

RESOLUTION NO.

PARLIAMENT

WHEREAS at the Twenty-third Conference of Heads of Government of CARICOM Member States held in July 2002, Heads of Government mandated each CARICOM Member State to establish a National Commission on Law and Order to assist in the development of policies and programmes for the prevention and reduction of crime;

AND WHEREAS the Cabinet at its meeting of the 19th day of September 2002 agreed to the establishment of a National Commission on Law and Order with the following terms of reference:

- " (a) to advise the Attorney General on
 - (i) strategies for promoting cultural renewal and social cohesion and in particular for developing positive social behaviour in young people;
 - (ii) other policies and programmes to promote law and order;
 - (iii) the effective communication of the policies and programmes;
 - (iv) the development of a process for involving civil society in cultural renewal and crime reduction through consultation, feedback and involvement in implementation;
- (b) to assist in the implementation of policies and programmes by
 - (i) encouraging civil society's commitment to, and active involvement in implementation and making available to civil society information about opportunities and needs;
 - (ii) coordinating practical inputs from different section of civil society.";

AND WHEREAS the National Commission on Law and Order having been established and having been mandated to carry out its task in accordance with its terms of reference, submitted its Report to the Attorney General on the 23rd day of July, 2004:

AND WHEREAS on the 29th day of July, 2004 the Cabinet agreed that the Report of the National Commission on Law and Order be laid in Parliament:

BE IT RESOLVED that Parliament take note of the Report of the National Commission on Law and Order.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly this day of ,
Two Thousand and Four.

Speaker.

APPROVED by the Senate this day of ,
Two Thousand and Four.

President.