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It is announced for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by Article 85 of the Constitution of The Bahamas and in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, the Governor-General has approved leave from duties for the Honourable Alfred Sears, K.C., Minister of Immigration and National Insurance, for the period 26th to 28th March, 2026.

It is announced for general information that the Governor-General would in accordance with Article 76 of the Constitution of The Bahamas, authorize the Honourable Glenys Hanna Martin, Minister of Education and Technical and Vocational Training, to temporarily perform the functions of the Minister of Immigration and National Insurance for the period 26th to 28th March, 2026, during the absence from duties for the Honourable Alfred Sears, K.C.

C. O. 2370B

It is announced for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by Article 85 of the Constitution of The Bahamas and in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, the Governor-General has approved leave from duties for Senator the Honourable Ryan Pinder, K.C., Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, for the period 22nd to 29th March, 2026.

It is announced for general information that the Governor-General would in accordance with Article 76 of the Constitution of The Bahamas, authorize the Honourable Jomo Campbell, Minister of Agriculture and Marine Resources, to temporarily perform the functions of the Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs for the period 22nd to 29th March, 2026, during the absence from duties for Senator the Honourable Ryan Pinder, K.C.

C. O. 2456IV

It is announced for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by Article 85 of the Constitution of The Bahamas and in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, the Governor-General has approved leave from duties for the Honourable Clay Sweeting, Minister of Works and Family Island Affairs, for the period 25th to 27th March, 2026.

It is announced for general information that the Governor-General would in accordance with Article 76 of the Constitution of The Bahamas, authorize the Honourable Isacc Chester Cooper, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Tourism, Investments and Aviation, to temporarily perform the functions of the Minister of Works and Family Island Affairs for the period 25th to 27th March, 2026, during the absence from duties for the Honourable Clay Sweeting.

C. O. 2367

It is announced for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by Article 85 of the Constitution of The Bahamas and in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, the Governor-General has approved leave from duties for the Honourable Keith Bell, Minister of Housing and Urban Renewal, for the period 1st to 5th April, 2026.

It is announced for general information that the Governor-General would in accordance with Article 76 of the Constitution of The Bahamas, authorize the Honourable Ginger Moxey, Minister for Grand Bahama, to temporarily perform the functions of the Minister of Housing and Urban Renewal for the period 1st to 5th April, 2026, during the absence from duties for the Honourable Keith Bell.

C. O. 2472A

It is announced for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by Article 119(1) of the Constitution and in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, the Governor-General has approved leave from duties for Ms. Shanta Knowles, Commissioner of Police, Royal Bahamas Police Force, during the period 10th to 13th February, 2026.

It is announced for general information that the Governor General would in accordance with Article 119(1) of the Constitution of The Bahamas, authorize Mr. Kirkwood Andrews, Deputy Commissioner of Police to be appointed to act as Commissioner of Police, and Ms. Janet McKenzie, Assistant Commissioner of Police, to act as Deputy Commissioner of Police, during the absence of Ms. Shanta Knowles, Commissioner of Police during the period 10th to 13th February, 2026.