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# FOREWORD



Dear Colleagues, Honorable Members of Parliament and readers,

The opening of the Parliamentary Year 2017/2018 took place on September 12th, 2017. From the very mention of this date, it is evident that the opening took place one week after the devastating hurricanes Irma and Maria razed our island. With unimaginable willpower, we managed to at least maintain that semblance of normalcy and proceeded to open the parliamentary year under very trying circumstances. The building of Parliament was not left unscathed and Members of Parliament for several months could not make use of

their offices at Wilhelminastraat 1 in Philipsburg, neither could the opening be held at the House of Parliament.

The mood was sober as Parliament and the people were still trying to cope with the effects of the massive storms. True to the slogan of #stmaartenstrong, the Parliament of Sint Maarten slowly but surely got back on its feet. This was necessary, as an election loomed but a few months following the historic storms.

Since those fateful days in September 2017, the focus of the entire country and the Parliament was on the recovery efforts for the community.

In what can be considered a defining moment in our country's young democracy was the national decree to call for the dissolution of Parliament signed off on November 3rd, 2017 and then amended on November 12th, 2017. On January 15th, 2018 an interim Government was installed, followed by an election on February 26th. This resulted in a new Parliament, consisting of the parliamentary factions United Democrats (UD) with seven seats, National Alliance (NA) with five seats, United St. Maarten Party (USP) with two seats, and Sint Maarten Christian Party (SMCP) with one seat.

Looking back, many things stand out during those trying months, not in the last place, the coming together of the Sint Maarten community and the massive assistance received from others in the first days, weeks, and months to follow.

Christmas 2017 was celebrated in a

special way by the Parliament of Sint Maarten, taking its annual luncheon "to the streets", serving members of the community with lunch on December 14th and joining in the community spirit, which was so prevalent following the devastation suffered in September.

In keeping with the election decree, the new Parliament was sworn in on April 2nd, 2018, following which, the Parliament secretariat proceeded to organize the sessions for the newly sworn in Members as was done in the past, such as the orientation week.

The first interim recovery plan was received on October 10th, 2017 and set the stage for the discussions regarding the Dutch funding for Sint Maarten's recovery.

Several meetings of Parliament were held to ascertain the width and depth of this funding that is channeled through the World Bank.

Other recurring themes during this parliamentary year were:

- The landfill in Philipsburg;
- The state and pace of the recovery;
- The country's preparedness for disasters and;
- The financial situation of St. Maarten.

The UD/SMCP Government was sworn in on June 25th, 2018 and two elected Members of Parliament resigned and took up positions as Ministers, paving the way for two new Members of Parliament to take office on July 6th, 2018.

On the inside, the strengthening of Parliament's support continued with the appointment of 2nd Acting Secretary General, Mr. Garrick Richardson, who will take up his position in September 2018 after a two-year internship in the Netherlands.

Parliament has stepped up its media presence, with the launch of the Parliament's Facebook page, where - as with the Parliament's web page - Parliament meetings can be followed live. This has proven to be a worthwhile tool in the interaction between the general public and Parliament.

As Parliament prepares to host the January 2019 IPKO consultations, we can look back on our participation in 2018, where matters such as a dispute regulation and current issues such as health care and the Venezuela crisis dominated the talks.

The focus of the new parliamentary year 2018/2019 will be very much on the rebuilding of our country; the accountability of funds received, the prioritizing of the recovery and the country's preparedness for potential disasters.

Respectfully,

Sarah A. Wescot-Williams  
President of Parliament

# INTRODUCTION

## TASKS AND COMMITTEES OF PARLIAMENT

The Parliament of Sint Maarten is the highest legislative body of the country and according to article 44 of the Constitution it represents the entire population of Sint Maarten. The Parliament currently consists of 15 Members who are elected for a four-year period.

According to article 46 of the Constitution, the Parliamentary year commences with a public session on the second Tuesday of September. During this meeting, the Governor delivers a speech laying out the policies of the Government for the coming year.

Parliament elects a President and Vice Presidents from their own number. Together they form the Presidium. If the President is not available, the Presidency shall be taken over by one of the Vice-Presidents.

The main tasks of the President are:

- supervising the activities of Parliament and the Presidium;
- ensuring that the Rules of Order are adhered to;
- maintaining order during and the adjournment of deliberations;
- executing decisions taken by Parliament and;
- representing Parliament.

The Parliament has Rules of Order that regulate amongst others the procedure of meetings. Meetings of Parliament are public unless it is considered necessary, or it is requested by four Members, to hold the meeting behind closed doors. According to article 21 of the Rules of Order, Parliament consists of

various permanent and special committees. Currently there are 13 committees:

- Central Committee;
- Committee of Petitions;
- Committee of Public Housing, Spatial Planning, Environment and Infrastructure;
- Committee of Justice;
- Committee of General Affairs;
- Committee of Finance;
- Committee of Tourism, Economic Affairs, Transport and Telecommunication;
- Committee of Education, Culture, Youth and Sports Affairs;
- Committee of Public Health, Social Development and Labor;
- Committee of Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations;
- Committee of Country's Expenditures;
- Committee of Parlatino Matters;
- Ad Hoc Committee for the Preparation of the Construction of the New Building for Parliament;
- Ad Hoc Committee of Integrity.

The Faction Leaders meeting, comprising of the President of Parliament and the Faction leaders of the factions represented in Parliament according to article 12 of the Rules of Order, plays a key role in the functioning of Parliament. In this setting often, political issues are discussed in order to determine each faction's standpoint before the issues are brought to a Public Meeting.

The powers of Parliament are clearly stated in the

Constitution:

- co-legislator (article 82 of the Constitution);
- the right of initiative (article 85 of the Constitution);
- the right of amendment (article 86 of the Constitution);
- exercise control over government's policies;
- the right to ask questions (article 62 of the Constitution);
- the right of interpellation (article 63 of the Constitution);
- the right of inquiry (article 64 of the Constitution);
- the right to approve and amend the budget (article 100 of the Constitution).

## COMPOSITION OF PARLIAMENT

- *Period September 12, 2017- April 2, 2018*

The Parliamentary year 2017-2018 opened with four factions: the faction of the National Alliance with five seats (5), the faction of the United Peoples Party with five seats (5), the faction of the United St. Maarten Party with three seats (3) and the faction of the Democratic Party with two seats (2). On November 9, 2017, Parliament received a letter from the faction of the Democratic Party containing the declaration by the Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill that he has joined and now supports the Democratic Party. Hence bringing the United St. Maarten Party to two seats in Parliament (2) and the Democratic Party to three (3) (IS/096/2017-2018).

The Presidium comprised till November 20, 2017 of the Hon. President of Parliament Mrs. S.A. Wescot-Williams, the Hon. 1st Vice President of Parliament Mr. drs. R.E. Samuel and the Hon. 2nd Vice President of Parliament Mr. F.G. Richardson.

On November 2, 2017, a motion of no confidence against the Hon. Prime Minister W.V. Marlin and 5 other ministers was accepted in Parliament. After the motion of no

confidence was accepted, the Prime Minister submitted the resignation of his cabinet to the Governor of Sint Maarten and requested elections to be held. Hence elections were held on February 26, 2018, and as result of that election and dissolution of Parliament the composition is now as follows:

- *Period April 2, 2018 - present*
- There are at present four factions in Parliament: the faction of the United Democrats (UD) with seven seats (7), the faction of the National Alliance (NA) with five seats (5), the faction of the United St. Maarten Party (US) with two seats (2) and the faction of the Sint Maarten Christian Party with one seat (1). The Presidium currently comprises of the Hon. President of Parliament Mrs. S.A. Wescot-Williams and the Hon. 1st Vice President of Parliament Mr. T.E. Heyliger. The Hon. Member of Parliament W.S. Smith until his resignation on June 25, 2018 occupied the position of 2nd Vice President of Parliament. That position is currently vacant.

## MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT 2018-2022



THEODORE E. HEYLIGER  
Faction: United Democrats



SARAH A.  
WESCOT-WILLIAMS  
Faction: United Democrats



FRANKLIN A. MEYERS  
Faction: United Democrats



LUC F.E. MERCELINA  
Faction: United Democrats



SIDHARTH M. BIJLANI  
Faction: United Democrats



CHANEL E. BROWNBILL  
Faction: United Democrats



TAMARA E. LEONARD  
Faction: United Democrats



SILVERIA E. JACOBS  
Faction: National Alliance



CHRISTOPHE T.  
EMMANUEL  
Faction: National Alliance



WILLIAM V. MARLIN  
Faction: National Alliance



ARDWELL M.R. IRION  
Faction: National Alliance



EGBERT J. DORAN  
Faction: National Alliance



FRANS G. RICHARDSON  
Faction: United St. Maarten Party



ROLANDO BRISON  
Faction: United St. Maarten Party



CLAUDE A.H. PETERSON  
Faction: St. Maarten Christian Party

## SUPPORT OF PARLIAMENT

The Parliament has a secretariat at its disposal. The core tasks of the secretariat are to give administrative support, procedural and legal advice to the President of Parliament, the Members of Parliament and

Parliament as a whole. One of the most crucial tasks of the secretariat is the preparation of the meetings. The public Parliament meetings are carried live on St. Maarten Cable TV--Channel 120, via Pearl Radio FM 98.1, SXM.gov radio FM 107.9, via the Internet [www.pearlfradio.com](http://www.pearlfradio.com), [www.sxmparliament](http://www.sxmparliament).

org and via Facebook. To achieve the principal tasks, the secretariat is headed by the Secretary General Mrs. Nancy R. Guishard-Joubert, LL.M. and assisted by two acting Secretary Generals, Mrs. Ann A. Groen-Gumbs, LL.M. and Mr. Garrick J. Richardson, LL.M. The staff of the

secretariat totals 12 at present. It should also be noted that all 4 factions in Parliament are supported by their own faction staff. Currently there are 11 faction staff members employed with the different factions.

## LOGO OF PARLIAMENT



The rising sun indicates a new day full of hope and possibilities.

The Pelican is our national bird and symbol.

According to legend, in a time of famine, a mother pelican would draw blood from her own chest and give the blood to her chicks. Symbolic of sacrifice doing what is best for the nation.

The wings of the Pelican are also a stylized version of people symbolizing the people of Sint Maarten

# FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the budget year 2017 Parliament had a total amount of NAfl. 12.235.970 at its disposal, which included both the costs of Parliament (budget post 2020) as well as the costs of the secretariat (budget post 2030). Parliament's actual expenses totaled NAfl. 7.808.174.

