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APPOINTMENT TO ACT AS MINISTER OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, in exercise of the power vested in him by subsection (2) of section 79 of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, has appointed Mrs. CHRISTINE SAHADEO, a Senator, to act in the Office of the Honourable Camille Robinson-Regis, Minister of Planning and Development, with effect from 16th May, 2005 and continuing during the absence from Trinidad and Tobago of the said the Honourable Camille Robinson-Regis, M.P., in addition to the discharge of her normal duties.

H. HEMNATH
Secretary to His Excellency
the President

11th May, 2005.

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APPOINTMENT TO ACT AS MINISTER OF NATIONAL SECURITY

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, in exercise of the power vested in him by subsection (2) of section 79 of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, has appointed Mr. Howard Chin Lee, a Senator, to act in the Office of Senator the Honourable Martin Joseph, Minister of National Security, with effect from 17th May, 2005 and continuing during the absence from Trinidad and Tobago of the said Senator the Honourable Martin Joseph, in addition to the discharge of his normal duties.

H. HEMNATH
Secretary to His Excellency
the President

 $11 th\ May,\ 2005.$

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APPOINTMENT TO ACT TEMPORARILY AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE

It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of section 40 and section 44 of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, His Excellency the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, has appointed Mrs. MAGNA WILLIAMS-SMITH, to be temporarily a Member of the Senate, with effect from 17th May, 2005 and continuing during the absence from Trinidad and Tobago of Senator Martin Joseph.

H. HEMNATH Secretary to His Excellency the President

11th May, 2005.

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REVOCATION OF APPOINTMENT TO ACT AS PRIME MINISTER

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, in exercise of the power vested in him by subsection (1) of section 78 of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and all other powers thereto him enabling, has revoked, with effect from the evening of 5th May, 2005 the authority conferred on Senator Dr. the Honourable Lenny Saith, by Instrument dated 5th May, 2005 to perform the functions of the Prime Minister.

H. HEMNATH
Secretary to HisExcellency
the President

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REVOCATION OF THE COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY INTO THE AWARD OF ALL CONTRACTS TO NH INTERNATIONAL AND WARNER CONSTRUCTION LIMITED FROM 2002 TO THE PRESENT

(The Commission of Enquiry Act, Chap. 19.01)

IN ACCORDANCE with section 3 of the Commission of Enquiry Act, Chap. 19:01 of the Laws of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, it is hereby notified that His Excellency, Professor George Maxwell Richards, President and Commander-in-Chief of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago has issued a revocation of the appointment of ANNESTINE SEALEY, CHANDRABHAN SHARMA and EUSTACE HOBSON as Commissioners of the Commission of enquiry issued on 1st November, 2004 and Gazetted on 20th December, 2004.

Dated this 11th day of May, 2005.

 $R.\ CHARAN-RAMDASS$

The Secretary,
Commission of Enquiry into the award
of all contracts to NH International (Caribbean)
Limited and Warner Construction and Sanitation
Limited and/or Warner Construction Limited

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APPOINTMENT OF THE COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY INTO THE AWARD OF ALL CONTRACTS TO NH INTERNATIONAL (CARIBBEAN) LIMITED AND WARNER CONSTRUCTION AND SANITATION LIMITED AND/OR WARNER CONSTRUCTION LIMITED FROM 2002 TO THE PRESENT

IN ACCORDANCE with section 15 of the Commission of Enquiry Act, Chap. 19:01 of the Laws of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, it is hereby notified that His Excellency, Professor George Maxwell Richards, President and Commander-in-Chief of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, in the exercise of the powers vested in him under section 2 of the said Act, has issued a Commission appointing the persons named hereunder as Commissioners:

MADAME JUSTICE ANNESTINE SEALEY DR. CHANDRABHAN SHARMA EUSTACE HOBSON, ESQUIRE

1. To enquire into-

The allegation of the removal of materials, equipment and resources by NH International (Caribbean) Limited, whether through its servants, agents or contractors or by any other person, company or authority from Scarborough Hospital site, Tobago, to the site of a private construction project called "Land Date" at Mason Hall, Tobago, with particular reference to the following issues:

- (i) whether the materials, equipment and resources were in fact removed, transported and delivered in the circumstances alleged as above;
- (ii) if materials, equipment and resources were in fact removed, transported and delivered as is above alleged, whether there was any impropriety and/or misconduct on the part of any person, company or authority including any Minister of Government.
- 2. To enquire into the circumstances surrounding the procurement processes and the award of all contracts made to NH International (Caribbean) Limited and Warner Construction and Sanitation Limited and/or Warner Construction Limited from 2002 to the present with particular reference to—
 - (i) whether the awards of those contracts were made in accordance with the law and the established practices and procedures governing the award of public contracts;
 - (ii) whether there was any impropriety and/or misconduct on the part of any person, company or authority in relation to the procurement process and/or the award of any contract to NH International (Caribbean) Limited and/or Warner Construction and Sanitation Limited and/or Warner Construction Limited.
 - 3. To make such observations and recommendations arising out of its deliberations as the Commission may deem appropriate.

His Excellency, President Professor George Maxwell Richards further directed that:

- (a) Madame Justice Annestine Sealey be the Chairman of the said Commission and that with due diligence and dispatch to enquire into the matters aforesaid and to report to him in writing within a period of not more than six (6) weeks from the date of the first sitting;
- (b) the enquiry be held in public but the Commissioners shall nevertheless be entitled in their discretion to sit in private; or to exclude any particular person or persons from sittings for the preservation of order for the due conduct of the enquiry or for any other reason;
- (c) a quorum of the Commission shall consist of two (2) Commissioners; and
- (d) the Secretary to the Commission be Ms. Radhakah Charan-Ramdass.

Dated this 11th day of May, 2005.

R. CHARAN-RAMDASS
The Secretary,
Commission of Enquiry into the award
of all contracts to NH International (Caribbean)
Limited and Warner Construction
and Sanitation Limited and/or Warner
Construction Limited