



CABINET OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS - POST MEETING STATEMENT

CABINET DECISIONS **10th July, 2019**

His Excellency the Governor Augustus Jaspert chaired the Meeting held on 10th July, 2019, which was held at the Premier's Conference Room, Central Administration Building.

All Members were present, with the exception of the Deputy Premier and Minister for Transportation, Works and Utilities, who was overseas on official business.

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The Cabinet:

1. Decided that the Government of the Virgin Islands enter into a lease agreement with H.R. Penn Limited for office space in the H.R. Penn Ltd. Building for temporary accommodation for the Land Registry Department.
2. Received a Report on the Safe School Ministerial Forum, which was held in St. Vincent and the Grenadines from 29-30 April, 2019 and attended by the Minister for Education, Culture, Youth Affairs, Fisheries and Agriculture.
3. Received a Report on the Annual Council and Business Meeting of the University of the West Indies, which was held in Trinidad and Tobago on 26th April, 2019 and attended by the Minister for Education, Culture, Youth Affairs, Fisheries and Agriculture.
4. Reviewed the Green Paper on Environmental Management, Climate Adaptation and Sustainable Development that will serve as a tool for building awareness of the provisions to be included in the proposed legal framework and noted that the timing for the public consultation would be organised by the Premier's Office.
5. Reviewed and approved the draft Emergency Shelter Policy and decided that it be laid on the table in the House of Assembly at the next convenient Sitting.
6. Approved a number of Non-Belongers land holding licences.

Further information on these matters will be provided by the Premier and Ministers in due course.

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