These expenses included the salaries and other related costs of the Members of Parliament and their faction staff (49,98%), costs of travel for the Members of Parliament (4,22%), representation costs (0%), salaries and other related costs of the staff of the

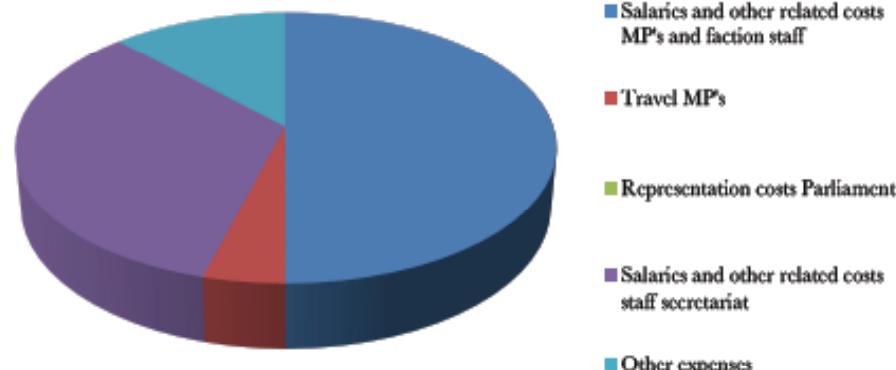
secretariat (33,57%) and other expenses (12,23%). The category "other expenses" included amongst others gas for vehicles, office, kitchen and cleaning supplies, obligations deriving from contracts with third parties, books and subscriptions, uniforms for the staff of the secretariat, legal and other advice, courses and training, membership and other dues.

In accordance with article 35 sub a of the National Government Accounting Ordinance and article 17, paragraph 1 of the Rules of Order of Parliament, the draft budget of Parliament for the budget year 2018

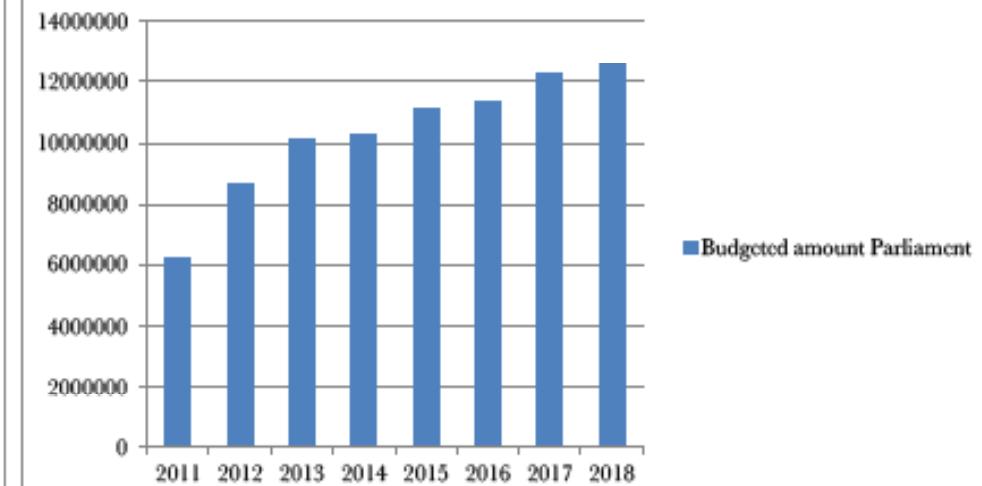
was submitted to the Minister of Finance on April 25, 2017 (UV/212/2016-2017). The draft budget of Parliament was deliberated on and accepted in the Presidium of April 4, 2017.

The National Ordinance establishing the budget for Country Sint Maarten for the budget year 2018 was adopted on May 8, 2018. For the budget year 2018 a budgeted amount of NAfl. 12.554.041 was agreed for Parliament.

**Parliament's actual expenses 2017  
(Total Nafl. 7.8 million)**



**Budgeted amount Parliament**



# PARLIAMENTARY YEAR IN REVIEW

The following provides an overview of the work done by Parliament during the Parliamentary Year 2017-2018



## SEPTEMBER

### SEPTEMBER 12, 2017

On this date, September 12, 2017, a Solemn Public meeting of the Parliament of Sint Maarten was held at the Goverment Administration Building at the Soualiga road on Pond Island,



Philipsburg. The reason for the change of location was because the Parliament Building at the Wilhelminastraat had sustained damage from Hurricane Irma on September 6, 2017.

The agenda point for this meeting was:

Opening of Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 by the Chairperson of the Parliament of Sint Maarten with a speech by His Excellency the Governor of Sint Maarten.

The Hon. President of Parliament

indicated that according to the Constitution the 4-year term of Parliament is divided into 4 parliamentary years. It is a constitutional requirement that on the second Tuesday of every September a new parliamentary year is opened.

His Excellency the Governor of Sint Maarten, drs. E.B. Holiday, then proceeded to deliver his speech to the Members of Parliament, guests and the radio and television audience. The Governor informed all that the opening of Parliament was being done under special circumstances. He also recognized that in our government system we have to give account to the people. He went on to give an outline of the policy plan for the year 2017-2018. The policy plan was given in the backdrop of the devastating impact from Hurricane Irma of September 6, 2017.

The Governor reminded everyone that before the passing of the hurricane, he had addressed the population and had stated that he trusts that the people of Sint Maarten will draw from the collective strength to withstand and overcome the storm. And that today, September 12, 2017, we stand in the

aftermath of the furious winds. The Governor said that he was moved by the extent of the damage and the emotional toll Irma inflicted on our people. This hurricane will live on in our collective memory. Meanwhile, he believes that we can be thankful that we had been spared a hit by Hurricane Jose.

The Governor mentioned that after the passing of the hurricane, Government moved to take stock of the damage and organized the emergency response. In doing so, he was heartened to see so many persons, in good Sint Maarten tradition, cleaning up their district and helping each other. He was saddened to see the unlawful behavior of some in our community. Behavior which does not do justice to who we are as a Sint Maarten people. Behavior that has made matters more difficult for all of us. To address that situation, the Government declared a state of



emergency on Friday, September 8, 2017. And he informed that Government would take all measures necessary for the safety and security of people and property.

The President thanked the Governor for his speech and declared the Parliamentary year 2017-2018 opened.

### **SEPTEMBER 25, 2017**

On this day, in Public meeting no. 1, the Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs, Mr. W.V. Marlin, gave an outline of the state of preparedness for the hurricane season, the disaster management after Hurricane Irma and the reconstruction following the devastation by Hurricane Irma. This presentation was followed by questions and queries from Members of Parliament. A motion was accepted by Parliament during Public meeting no. 1 calling on the Government to activate immediately a weekly question hour, to institute a regular consultation with French St. Martin and to inform Parliament of these consultations regularly, and in consultation with French St. Martin, work post haste on the cleanup of the Simpson bay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU (See Facts & Figures).

## **OCTOBER**

### **OCTOBER 4, 2017**

A Central Committee Meeting was held on this day with the following agenda point:

Advice regarding the (re)appointment of an Ombudsman

Due to the passing of Hurricane Irma and in an

effort to guarantee continuity within the country, the Central Committee approved the advice containing the reappointment of the current Ombudsman, dr. R.J.A. Arduin-Lynch, for a second term starting on October 10, 2017 with the understanding that Parliament and the Ombudsman jointly will determine the exact length of the term within the boundaries of the law.

This advice of the Central Committee was sent to the Public Meeting for further handling.

### **OCTOBER 4, 2017**

Parliament launched its official Facebook page, titled: Parliament of Sint Maarten on this day.

With this move, Parliament stepped into the fascinating and constantly evolving world of social media with the intention to inform the public more effectively on its day to day operations. This tool made it easier for the public to have access to updated information from Parliament.



The page contains essentials like contact information and opening hours of the Parliament as well as a brief description of the role of Parliament in our society. Visitors can browse the page to obtain

information on upcoming meetings, pending legislation, motions etc. Features like Facebook live will be utilized to broadcast meetings in the near future to bring Parliament even closer to the people.

### **OCTOBER 6, 2017**

During Public meeting no. 2, the advice regarding the (re)appointment of dr. R.J.A. Arduin-Lynch as Ombudsman for a second term starting on October 10, 2017 was tabled and voted on. 13 votes were cast in favor of Mrs. Arduin-Lynch and there was one blank vote.

Hence dr. R.J.A. Arduin-Lynch was reappointed for a second term, beginning on October 10, 2017.

### **OCTOBER 11, 2017**

The agenda points for the second Central Committee Meeting for the Parliamentary year 2017-2018 were as follows:

1. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament
2. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)
3. Amendment of article 69 and addition of several new articles to the Rules of Order of the Parliament of Sint Maarten.

A total of 13 Permanent (and Ad hoc) Committees were proposed for the Parliament of Sint Maarten. This year a new committee was added which is the permanent Committee of Parlatino Matters.

Additionally, in light of the passing of hurricane Irma it was proposed for additional articles to be added to the Rules of Order to introduce the so called

“vragenuurtje” (Question Hour). The intention of the Question Hour is to create the possibility to interact with Ministers. During the Question Hour only questions and answers will be given.

All three advices were approved and sent to the Public Meeting for further handling.

### OCTOBER 23, 2017

On this date an urgent Public meeting was held on request of the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Leonard, the Hon. Member of Parliament F.A. Meyers, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.M. Bijlani, the Hon. Member of Parliament T E. Heyliger and the Hon. Member of Parliament C.M.M. Connor to discuss:

The appointment of the board members of the Social Economic Council Sint Maarten (SER) (IS/036/2017-2018 dated October 19, 2017)

The Members of Parliament interacted with the Hon. Minister of General Affairs, Mr. W.V. Marlin during this meeting. The Members posed questions pertaining to the disrespect towards the SER, the role of SER on Sint Maarten, the long delay with the appointment of SER board members, the criteria for selection independent board members and the fact that political influence during the appointment of the boards

should be kept at a minimum.

### OCTOBER 24, 2017

On this date Public meeting no. 3 was held regarding the following agenda points:

1. Incoming documents
2. Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2
3. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament
4. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)

Parliament approved the list of incoming documents, numbers 897 -1044 of Parliamentary year 2016-2017 and numbers 001-027 of Parliamentary year 2017-2018. Also, the Decision Lists of Public meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2 were approved unanimously. The advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament and the advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino) were both approved unanimously.

During this meeting of October 24, 2017, Parliament accepted a motion entailing that Members of Parliament would refrain from attending or traveling to the Parlatino meetings for at least 1-year effective October 24, 2017. The saved funds should be reallocated to areas the Members of Parliament deem most negatively affected. This motion was carried with 9 votes for and 0 votes against.

