Regulations, 2020, subject to amendments; and
- (iii) Public Health (Government Quarantine Facilities) Regulations, 2020.

Action: HON AG; PC; PS, HLPP; CMO; CEO, HAA; HON MIN, HSD

## EX MIN 20/253 EX MEM 20/102 TO RATIFY THE TAX INFORMATION EXCHANGE (INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION) (SCHEDULE) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2020

Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA and Financial Specialist remained.

Council:

- (i) approved the Tax Information Exchange (International Co-operation) (Schedule) (Amendment) Regulations, 2020; and
- (ii) authorised the Hon Minister for Finance to notify the respective jurisdictions of entry into force of the agreements, following the ratification of the Amendment Regulations.

Action: PS, EDICTIT; PS, FIN; PAS, FIN; HON AG; PC; CIR; ACC GEN

## EX MIN 20/254 EX MEM 20/120 EXTENSION OF THE REPORTING DEADLINES FOR FATCA AND CRS RETURNS FOR THE REPORTING CALENDAR YEAR 2019

Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA and Financial Specialist remained.

Council:

- (i) approved in principle the extension of the reporting deadline for FATCA until 15 December 2020, and the extension of the reporting deadline for CRS returns until 15 September 2020 for the reporting calendar year 2019; and
- (ii) instructed the Attorney General's Chambers to commence drafting amendments to the International Tax Compliance (CRS) Regulations, 2016 and the Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (United States of America) Regulations, 2017 to extend the reporting deadlines therein.

Action: PS, EDICTIT; HON AG; PC; PAS, FIN; PS, FIN; CIR; ACC GEN

## EX MIN 20/255 EX MEM 20/121 CLAIM BY REGISTERED PROPRIETOR FOR ROAD ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY SITUATED IN REGISTRATION SECTION NORTH, BLOCK 58916 B, PARCEL 374 (PART OF)

Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA, Financial Specialist and PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning remained. Director, Lands & Surveys, Mr Leslie Hodge joined.

Council agreed that:

- (i) the registered proprietor of property described in Registration Section North, Block 58916 B, Parcels 374 (part of) be paid the amount of US\$157,000.00/ EC\$422,047.40 for the acquisition of 2.34 acres of land acquired by the Government of Anguilla for road development in 2004 as delineated on GIS Map conditional upon the transfers being executed by the personal representative of the estate;
- (ii) the payments would be made in accordance to the draft agreement between the relevant parties and the Government of Anguilla; and
- (iii) the Ministry of Infrastructure, Communications, Utilities and Housing (MICUH) and Department of Lands and Surveys prepare a schedule of affected lands at Tackling for this road improvement matter. Thereafter, the schedule be submitted to Executive Council for consideration and declaration as part of the public road under the Roads Act.

Action: HON AG; PS, HLPP; PS, MICUHAFE; DLS; PS, FIN