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December 9th, 2025

Hon. Miss Santia J. O. Bradshaw, M.P.

Deputy Prime Minister
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Dear Madam,

I have the honour to inform you of the following measures passed at the **122nd Sitting** of the Honourable the House of Assembly held on **Tuesday, December 9th, 2025**:

1. A Resolution to approve in accordance with the provisions of the *Special Loans Act*, Cap. 105 the borrowing by the Government of Barbados of the sum of BBD100 million by way of two loans each of approximately BBD50 million from the OPEC Fund for International Development on the terms and conditions contained in an Agreement, the main provisions of which are set out in the *Schedule*, for the purpose of financing the Program to Strengthen Social Services in Barbados II.
2. A Resolution to approve in accordance with the provisions of the *Special Loans Act*, Cap. 105 the borrowing by the Government of Barbados of the sum of approximately BBD 313.6 million from the China SINOPHARM International Corporation (SINOPHARMINTL) on the terms and conditions contained in two Deferred Payment Agreements, the main provisions of which are set out in the *Schedule*, to finance eighty per cent of the cost associated with the design and construction of:
 - (a) one building with an Outpatient Clinic, a Patient Ward, a Burn Unit and a Laboratory Centre known as Queen Elizabeth Hospital Enmore Site Extension Lot 1 Project; and
 - (b) one building with an Oncology Center, an Administration Office and outside works known as Queen Elizabeth Hospital Enmore Site Extension Lot 2 Project.

3. A Resolution that the Honourable the House of Assembly with the Honourable the Senate that:
 - (a) the Tourist Accommodation Bill, 2025 and Barbados Tourism Product Authority (Repeal) (Transfer of Assets and Liabilities) Bill, 2025 be referred to the Joint Select Committee (Standing) on Economic and Productive Sectors;
 - (b) Standing Order 28(4) of the Standing Orders of the Honourable the House of Assembly be suspended for the duration of the deliberations of the Committee on the Bills and any matters connected thereto;
 - (c) the Committee be empowered to consider the principles and merits of the Bills and to report no later than three months from the date of its reference.

Yours faithfully,



**cc. Senator the Hon. Ms. Lisa R. Cummins
Minister of Energy and Business
Leader of Public Business in the Senate**