### OCTOBER 25, 2017

In accordance with article 21, paragraph 3 of the Rules of Order, at the beginning of each parliamentary year, as well as in the first public meeting after a periodic resignation or after the dissolution of Parliament, the President assigns the Members to the permanent committees for the investigation of certain subjects and to the Committee for Petitions, unless Parliament decides otherwise. Once this assignment takes place, based on article 25, paragraph 2, of the Rules of Order, each Permanent and Ad Hoc Committee will appoint its own chairman and vice chairman from among its members.

On October 25, 2017 most of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament elected their respective chairman and vice-chairman.

### OCTOBER 26, 2017

Mr. R. Chintaman from the Sint Maarten AIDS Foundation, nominated

Mr. A. Nunes for the President of Parliament award 2017 because of Mr. Nunes dedication to making a positive impact on the lives of the people of Sint Maarten especially his fellow teens. Mr. A. Nunes, a 17-year-old, has led and played a major part in the leadership of the youth group during the process of raising the awareness of sexually reproductive health issues. Mr. A. Nunes is President of the Sint Maarten AIDS Foundation’s Youth Wing.



The President of Parliament award was to be presented to Mr. Nunes during the reception of the Opening of the Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 on September 12, 2017, but because of the passing of Hurricane Irma this was postponed until October 26, 2017.

### OCTOBER 26, 2017

In Public Meeting no. 05, the Hon. Minister of General Affairs, Mr. W.V. Marlin was invited to answer questions related to the conditions put forward by the Dutch Government with regards to assistance to Sint Maarten

(IS/030/2017-2018 dated October 12, 2017 and IS/046/2017-2018 dated October 23, 2017), the Integrity Chamber and the Border control. The questions were put forward by the Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams. The Member also requested for the questions to be answered verbally in accordance with article 69 of the Rules of Order, where a Member of Parliament can ask questions to one or more minister(s). These questions have to be short and concise and be submitted to the President of Parliament. In accordance with paragraph 2 of the same article, these questions are sent to the Minister concerned for answering.

Article 69, paragraph 4 further stipulates that the Member of Parliament can request that the questions are answered verbally. During meetings of this nature the Member of Parliament can additionally pose a short question on the same subject for further clarification and can explain this briefly. But the Member of Parliament may not ask permission to hold an interpellation nor can they submit any motions.

### OCTOBER 26, 2017

The National Recovery Plan was presented on this day by the Hon. Minister of General Affairs Mr. William V. Marlin accompanied by Mr. D. Richardson, Mr. J. Beaujon, Ms. C. Janssen and Mrs. M. Persaud-Hickinson, all members of the Workgroup National Recovery Plan, in Central Committee meeting no. 3.

The second agenda point for that meeting was:

2. Approval composition delegation and provisions Members of Parliament to participate in the Regional Parliamentary Retreat on Sustainable

Development Goals and Building Caribbean Resilience from November 7 to 9, 2017, in Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago (IS/031/2016-2017 dated October 16, 2017)

The approval was given by the Central Committee for the President to attend this meeting in Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.

### OCTOBER 27, 2017

Discussions were held on the matter regarding aid to St. Maarten post-hurricane Irma (IS/045/2017-2018 dated October 23, 2017) in Central Committee Meeting no. 04.

This meeting was requested by the Hon. Member of Parliament F.G. Richardson, the Hon. Member of Parliament G.C. Pantophlet, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.J. Matser, the Hon. Member of Parliament drs. R.E. Samuel, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams, the Hon. Member of Parliament P.F.M. Geerlings, the Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill, the Hon. Member of Parliament H.L. Richardson and the Hon. Member of Parliament A.M.R. Irion.

### OCTOBER 27, 2017

On October 27, 2017, Mr. T. Bervoets of the Nature Foundation Sint Maarten gave a presentation on the cleaning of the Simpson Bay Lagoon and other waters post hurricane. Mr. Bervoets informed the Members of Parliament that the damage to Sint Maarten's infrastructure had been massive. Sint Maarten is now feeling the effects of climate change. An initial assessment was done from September 12-16, 2017 and the second assessment from September 22-25, 2017. The beach assessment was done on October 26, 2017. Reports on initial salvaging in the Lagoon and Oyster



pond area showed considerable damage to trees. The Nature Foundation is also monitoring the brown Pelican because the breeding spots are getting less. Environmental effects of both hurricanes: 300 vessels sunk in the Lagoon and Oyster pond, 80% mangroves destroyed and 150.000 gallons of fuel leaking in the Lagoon and Oyster Pond. Cleaning the beaches of zinc underwater is being done, but Great Bay beach remains a challenge. He closed by emphasizing that the situation in Simpson Bay lagoon is dire and that Sint Maarten and Saint Martin are one destination. The French side has not done enough cleaning up and in so doing making the island ready for tourists to come back to the island.

### NOVEMBER

#### NOVEMBER 1-2, 2017

Members of Parliament had a discussion in Public Meeting no. 6 regarding the Declaration pertaining to the willingness of 8 Members of Parliament to join together and form a new government for St. Maarten with the objective of breaking the impasse on Dutch aid on the basis of mutual trust and understanding (IS/061/2017-2018 dated October 31, 2017 and IS/062/2017-2018 dated October 31, 2017).



This meeting was called based on a letter received on October 31, 2017 from 8 Members of Parliament, namely the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger, the Hon. Member of Parliament P.F.M. Geerlings, the Hon. Member of Parliament F.A. Meyers, the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Leonard, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.M. Bijlani, the Hon. Member of Parliament C.M.M. Connor, the Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill and the Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams stating that they declare their willingness to join together and form a new Government for St. Maarten with the objective of breaking the impasse on the Dutch aid on the basis of mutual trust and understanding. And that an economic recovery program will be the first order of business.

During this meeting, three motions were presented and voted on:

- Motion no. 1 was accepted with 8 votes for and 0 votes against (See Facts & Figures).
- Motion no. 2 was accepted with 8 votes for and 0 votes against

(See Facts & Figures).

- And the third motion was accepted with 8 votes for and 6 votes against. This third motion entailed a vote of no confidence against the Hon. Prime Minister Mr. W.V. Marlin and 5 other ministers in his cabinet (See Facts & Figures).

### **NOVEMBER 2-3, 2017**

From November 2-3, 2017 several Members of Parliament participated in a Masterclass titled “The art of legislative drafting”. This Masterclass focused on the principles of legislation, legislative stakeholders and the legislative process in its entirety. Members of Parliament also gained more insight on how to prepare a “white paper” as preparation to the drafting of a national ordinance. The Masterclass was provided by Mr. L. Milliard from LuxCel LLC.

Mr. Milliard also provided a course “Understanding the Role & Operations of Parliament of St. Maarten” to the staff of the secretariat of Parliament



from October 30 till November 1, 2017.

The goal of the Masterclass as well as the course was to equip all Members of Parliament and staff with the necessary tools in order for them to execute their role and tasks as a Parliamentarian or staff member even better.

### **NOVEMBER 6, 2017**

The President of Parliament deemed it necessary to call this urgent Central Committee meeting no. 7, in order to get more clarity on the finances of Government after the passing of Hurricane Irma.

The Members of Parliament questioned the Hon. Minister of Finance Mr. R. Gibson on a number of aspects: the income from taxes since the hurricane, commitments from the 116 million in liquidity, amount spent since the hurricane by Ministries and for what, plans for reconstruction, ideas to lift the deficit, tax relief for businesses, adjustments capital projects because of priority projects, amended 2017 budget to Parliament, USM and hurricane-related matters, receipt of \$105,000 donation from the Chinese and the guarantee for certain expenditures not budgeted for.

### **NOVEMBER 7, 2017**

On this date representatives of the Sint Maarten Insurance Brokers Association (SIBA), represented by Mr. N. Henderson (President) and Ms.

R. Richardson (Member) provided information on the following agenda point in Central Committee Meeting no. 06:

The state of affairs of the enormous damage and hardship caused by Hurricane Irma from the Sint Maarten Insurance Brokers Association (SIBA) (IS/042/2017-2018 dated October 23, 2017)

This agenda point was requested by Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger, Member of Parliament T.E. Leonard, Member of Parliament S.M. Bijlani, Member of Parliament F.A. Meyers and Member of Parliament C.M.M. Connor.

Mr. Henderson gave an explanation as to the role of the Brokers Association. This organization consists of only the representatives of the policyholders by law. The Association provided information particularly given the fact that they carry the financial responsibility after such a catastrophe as Irma.

### **NOVEMBER 9-10, 2017**

In Public Meeting no. 8, a discussion was held concerning the National decree dated November 3, 2017 containing the dissolution of Parliament and the stipulation of Election Day (IS/079/2017-2018 dated November 6, 2017).

During this meeting three motions were

presented and accepted by Parliament:

- Motion no. 1 was accepted unanimously  
(See Facts & Figures).
- Motion no. 2 was also accepted unanimously  
(See Facts & Figures).
- And motion no. 3 was accepted with 8 votes for and 1 vote against. This motion entailed the immediate discharge of Mr. William Marlin as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs (See Facts & Figures).

### NOVEMBER 20, 2017

The following two Members of Parliament tendered their resignations, effective immediately on November 20, 2017:

- The Hon. Member of Parliament drs. R.E. Samuel as 1st Vice-President of Parliament  
(IS/116/2017-2018);
- And the Hon. Member of Parliament F.G. Richardson as 2nd Vice-President of Parliament making both positions vacant  
(IS/117/2017-2018).

### NOVEMBER 20, 2017

The Hon. Minister of Education, Culture, Youth and Sports Affairs Ms. S.E. Jacobs had a discussion with Members of Parliament in the Central Committee on the following topic:

Discussion on Government's general position and decision on the University of St. Maarten (IS/047/2017-2018 dated October 24, 2017)

The Minister gave a presentation on the effects of hurricane Irma on the University, loss of income, monies given to USM, monthly subsidy, plans for the future etc. This presentation was followed by questions of the Members of Parliament.

### NOVEMBER 23, 2017

In Public meeting no. 9, the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger was appointed 1st Vice-President of Parliament and the Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill was appointed 2nd Vice-President.

In said meeting, the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger was voted 1st Vice-President with 8 votes for and 2 votes were blank.



The Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill was voted 2nd Vice-President with 8 votes for and two blank votes.

### NOVEMBER 28, 2017

Members of Parliament had a discussion on this day with the University of St. Martin Board Members concerning their feedback on the motives for the closure of this esteemed establishment. The following Board Members were present: Mrs. Giterson-Pantophlet, Mr. W. Smith, Mr. V. Daal, R. Judd, Mr. E. Maison and Mrs. M. Sam-Arrindell.



