

Resolution No:

PARLIAMENT

WHEREAS the Government of Barbados has determined that there should be a National Policy of HIV/AIDS for the development of Barbados;

AND WHEREAS it is proposed that a national HIV/AIDS Policy is seen as essential as Barbados seeks to achieve the collective goals of the National HIV/AIDS Programme;

AND WHEREAS the National HIV/AIDS Commission of the Ministry of Family, Youth, Sports and Environment had consultations with the Private Sector, Labour, Civil Society, the academic community and the public sectors towards the realization of that vision;

AND WHEREAS the National HIV/AIDS Commission of the Ministry of Family, Youth, Sports and Environment has prepared a Draft Barbados Policy Document on HIV/AIDS – A Framework for Action as the blueprint for the achievement of that vision;

AND WHEREAS the Cabinet at its meeting of 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2008 approved the Barbados National HIV Policy – A Framework for Action and agreed that the Policy Document should be laid in Parliament;

BE IT RESOLVED that Parliament take note of and approve the Barbados National HIV Policy – A Framework for Action

APPROVED by the House of Assembly this                      day of                      2008.

Speaker.

APPROVED by the Senate this                      day of                      2008.

President.