The University of St. Martin Board Member Mr. W. Smith pleaded to keep the USM open. He also explained why the USM is called University instead of college. Mr. Smith gave a presentation on USM's financial difficulties from April 2007 till October 21, 2017 and an overview of all the subsidy and funding requests to the Government of Sint Maarten. The conclusion was that the major cost driver at USM was the salaries.

This meeting was requested by the eight Members of Parliament the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger, the Hon. Member of Parliament F.A. Meyers, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.M. Bijlani, the Hon. Member of Parliament P.F.M. Geerlings, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams, the Hon. Member of Parliament C.M.M. Connor, the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Leonard and

the Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill.

## DECEMBER



### DECEMBER 6, 2017

The Parliament of Sint Maarten received a letter signed by Mr. R. Cantave on behalf of the students of the University of St. Martin (USM) requesting a meeting with Parliament to discuss:

The challenges, experiences and concerns at the University of St. Martin as it relates to tertiary education on St. Maarten (IS/051/2017-2018 dated October 26, 2017).

Two students of the University of St. Martin (USM), Mr. R. Cantave and Ms. N. Bontiff were in attendance and gave a plea on behalf of the students on Sint Maarten who cannot afford to go abroad to study. The Members of Parliament were requested to help and keep the University of St. Martin open

and to work on the Law on Tertiary education.

The second agenda point for this Central Committee meeting no. 13 was:

2. Approval composition delegation and provisions for Members of Parliament to participate in IPKO and Tripartite in Aruba from January 9-11, 2018

The approval was granted by the Central Committee for the members of the Committee of Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations (CKAIR), the President of Parliament, the Secretary General of Parliament as well as the Advisor to the CKAIR to participate in these meetings in Aruba.

### DECEMBER 7, 2017

On Thursday, December 7, in Public Meeting no. 12, the following agenda points were handled:

1. Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament

This advice was approved unanimously.

The second agenda point on that same day was:

2. Discussion between Parliament and the Government pertaining to setting priorities as it relates

to funding of projects in the reconstruction phase post-hurricane Irma

### DECEMBER 11, 2017

Discussions started in Public meeting no. 7 with the following agenda points:

1. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van het Burgerlijk Wetboek en enkele andere landsverordeningen in verband met de vervanging van de zevende titel A van Boek 7A door een nieuwe titel 10 van Boek 7 regelende voorschriften voor arbeidsovereenkomsten (IS/269/2015-2016 d.d. 2 december 2015)  
(ZJ 2015-2016-082)

2. Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order

Members of Parliament posed questions to the Hon. Minister of Public Health, Social Development and Labor Mr. E. Lee after he gave an outline on the content of the draft national ordinance and all the changes to the Civil Code it entails. Some of the highlights in the draft national ordinance are in any case: limiting use of short term labor contracts, equal treatment and pregnancy and maternity leave.

It is noteworthy that 2 amendments were submitted to this draft national ordinance on December 5, 2018 (the original date the meeting was supposed to take place on) by the Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams and the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Leonard entailing several technical changes to the national ordinance and the extension of pregnancy and maternity leave.

### DECEMBER 13, 2017

On this day, Public Meeting no. 13 was held with the following agenda points:

1. Incoming documents
2. Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9
3. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (IS/208/2017-2018 d.d. 6 december 2017)  
(ZJ 2017-2018-104)
4. Amendment of article 69 and the addition of several new articles to the Rules of Order

The list of incoming documents numbers 028-159 of Parliamentary year 2017- 2018 and the Decision Lists of Public meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9 were approved.

*The Draft National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104) was accepted with 9 votes for and 3 votes against.*

The decision was also taken by Parliament with 8 votes for and 0 against to approve the advice on amending article 69 and adding several new articles to the Rules of Order of the Parliament of Sint Maarten and in so doing introducing the Question Hour.

## DECEMBER 14, 2017



Parliament held its annual Christmas event on this day. And, as has become traditional, Parliament always contributes to the community of Sint Maarten during this season of giving. This year the general public was invited for lunch at Wilhelminastraat # 1 in front of the Parliament building from 11:30 - 13:00 hrs. Several Members of Parliament were present to hand out the Christmas lunch and interact with the public with festive music playing in the background.



## RECESS

Parliament went on Christmas recess from December 15-29, 2017.

## DECEMBER 29, 2017

Due to the urgency of the draft national ordinance, an urgent Public meeting was called in the Christmas recess. In Public Meeting no. 14, Parliament accepted the:

*Draft National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105) with 10 votes for and 0 against.*

## JANUARY



## JANUARY 9-12, 2018 - IPKO

From January 9-12, 2018, the delegation of Sint Maarten participated in the IPKO meetings with the delegations from sister islands of Curaçao and Aruba as well as the delegation from the Netherlands. The topics that were discussed were the following: Small Islands Developing States, effects of hurricane Irma, situation in Venezuela, durable penitentiary institutions, Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's) and durable economic development.



The Sint Maarten delegation consisted of the following members:

1. The Hon. Member of Parliament P.M. Geerlings, Chairman Committee Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations and Delegation leader
2. The Hon. Member of Parliament drs. R.E. Samuel
3. The Hon. Member of Parliament F.G. Richardson
4. The Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Leonard
5. Mrs. N.R. Guishard-Joubert, LL.M., Secretary General and



#### 6. Mr. R.R.H. Richardson, Advisor.

The Sint Maarten delegation gave a presentation that centered on the effects of Hurricane Irma and the reconstruction on Sint Maarten.

A presentation was also given by the Chairman of the Steering Group Venezuela of Aruba on the worrisome situation in Venezuela as well as the recent closing of the borders (aerial and maritime) between Venezuela and the ABC islands.

Mrs. A. Marchena-Slot of the University of Curaçao gave the IPKO a presentation on sustainable penitentiary institutions in the Kingdom from a human rights perspective. The presentation centered on national and international legislation on the topic, the role of the Committee for the prevention of torture and inhumane or degrading treatment or punishment, challenges for these institutions where it pertains to sustainability and

cooperation within the Kingdom. The Aruba Center of Excellence for SDG's gave a presentation on the state of affairs with regards to the implementation of SDG's in Aruba, cooperation within the Kingdom, the role of the parliaments where it pertains SDG's and further steps to be taken.

Mr. Tujeehut gave a presentation on the energy policy of Curaçao, the energy structure, the vision for the energy policy, the strategy for execution and the success factors.

The delegation of Sint Maarten indicated that the following SDG's have priority on Sint Maarten: numbers 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13 and 16. The delegations also agreed to actively continue to inform each other about the implementation of the Paris Climate Accord.

Finally, the delegations participated in 2 work visits; one to the Horacio Oduber Hospital and another to the WEB.

#### JANUARY 24, 2018

On this date a Central Committee meeting was held regarding:

1. Discussion with the market square vendors about the injustices against their livelihood by the Government of Sint Maarten (IS/236/2017-2018 dated December 12, 2017)
2. Advice fulfillment position

substitute member General Audit Chamber (IS/221/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)

3. Proposal Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction/Wederopbouw (IS/220/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)
4. Proposal request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018 (IS/280/2017-2018 dated January 17, 2018)



The representatives of the Market square vendors: Mrs. I. Grell, Mr. L. Plaisir and Mrs. A. Florail, presented their grievances and examples of injustices pertaining to the removal of the booths on the market.

The Central Committee approved the advice containing the nomination list with the two names, namely Mr. R. Ferron and Mr. G.M. Speentjes, to fill the position as substitute member of the General Audit Chamber to the Public Meeting for approval.

A proposal regarding establishing an Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction/

Wederopbouw, tasked with reviewing plans and programs of Government pertaining to the reconstruction of St. Maarten after hurricanes Irma/Maria from the Hon. Member of Parliament drs. R.E. Samuel, the Hon. Member of Parliament H.L. Richardson and the Hon. Member of Parliament F.G. Richardson was also approved and sent to the Public Meeting for further consideration. Finally, the proposal containing a request for advice from the Council of Advice on the election scheduled for February 26, 2018 was also approved and sent to the Public Meeting for further handling.

#### JANUARY 23, 2018

The Committee of Finance held a discussion with the Bankers Association regarding the additional measures that the banks can take to mitigate the financial challenges being faced by businesses and individuals, post-hurricane Irma and Maria (IS/180/2017-2018 dated November 30, 2017).



The chairman of the Bankers Association, Mr. D. Downes from the Winward Islands Bank Ltd, Mr. E. Lagrange from Banque Européenne Crédit Mutuel (BECM), Mr. K. Lei from Ontwikkelings Bank Nederlandse Antillen, Mr. G. Yee Fong from Banco di Caribe, Mrs. I. Williams-Bachellor from the Bank of Nova Scotia were present to present their banks' approach.

### JANUARY 25-26, 2018

On these days, Public meeting no. 15 was held regarding the following agenda points:

1. Incoming documents
2. Ontwerp van Landsverordening houdende Algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (IS/1003/2015-2016 d.d. 5 augustus 2016) (ZJ 2015-2016-090)
3. Advice fulfillment position substitute member General Audit Chamber (IS/221/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)
4. Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction / Wederopbouw (IS/220/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)
5. Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018 (IS/280/2017-2018 dated January 17, 2018)

Parliament approved the list of incoming documents numbers 160-278 of the Parliamentary year 2017-2018.

*The Draft National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090) was accepted with 9 votes for and 0 against.*

Parliament also approved the 1st candidate (Mr. R. Ferron) and 2nd candidate (Mr. G.M. Speentjes) for the position of substitute member of the General Audit Chamber.

The advice on the installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction/Wederopbouw was rejected with 3 votes for and 6 votes against.

Finally, the advice containing the request for an advice of the Council of Advice on the election of February 26, 2018 was approved with 6 votes for and 3 votes against.

### FEBRUARY

#### FEBRUARY 5, 2018

In Central Committee meeting no. 18, a discussion was held on request of the Hon. Members of Parliament P.F.M. Geerlings, S.M. Bijlani, and T.E Leonard regarding:

Status and situation around the dismissal of the workers at St. Maarten Cable TV and the predicament of the subscribers of said company (IS/309/2017-2018 dated February 1, 2018)

The Shareholder Representative of Cable TV, the Hon. Minister of Tourism, Economic Affairs, Transport and Telecommunications a.i. (ad interim), Mr. V.H.C. de Weever was in attendance to answer questions regarding the decision following Hurricane Irma to lay off Cable TV workers.

#### FEBRUARY 7, 2018

On this date in Central Committee meeting no. 19 discussion started regarding:

Discussion about the current situation at the dump including possible solutions.

The Hon. President of Parliament deemed it necessary to call this urgent Central Committee meeting, making use of the competency to do so as stipulated in the Rules of Order. The Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs, Mrs. L.M. Romeo-Marlin and the Hon. Minister of Public Housing, Spatial Planning, Environment, and Infrastructure, Mr. M. Giterson were invited to give a presentation on the current situation of the dump.



The Hon. Minister of Public Housing, Spatial Planning, Environment and Infrastructure Mr. M. Giterson informed Members of Parliament that the situation at the dump is the most important challenge of this country. Since the Island council period solutions were being sought. Which Government is in office should not be an issue because it affects the citizen's health, tourism and our livelihood.

#### FEBRUARY 8, 2018

In a closed-door meeting of the Committee of Finance on Thursday, February 8, 2018 a discussion was held with the Financial Supervision Committee

(CFT) concerning the financial situation of Sint Maarten (IS/306/2017-2018 dated January 31, 2018). Mr. R. Gradus, Chairman of the Financial Supervision Committee, Mrs. M. v.d. Sluijs-Plantz (Member for Sint Maarten), Mr. G. Damoen (Member for Curaçao), Mr. S. Dekker (Member for the Netherlands), Mr. M. Twisk (Secretary), Mr. D. Abrahams (Section head Sint Maarten/BES) and Mr. K. Willems (Policy advisor) were in attendance.

### FEBRUARY 8, 2018

A discussion was held in the Committee of Finance no. 04, with the representatives of the Sint Maarten Insurance Association (SMIA) Mr. D. Elgin (President), Mr. O. van de Gevel (Vice President), Ms. C. Rotsburg (Secretary), Mr. D. Cunningham (Member) and Ms. S. America regarding the following agenda point:

The process of payments to policyholders affected by hurricanes Irma and Maria (IS/305/2017-2018 dated January 31, 2018)

A collective statistics presentation was given by NAGICO, Guardian Group and Ennia regarding claims and payments after hurricanes Irma and Maria. The total claims that were received was 6100 and that totals NAFL 667,060,000. The total claims settled were 4764 which amounts to NAF 303,700,000.

### FEBRUARY 15, 2018

In Public Meeting no. 16 the following agenda points were tabled:

1. Discussion about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)
2. Advice containing a proposal to retract five initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles.

On Monday, February 12, 2018 the Council of Ministers approved the draft budget amendment 2017 containing an authorization for the Minister of Finance to sign the Liquidity Loan Agreement for 2017. The process by which the Parliament would receive aforementioned budget amendment 2017 for approval requires several weeks. Due to the urgent need for liquidity support, it was deemed important that the Government of Sint Maarten gets this loan as soon as possible. It was for this reason that the Council of Ministers, in anticipation of the approval of the budget amendment 2017 by Parliament, also approved the Ministerial Regulation (nr. 2018/0132) making it possible for the Minister of Finance to sign the Liquidity Loan Agreement for 2017, in anticipation of the approval of the budget amendment 2017 by Parliament.

Article 1, third paragraph, section b, of this Ministerial Regulation, provides the majority of Parliament an opportunity to announce in writing, that Parliament has no serious objections against entering into the Liquidity Loan Agreement for 2017. Immediately after Parliament executes this provision, the Minister of Finance could sign the Liquidity Loan Agreement for 2017.

Parliament approved the authorization of the Minister of Finance to enter into the loan agreement unanimously.

As it pertains to agenda point 2, the following. The initiators of these initiative draft ordinances, which stem from the Netherlands Antilles days, are not Members of the Parliament of Sint Maarten and their faction(s) are neither part of this Parliament, as a result of which the handling of the drafts cannot be continued and also the fact that these drafts have since become obsolete. Parliament approved the advice unanimously containing the retraction of 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles, namely:

- Initiative National Ordinance amending the Criminal Code of the Netherlands Antilles (Parliamentary Year 2014-2015-065);
- Initiative National Ordinance amending the Code of Criminal Procedures (Parliamentary Year 2014-2015-066);
- Initiative National Ordinance

amending the Criminal Code of the Netherlands Antilles (Parliamentary Year 2014-2015-067);

- Initiative National Ordinance establishing regulations regarding the mandatory placement of secondary vocational education (SBO Internship Regulation) (Parliamentary Year 2014-2015-068);
- Initiative National Ordinance amending the Ordinance Supervision of Trust (P.B., 2003, no. 114) (Parliamentary Year 2014-2015-069);

### MARCH

#### MARCH 19, 2018

The agenda point for Central committee meeting no. 21 was as follows:

Presentation update on Higher Education Ordinance (IS/351/2017-2018 dated February 27, 2018)

The Hon. Minister of Education, Culture, Youth and Sports, drs. J. Wuite gave an update on the status of Higher Education Ordinance to the Members of Parliament.

#### MARCH 23, 2018

On this day, Parliament approved the list of incoming documents 279-391 and Decision lists of Public meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8,

13, 14, 15 in Public meeting no. 17.

Parliament also examined and approved the credentials and admission of Members of Parliament Mr. S.M. Bijlani, Mr. R. Brison, Mr. C.E. Brownbill, Mr. E.J. Doran, Mr. C.T. Emmanuel, Mr. T.E. Heyliger, Mr. A.M.R. Irion, Ms. S.E. Jacobs, Mr. E. Lee, Mr. W.V. Marlin, Mr. L.F.E. Mercelina, Mr. F.A. Meyers, Mr. F.G. Richardson, Mr. W.S. Smith and Mrs. S.A. Wescot-Williams.

## APRIL

### APRIL 2, 2018

On Monday, April 2, 2018 the oath taking ceremony for all Members of Parliament whose credentials were approved on Friday, March 23, 2018 namely, Mr. S.M. Bijlani, Mr. R. Brison, Mr. C.E. Brownbill, Mr. E.J. Doran, Mr. C.T. Emmanuel, Mr. T.E. Heyliger, Mr. A.M.R. Irion, Ms. S.E. Jacobs, Mr. E. Lee, Mr. W.V. Marlin, Mr. L.F.E. Mercelina, Mr. F.A. Meyers, Mr. F.G. Richardson, Mr. W.S. Smith and Mrs. S.A. Wescot-Williams, took place at the Governor's Cabinet.



### APRIL 3-9, 2018



### ORIENTATION WEEK

An Orientation week was organized for all Members of Parliament from Tuesday, April 3, 2018 till Monday, April 9, 2018. During the Orientation week important information concerning internal Parliament matters was provided to the Members of Parliament. Additionally, a training was given to all Members of Parliament who were present. This training entailed the Constitution, Rules of Order and other laws governing the functioning of Parliament. This training was provided by Mr. L. Milliard from LuxCel LLC and it took place in the Legislative Hall of Parliament.

The High Councils of State, namely the General Audit Chamber, Council of Advice and Ombudsman as well as the advisory body Social Economic Council were also invited to give presentations on their functioning and their relationship with Parliament.

The Orientation week was closed off with a protocol training provided by Protocolbureau B.V. from the Netherlands.

### APRIL 18, 2018

In Central Committee meeting no. 22 discussions were started regarding a proposal from the Hon. Member

of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams containing a proposal to establish an Ad Hoc Committee Electoral Reform along with a Terms of Reference (TOR) for drafting legislation to implement Electoral Reform (IS/452/2017-2018 dated April 9, 2018).

The second agenda point was:

2. Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament

The proposal as well as the advice were both approved and sent to the Public meeting for further handling.

### APRIL 25, 2018

Status of the National Recovery Plan and overall recovery of Sint Maarten in general (IS/474/17-18 dated April 19, 2018). The role of the World Bank in the recovery process and the dissemination of recovery funds and the status of the Sint Maarten project Bureau to manage the recovery projects (IS/474/17-18 dated April 19, 2018). A status update on the Government's Information Technology (IT) infrastructure post the recent "cyber-attack." What preventative measures have been taken to avoid similar system interruptions in the future? (IS/475/17-18 dated April 20, 2018).

In Central Committee meeting no. 23 with the abovementioned agenda points the Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of General Mrs. L.M. Romeo-Marlin gave a presentation on the two first agenda points behind closed doors due to the sensitive nature of the topics. This was followed by opening back the doors so that Members of Parliament could pose questions.

Under agenda point 3 the Minister once more

highlighted the sensitivity of the topic and cautioned the Members when posing certain questions. The Members posed questions pertaining to: IT breakdowns, stagnation of services to public and work of civil servants, cost related to IT breakdowns (material and labor cost), scanning of servers, antivirus software, payment of ransom, staffing IT department, breach of security, proper backup system, affect citizen privacy, fire walls etc.

## MAY

### MAY 8, 2018

The Parliament of Sint Maarten received a request from the First Chamber for Parliament's opinion on the Kingdom Law 34.873 (R2098):

Wijziging van de rijkswet tot vaststelling van een zeegrens tussen Curaçao en Bonaire, en tussen Sint Maarten en Saba (IS/448/2017-2018 d.d. 6 april 2018).

This Kingdom Law intends to change the sea border between Saba and Sint Maarten. When this Kingdom Law established the sea border in 2010 in anticipation of the dissolution of the Netherlands Antilles, negotiations between the Kingdom and the Republic of France were still ongoing. In the meantime, the negotiations were finalized in 2016 with a new treaty as a result that has been translated into this

### Kingdom Law.

The Committee of Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations proposed, after a brief discussion on the subject matter, for the Government of Sint Maarten to be requested to give an update on the situation at Oysterpond.

### MAY 7-8, 2018

The agenda points for Public Meeting no. 19 were the following:

1. Incoming Documents
2. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament.
3. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and of the Committees of Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)
4. Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament.
5. Appointment of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson of Parliament
6. Landsverordening tot vaststelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107) IS /480/2017-2018 dated April 21, 2018)

Parliament approved the list of incoming documents numbers 392-514 of Parliamentary year 2017- 2018.

Parliament approved the advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament unanimously. The advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino) was also approved unanimously.

Parliament approved the advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament unanimously.

The advice in short entails the official establishment of a regulation for faction workers. Since 2010 the Parliament has been working with a division of faction workers based on a letter from the then President of Parliament that was agreed upon by the Faction leaders' meeting. The proposed Regulation entails:

Category 1: a faction consisting of 1 - 3 members is entitled to a maximum of 2 faction workers.

Category 2: a faction consisting of 4 - 5 members is entitled to a maximum of 4 faction workers.

Category 3: a faction consisting of 6 or more members is entitled to a maximum of 5 faction workers.

The Functieboek, introduction of faction workers on a University level (WO) and severance pay for the faction workers were also part of this regulation.

Under agenda point 5 Parliament

elected the Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams as President, the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger as the 1st Vice-President and the Hon. Member of Parliament W.S. Smith as the 2nd Vice-President.

*Parliament accepted the National Ordinance stipulating the Budget of the Country for the year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107) with 8 votes for and 5 votes against.*

On Tuesday, May 8, 2018 in the continuation of this meeting, the Hon. Member of Parliament W.S. Smith presented a motion no. 1 in the second round, but Parliament decided to defer the handling of this motion to a next meeting.

### MAY 15, 2018

On this date the appointment of the Committee's chairpersons and vice-chairpersons took place.

### MAY 15, 2018

On this date, Central Committee meeting no. 26 started where the following two draft national ordinances were handled:

1. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Algemene Landsverordening landsbelastingen in verband met internationale verplichtingen (IS/350/2017-2018 d.d. 23 februari 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-106)

2. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Kapitaaldienst (IS/481/2017-2018 d.d. 21 april 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-108)

The Hon. Minister of Finance Mr. M. Ferrier was in attendance to answer questions and queries from Members of Parliament. These questions centered primarily around the exchange of financial information with other countries, the consequences thereof and the financial consequences of the national ordinances.

#### **MAY 28-JUNE 1, 2018 TRIPARTITE AND IPKO**

From May 29 - June 1, 2018 delegations from the Parliaments of the Netherlands, Curaçao, Aruba and Sint Maarten met in The Hague, Netherlands for the Interparliamentary Kingdom Consultations (IPKO).

The four parliamentary delegations discussed a number of issues such as the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's) in the different countries of the Kingdom, voting right and elections within the Kingdom, current state of affairs



of the Dispute regulation, situation in Venezuela and human rights in the justice chain.

The Sint Maarten delegation gave a presentation on an update on the state of affairs of the Parliament of Sint Maarten. The presentation also focused briefly on the progress of the recovery and rebuilding process since the passing of hurricane Irma.

The program included a work visit to a waste management facility in Rozenburg. This work visit was requested by the Sint Maarten delegation to acquire recommendations and best practices on waste management that can be used in Sint Maarten. The



second work visit was to the Wageningen University & Research.

The Interparliamentary consultations concluded on Friday June 1, 2018 with the adoption and signing of the Agreement List and a joint press conference of the four delegations.

Prior to the start of the Interparliamentary consultations, on May 28, 2018, the delegation of Sint Maarten participated in the Tripartite meeting along with delegations from sister islands of Curaçao and Aruba. Among the topics discussed were the Dispute regulations, relationship between the countries of the Kingdom, Constitutional Court and cooperation in the



areas of health care and education etc.

The goal of the meeting was to prepare for several topics that will be tabled during the Interparliamentary consultation as well as discuss topics of mutual interest.

The Sint Maarten delegation partaking in the IPKO and Tripartite meetings consisted of the following members:

1. The Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams, President of Parliament and Delegation leader;
2. The Hon. Member of Parliament S.E. Jacobs, Chairlady Committee Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations;
3. The Hon. Member of Parliament W.S. Smith;
4. The Hon. Member of Parliament R. Brison;
5. Mrs. N.R. Guishard-Joubert, LL.M., Secretary General;
6. Mr. mr R.R.H. Richardson, advisor.

#### **JUNE**

##### **JUNE 7, 2018**

On this date a delegation from the Economic

Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) gave a presentation



on the purpose of their mission which is to get an understanding of the state of affairs on the development of Sint Maarten, to be able to assist St. Maarten later in the year in the planning of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. The agenda of this Central Committee was:

Sustainable Development of Sint Maarten

#### JUNE 13, 2018

On this date the Committee of Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations held a meeting regarding: Debriefing IPKO and Tripartite May 2018 May- June 2018 in the Hague, the Netherlands

During this meeting all the Members of the CKAIR got the opportunity to inform the Members of Parliament and the public of their experience at the Tripartite and IPKO that took place in The Hague, the Netherlands.

One of the biggest accomplishments of this IPKO was the commitment of the State Secretary of Interior Affairs and Kingdom Relations Mr. R. Knops to submit the Dispute Regulation to the Second Chamber by the end of 2018.

#### JUNE 14, 2018

On request of the Hon. Members of Parliament F.A. Meyers, C.E. Brownbill and S.M. Bijlani an Urgent Central Committee meeting of Parliament was convened with the following agenda point:

PJIA reconstruction Status  
(IS/159/2017-2018 dated November 27, 2017).

The presence of the Hon. Minister of Tourism, Economic Affairs, Transport, and Telecommunication a.i., Mr. V.H.C. de Weever along with the Management and Board of PJIA, was requested at this Central Committee meeting no. 27. Mr. R. Daryanani, Mr. J. Trupiano, Mr. M. Hodge, Mr. D. Doncher and Mr. A. Wright were in attendance with the Minister.

The motivation behind this meeting request was “as one of the main gateways to our island, reconstruction of/at PJIA is a critical part of our overall rebuilding”.

Mr. R. Daryanani gave a presentation on the reconstruction update of the

PJIA Roof Repair, Terminal Building Demolition, Terminal Reconstruction, Pavilion Capacity now and in the future, preparations for the Hurricane Season 2018, Financial Update regarding Nagico Claim and Injunction, Plan of Finance and the U.S. Preclearance

#### JUNE 19, 2018

On this date the Hon. Member of Parliament S.E. Jacobs presented an Initiative National Ordinance amending article 50 paragraph 2 of the License Ordinance (National Ordinance adaptation age sales of alcohol Permit Ordinance) (Parliamentary Year 2014-2015-075).

The agenda point for this Central Committee Meeting no. 29 was:

Initiatieflandsverordening tot wijziging van artikel 50 lid 2 van de Vergunningslandsverordening (Landsverordening aanpassing leeftijd verkoop van alcoholische drank Vergunningslandsverordening) (IS/950/2014-2015 d.d. 22 juli 2015 (Zittingsjaar 2014-2015-075)

Several Members of Parliament took the opportunity to pose questions to the Initiative taker. Whether there are enough funds for the enforcement of the Initiative National Ordinance and how the current legislation is being executed and enforced at present were the major discussion points.

#### JUNE 21, 2018

In Central Committee no. 30 the following agenda points were handled:

1. Discussion about the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (IS/674/2017-2018 dated June 13, 2018)
2. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tijdelijke instelling Nationaal Programmabureau Wederopbouw (IS/673/2017-2018 d.d. 13 juni 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-112)

The Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs Mrs. L.M. Romeo-Marlin gave a brief elucidation on the preparation and content of the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (NRRP). The Minister identified the main priorities in the recovery process being: strengthening of the infrastructure, economy and institutions. The Prime Minister emphasized that recovery is not a sprint but a marathon. Mention was also made of the estimated damage caused by hurricane Irma at the tune of \$ 2.3 billion, the Dutch funds under the supervision of the World Bank and insurance payouts. And still there would be a gap that we would need to overcome. Possible solutions need to be sought for this gap. Members of Parliament did not have any comments where this document is concerned hence an advice would be drafted and sent to the Public meeting for further handling

of the NRRP.

During the handling of the second agenda point, Members of Parliament posed a number of questions related to: agreements with World Bank, role of Parliament in the enacting process of the NRRP, role of ministries in the process, constellation of the workgroup, other financing options besides World Bank funds, staffing of National Program Bureau, reporting to Parliament etc.

#### **JUNE 25, 2018**

Parliament received letters of resignation from the Hon. Members of Parliament E. Lee and W.S. Smith (IS/723/17-18 dated June 25, 2018, IS/726/17-18 dated June 26, 2018, and IS/742/17-18 dated June 28, 2018), notifying Parliament of their resignation as Members of Parliament. Their letters of resignation according to article 49 of the Constitution and article 120 Electoral Ordinance, were submitted to the President of Parliament. The resignation of these two Members of Parliament made available two seats in Parliament for the next two elected candidates in line to be sworn in. In accordance with article 120 of the Electoral Ordinance (Kiesverordening), the President notified the Chairman of the Central Voting Bureau and Government of the resignations. This was done on June 25, 2018

#### **JUNE 27, 2018**

On June 27, 2018 a Central Committee meeting was held to discuss:

1. Approval composition delegation and provisions for Members of Parliament to participate in Flag Day celebration Curaçao on July 2, 2018 (IS/708/2017-2018 dated June 19, 2018)

2. Discussion with Minister VSA to address the proposed foreign laborers coming in from abroad to work or assist Sint Maarten with the rebuilding phase, in the aftermath of hurricanes Irma and Maria (IS/312/2017-2018 dated February 2, 2018)

(This agenda point was requested by MP F.A. Meyers, MP T.E. Heyliger, MP T.E. Leonard, MP P.F.M. Geerlings, MP S.M. Bijlani and MP C.E. Brownbill)

3. Discussion on the general labor situation on Sint Maarten

The Central Committee approved for the Hon. Member of Parliament R. Brison and the Hon. Member of Parliament E.J. Doran to travel to Curaçao to participate in Flag Day celebration Curaçao on July 2, 2018.

Under agenda point 2 the Hon. Minister of Public Health, Social Development and Labor Mr. E. Lee gave a presentation on proposed foreign laborers coming in from abroad to work or assist Sint Maarten with the rebuilding phase, in the aftermath of hurricanes Irma and Maria. The Minister mentioned the following in his presentation: hospitality industry being severely damaged by hurricane Irma, difficulty in supply in reconstruction sector, numbers as it relates to unemployment, usage of local labor and supplement with foreign labor if needed, recruitment drives and permits tied to certain projects etc. Members of Parliament posed questions to the Minister after his presentation.

After the extensive presentation and subsequent

discussion under point 2, the Members of Parliament no longer felt the need to pose additional questions under agenda point 3.

#### **JUNE 28, 2018**

A meeting of the Committee of Tourism, Economic Affairs, Transport and Telecommunication was held with the following agenda points:

1. Confirmation of list of incoming documents for the TEATT Committee:
  - a. IS/464 (Algemene Rekenkamer),
  - b. IS/719 (AUC)
2. A discussion among committee members as to what some of the priority areas for the committee should be; draft planning for parliament 2018. Discussing the NRRP for legislative priorities related to tourism, economy, transportation, and telecommunication.

The Committee decided amongst others that its focus will be on the following topics for the remainder of the year:

- St. Maarten Tourism Authority Foundation (STA)
- Price control
- Traffic congestion and data
- Data collection
- Poverty line in Sint Maarten.

#### **RECESS**

Parliament went on Summer recess from July 3-27, 2018.

**JULY****JULY 3, 2018**

On this date in Public meeting no. 20 the credentials and admission of Ms. T.E. Leonard and Mr. C.A.H. Peterson were examined and approved.

On June 27, 2018, Parliament received two letters from the Chairman of the Central Voting Bureau indicating that Ms. T.E. Leonard and Mr. C.A.H. Peterson accepted their election as Members of Parliament (IS/738 and IS/739/17-18).

On June 27, 2018, Parliament received the credentials from the two elected Members of Parliament Mr. C.A.H. Peterson and Ms. T.E. Leonard (IS/734

and IS/735/2017-2018).

It should be noted that this meeting was originally called for Friday, June 29, 2018 at 10.00 hrs. but could not proceed due to a lack of quorum. Present at the gathering were The Hon. Member of Parliament S.A. Wescot-Williams, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.M. Bijlani, the Hon. Member of Parliament C.E. Brownbill, the Hon. Member of Parliament T.E. Heyliger, the Hon. Member of Parliament L.F.E. Mercelina and the Hon. Member of Parliament F.A. Meyers. Only 6 Members which doesn't constitute the quorum of 7 necessary to start a meeting. Notice of absence was received from the Hon. Member of Parliament C.T. Emmanuel, the

Hon. Member of Parliament E.J. Doran (Parliament related travel), the Hon. Member of Parliament A.M.R. Irion, the Hon. Member of Parliament S.E. Jacobs, the Hon. Member of Parliament R. Brison (Parliament related travel) and the Hon. Member of Parliament W.V. Marlin.

The same meeting was called again for Friday, June 29, 2018 at 12.00 hrs. but could not proceed due to a lack of quorum either. Again only 6 MP's were present. The meeting was called for a third time on Tuesday, July 3, 2018.

**JULY 6, 2018**

On Friday, July 6, 2018 the oath taking ceremony for the two Members of Parliament whose credentials were

approved on Tuesday, July 3, 2018 namely, Ms. T.E. Leonard and Mr. C.A.H. Peterson took place at the Governor's Cabinet.

# PARLIAMENT MEETINGS OF THE YEAR

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

No.	Date	Type of Meeting	Agenda
POV 1	September 12, 2017	Solemn Public Meeting	Opening of Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 by the Chairperson of the Parliament of Sint Maarten with a speech by His Excellency the Governor of Sint Maarten
OV 1	September 25, 2017	Public Meeting	State of preparedness hurricane season, Disaster management hurricane Irma, Reconstruction following the devastation by hurricane Irma
OV 2	October 6, 2017	Urgent Public Meeting	Advice regarding the (re)appointment of an Ombudsman
OV 3	October 24, 2017	Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Incoming documents</li> <li>2. Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2</li> <li>3. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament</li> <li>4. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)</li> </ol>
OV 4	October 23, 2017	Urgent Public Meeting	Pending appointment of the board members of the Social Economic Council Sint Maarten (SER) (IS/036/2017-2018 dated October 19, 2017)
OV 5*	October 26, 2017	Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Questions directed to the Minister of General Affairs related to the conditions put forward by the Dutch Government with regards to assistance to Sint Maarten (IS/030/2017-2018 dated October 12, 2017 and IS/046/2017-2018 dated October 23, 2017)</li> <li>2. Discussion on Integrity Chamber</li> <li>3. Discussion on Border control</li> </ol>

OV 6	November 12, 2017	Urgent Public Meeting	Discussion on the Declaration pertaining to the willingness of 8 Members of Parliament to join together and form a new government for St. Maarten with the objective of breaking the impasse on Dutch aid on the basis of mutual trust and understanding (IS/061/2017-2018 dated October 31, 2017 and IS/062/2017-2018 dated October 31, 2017)
OV 7**	December 5, 2017	Public Meeting	Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van het Burgerlijk Wetboek en enkele andere landsverordeningen in verband met de vervanging van de zevende titel A van Boek 7A door een nieuwe titel 10 van Boek 7 regelende voorschriften voor arbeidsovereenkomsten (IS/269/2015-2016 d.d. 2 december 2015) (ZJ 2015-2016-082)
OV 8	November 9, 2017	Public Meeting	Discussion on the National decree dated November 3, 2017 containing the dissolution of Parliament and the stipulation of election day (IS/079/2017-2018 dated November 6, 2017)
OV 9	November 23, 2017	Public Meeting	Appointment of first and Second Vice Chairperson of Parliament
OV 10*	November 30, 2017	Public Meeting	Discussion with the Minister of Public Health, Social Development and Labor to give information on the aid distribution post hurricane Irma and clarity on the criteria for aid from government (IS/157/2017-2018 dated November 27, 2017)
OV 11**	December 4, 2017	Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Incoming documents</li> <li>2. Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9</li> <li>3. Ontwerp van Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (IS/1003/2015-2016 d.d. 5 augustus 2016) (ZJ 2015-2016-090)</li> </ol>

OV 12*	December 7, 2017	Urgent Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament</li> <li>2. Discussion between Parliament and the Government pertaining to setting priorities as it relates to funding of projects in the reconstruction phase post hurricane Irma</li> </ol>
OV 13	December 13, 2017,	Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Incoming documents</li> <li>2. Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9</li> <li>3. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (IS/208/2017-2018 d.d. 6 december 2017) (ZJ 2017-2018-104)</li> <li>4. Draft National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (IS/208/2017-2018 dated December 6, 2017) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)</li> <li>5. Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order</li> </ol>
OV 14	December 29, 2017,	Urgent Public Meeting	Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (IS/252/2017-2018 d.d. 21 december 2017) (ZJ 2017-2018-105)

OV 15	January 25, 2018	Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Incoming documents</li><li>2. Ontwerp van Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (IS/1003/2015-2016 d.d. 5 augustus 2016) (ZJ 2015-2016-090)</li><li>3. Advice fulfillment position substitute member General Audit Chamber (IS/221/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)</li><li>4. Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction/Wederopbouw (IS/220/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)</li><li>5. Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018 (IS/280/2017-2018 dated January 17, 2018)</li></ol>
OV 16	February 15, 2018	Urgent Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Discussion about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)</li><li>2. Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles</li></ol>
OV 17	March 23, 2018	Public Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Incoming documents</li><li>2. Approval Decision Lists Public meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16</li><li>3. Examination of credentials and admission of Members of Parliament</li></ol>

OV 19 May 7, 2018

Public Meeting

1. Incoming Documents
2. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament
3. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and of the Committees of Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)
4. Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament
5. Appointment of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson of Parliament
6. Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107) IS /480/2017-2018 dated April 21,2018)

OV 20\*\* June 29, 2018

Public Meeting

Examination of credentials and admission of Members of Parliament

\*This meeting was adjourned but has not been reconvened as yet.

\*\*This meeting could not continue on the date for which it was originally called due to a lack of quorum (and continued on another date(s)).

## CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

No. Meeting	Type of Meeting	Agenda
CC 01	October 4, 2017	Central Committee Meeting Advice regarding the (re)appointment of an Ombudsman
CC 02	October 11, 2017	Central Committee Meeting <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament</li> <li>2. Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)</li> <li>3. Amendment of article 69 and addition several new article articles to the Rules of Order</li> </ol>
CC 03*	October 26, 2017	Central Committee Meeting <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Presentation on National Recovery Plan</li> <li>2. Approval composition delegation and provisions Members of Parliament to participate in Regional Parliamentary Retreat on Sustainable Development Goals and Building Caribbean Resilience from November 7 to 9, 2017, in Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago (IS/031/2016-2017 dated October 16, 2017)</li> </ol>
CC 04*	October 27, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting Discussion on the urgent matter of Aid to St. Maarten post hurricane Irma (IS/045/2017-2018 dated October 23, 2017)
CC 05	October 27, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting Discussion with the Nature Foundation Sint Maarten on cleaning of Simpson Bay Lagoon (and other waters) post hurricane Irma)

CC 06	November 7, 2017	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Feedback on the state of affairs of the enormous damage and hardship caused by Hurricane Irma from the Sint Maarten Insurance Brokers Association (SIBA) (IS/042/2017-2018 dated October 23, 2017)            (This agenda point was requested by MP T.E. Heyliger, MP T.E. Leonard, MP S.M. Bijlani, MP F.A. Meyers and MP C.M.M. Connor)</li> <li>2. Discussion on the 3 motions accepted by Parliament on November 2, 2017 in its Public meeting no. 6</li> <li>3. Approval composition delegation and provisions Members of Parliament to attend the General Assembly of Parlatino in Panama City, Panama from November 23-24, 2017 (IS/016/2016-2017 dated October 3, 2017)</li> <li>4. Approval composition delegation and provisions Members of Parliament to attend Statia Day Celebration on November 16, 2017 (IS/077/2016-2017 dated November 2, 2017)</li> </ol>
CC 07	November 6, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	Government Finances
CC 08*	November 20, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	Discussion on Government's general position and decision on the University of St. Maarten (IS/047/2017-2018 dated October 24, 2017)
CC 09***	November 20, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	Discussion on the draft amendments to the budget 2017 amendment
CC 10*	November 28, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Approval composition delegation and provisions Members of Parliament to attend the official ceremonies marking the 42nd anniversary of Saba Day on December 1, 2017 under the theme "Saba, still going strong" (IS/138/2017-2018 dated November 21, 2017)</li> <li>2. Discussion on status update of Government's finances</li> </ol>

CC 11	November 28, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discussion with USM Board members to discuss their feedback on the motives for the closure of this esteemed establishment (IS/142/2017-2018 dated November 22, 2017)           <p>(This agenda point was requested by MP T.E. Heyliger, MP F.A. Meyers, MP S.M. Bijlani, MP P.F.M. Geerlings, MP S.A. Wescot-Williams, MP C.M.M. Connor, MP T.E. Leonard and MP C.E. Brownbill)</p> </li> <li>2. Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament</li> </ol>
CC 12***	December 6, 2017	Central Committee Meeting	<p>PJIA reconstruction Status (IS/159/2017-2018 dated November 27, 2017)</p> <p>(This meeting was requested by MP C.E. Brownbill, MP F.A. Meyers and MP S.M. Bijlani)</p>
CC 13	December 6, 2017	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discussion on challenges with the University of St. Martin and experiences and concerns as it relates to tertiary education in St. Maarten (IS/051/2017-2018 dated October 26, 2017)</li> <li>2. Approval composition delegation and provisions for Members of Parliament to participate in IPKO and Tripartite in Aruba from January 9-11, 2018</li> </ol>
CC 14	December 8, 2017	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (IS/208/2017-2018 d.d. 6 december 2017)(ZJ 2017-2018-104)
CC 15	December 27, 2017	Central Committee Meeting	Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (IS/252/2017-2018 d.d. 21 december 2017) (ZJ 2017-2018-105)

CC 16	January 24, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discussion with the market square vendors about the injustices against their livelihood by the Government of Sint Maarten (IS/236/2017-2018 dated December 12, 2017)</li> <li>2. Advice fulfillment position substitute member General Audit Chamber (IS/221/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)</li> <li>3. Proposal Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction/Wederopbouw (IS/220/2017-2018 dated December 8, 2017)</li> <li>4. Proposal request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018 (IS/280/2017-2018 dated January 17, 2018)</li> </ol>
CC 17**	February 7, 2017	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening administratieve rechtspraak (IS/597/2014-2015 d.d. 2 april 2015) (ZJ 2014-2015-062)</li> <li>2. Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles</li> </ol>
CC 18*	February 05, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<p>Status and situation around the dismissal of the workers at St. Maarten Cable TV and the predicament of the subscribers of said company (IS/309/2017-2018 dated February 1, 2018)</p> <p>(This meeting was requested by MP P.F.M. Geerlings, MP S.M. Bijlani and MP T.E. Leonard)</p>
CC 19*	February 07, 2018	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	Discussion about the current situation at the dump including possible solutions
CC 20	February 15, 2018	Urgent Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discussion about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)</li> <li>2. Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles</li> </ol>

CC 21	March 19, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	Presentation update on Higher Education Ordinance (IS/351/2017-2018 dated February 27, 2018)
CC 22	April 18, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Proposal Ad Hoc Committee Electoral Reform and TOR (IS/452/2017-2018 dated April 9, 2018)</li> <li>2. Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament</li> </ol>
CC 23*	April 25, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<p>Status of the National Recovery Plan and overall recovery of Sint Maarten in general (IS/474/17-18 dated April 19, 2018)</p> <p>The role of the World Bank in the recovery process and the dissemination of recovery funds and the status of the Sint Maarten project Bureau to manage the recovery projects (IS/474/17-18 dated April 19, 2018)</p> <p>A status update on the Government's Information Technology (IT) infrastructure post the recent "cyber-attack." What preventative measures have been taken to avoid similar system interruptions in the future? (IS/475/17-18 dated April 20, 2018)</p>
CC 24	April 26, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot vaststelling van de begroting van het Land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-107) (IS/480/2017-2018 d.d. 21 april 2018)
CC 25	May 9, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	Vaststelling reactie Voorstel van rijkswet tot wijziging van de rijkswet tot vaststelling van een zeegrens tussen Curaçao en Bonaire, en tussen Sint Maarten en Saba, 34.873 (R2098) (IS/448/2017-2018 d.d. 6 april 2018)
CC 26	May 15, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Algemene Landsverordening landsbelastingen in verband met internationale verplichtingen (IS/350/2017-2018 d.d. 23 februari 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-106)</li> <li>2. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Kapitaaldienst (IS/481/2017-2018 d.d. 21 april 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-108)</li> </ol>

CC 27*	June 14, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	PJIA reconstruction Status (IS/159/2017-2018 dated November 27, 2017)  (This meeting was requested by MP C.E. Brownbill, MP F.A. Meyers and MP S.M. Bijlani)
CC 28	June 7, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	Discussion regarding Sustainable Development of Sint Maarten
CC 29	June 19, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	Initiatieflandsverordening tot wijziging van artikel 50 lid 2 van de Vergunningslandsverordening (Landsverordening aanpassing leeftijd verkoop van alcoholische drank Vergunningslandsverordening) (IS/950/2014-2015 d.d. 22 juli 2015) (Zittingsjaar 2014-2015-075)
CC 30	June 21, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discussion about the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (IS/674/2017-2018 dated June 13, 2018)</li> <li>2. Ontwerp van Landsverordening tijdelijke instelling Nationaal Programmabureau Wederopbouw (IS/673/2017-2018 d.d. 13 juni 2018) (ZJ 2017-2018-112)</li> </ol>
CC 31	June 27, 2018	Central Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Approval composition delegation and provisions for Members of Parliament to participate in Flag Day celebration Curaçao on July 2, 2018 (IS/708/2017-2018 dated June 19, 2018)</li> <li>2. Discussion with Minister VSA to address the proposed foreign laborers coming in from abroad to work or assist Sint Maarten with the rebuilding phase, in the aftermath of hurricanes Irma and Maria (IS/312/2017-2018 dated February 2, 2018)</li> </ol> <p>(This agenda point was requested by MP F.A. Meyers, MP T.E. Heyliger, MP T.E. Leonard, MP P.F.M. Geerlings, MP S.M. Bijlani and MP C.E. Brownbill)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Discussion on the general labor situation on Sint Maarten</li> </ol>

\*This meeting was adjourned but has not been reconvened as yet.

\*\* This meeting was postponed to a different date than the date for which it was originally called and continued on another date(s).

\*\*\*This meeting was postponed until further notice and therefore never took place.

# PERMANENT AND AD HOC COMMITTEE MEETINGS

## COMMITTEE OF KINGDOM AFFAIRS AND INTERPARLIAMENTARY RELATIONS

No. Meeting	Date	Type of Meeting	Agenda
CKAIR 01*	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CKAIR 02**	January 23, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Approval Decision list CKAIR Parliamentary Year 2016-2017, no. 5 dated May 31, 2017</li> <li>Incoming documents</li> <li>Debriefing IPKO and Tripartite June 12-16, 2017 in the Hague, the Netherlands</li> <li>Discussion on participation delegation Parliament of Sint Maarten in IPKO January 2018 in Aruba</li> </ol>
CKAIR 03	February 8, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting (closed-door)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update from civil servants from the Department of Interior Affairs and Kingdom Relations (BAK) on the implementation of SDG's in Sint Maarten</li> <li>Preparation IPKO May/June 2018 in the Netherlands: IPKO Workgroups</li> <li>Voorstel van rijkswet houdende goedkeuring van de op 18 oktober 2013 te London tot stand gekomen wijzigingen van het Protocol van 1996 bij het Verdrag inzake de voorkoming van verontreiniging van de zee ten gevolge van het storten van afval en andere stoffen van 1972 zoals opgenomen in resolutie LP (IS/871/2016-2017 d.d. 30 juni 2017)</li> <li>Voorstel van rijkswet houdende bepalingen ter implementatie van Richtlijnen (EU) 2015/637 van de Raad van de Europese Unie betreffende de coördinatie- en samenwerkingsmaatregelen ter vergemakkelijking van de consulaire bescherming van niet-vertegenwoordigde Burger van de Unie in derde landen en tot intrekking van besluit 95/553/EG (Rijkswet consulaire bescherming EU-burgers) (IS/877/2016-2017 d.d. 5 juli 2017)</li> <li>Voorstel van Rijkswet houdende goedkeuring op 24 november 2016 te Parijs tot stand gekomen Multilateraal Verdrag ter implementatie van aan belastingverdragen gerelateerde maatregelen ter voorkoming van grondslaguit Holling en winstverschuiving (IS/278/2017-2018 d.d. 12 januari 2018)</li> </ol>

CKAIR 04	May 9, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting (Closed-door)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Incoming documents</li> <li>2. Request opinion Parliament of Sint Maarten on Kingdom Law 34.873 (R2098) Wijziging van de rijkswet tot vaststelling van een zeegrens tussen Curaçao en Bonaire, en tussen Sint Maarten en Saba (IS/448/2017-2018 d.d. 6 april 2018)</li> <li>3. Preparation IPKO and Tripartite in the Hague, the Netherlands from May 29 – June 1, 2018</li> </ol>
CKAIR 05	May 18, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting (Closed-door)	Preparation IPKO and Tripartite in the Hague, the Netherlands from May 28 – June 1, 2018
CKAIR 06	June 13, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Debriefing IPKO and Tripartite May 2018 May- June, 2018 in the Hague, Netherlands

\* This meeting was adjourned and continued on another date(s).

\*\* This meeting was postponed to a different date than the date for which it was originally called and continued on another date(s).

## COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

No.	Meeting	Date	Type of Meeting	Agenda
CF 01		October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CF 02		January 23, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Discussion with the Bankers Association on additional measures that can be taken to mitigate the financial challenges being faced by business and individuals post hurricane Irma and Maria (IS/180/2017-2018 dated November 30, 2017)
CF 03		February 8, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting (closed door)	Discussion with the CFT concerning the financial situation of Sint Maarten (IS/306/2017-2018 dated January 31, 2018)

CF 04	February 8, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Discussion with the Sint Maarten Insurance Association (SMIA) about the process of payments to policy holders affected by hurricane Irma and Maria (IS/305/2017-2018 dated January 31, 2018)
CF 05	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CF 06	June 26, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting (closed door)	Discussion with the CFT concerning the financial situation of Sint Maarten (IS/646/2017-2018 dated June 4, 2018)

**COMMITTEE OF JUSTICE**

No.	Meeting	Date	Type of Meeting	Agenda
CJ 01		October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CJ 02		May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF EDUCATION, CULTURE, YOUTH AND SPORTS AFFAIRS**

No.	Meeting	Date	Type of Meeting	Agenda
CECYSA 01		October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CECYSA 02		May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF COUNTRY'S EXPENDITURES**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CLU 01	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CLU 02	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF PETITIONS**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CP 01	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CP 02	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**AD HOC COMMITTEE NEW PARLIAMENT BUILDING**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
AHCNPB 01	October 25, 2017	Ad Hoc Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
AHCNPB 02	May 15, 2018	Ad Hoc Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND LABOR**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CVSA 01	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CVSA 02	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC HOUSING, SPATIAL PLANNING, ENVIRONMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CVROMI 01	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CVROMI 02	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF TOURISM, ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, TRANSPORT AND TELECOMMUNICATION**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CTEATT 01	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CTEATT 02	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CTEATT 03	June 28, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Confirmation of list of incoming documents for the TEATT Committee: a. IS/464 (Algemene Rekenkamer), b. IS/719 (AUC)</li> <li>2. A presentation by the St. Maarten Tourism Authority Foundation regarding the set-up of this entity and its importance to the country</li> <li>3. A discussion among committee members as to what some of the priority areas for the committee should be; draft planning for parliament year 2018</li> <li>4. (IS/710/2017-2018 dated June 19, 2018)</li> </ol>

**AD HOC COMMITTEE OF INTEGRITY**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
BCI 01		October 25, 2017	Ad Hoc Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
BCI 02		May 15, 2018	Ad Hoc Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF GENERAL AFFAIRS**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CAZ 01		October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CAZ 02		May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee

**COMMITTEE OF PARLATINO MATTERS**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
CPM 01	October 25, 2017	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CPM 02	May 15, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	Appointment of a chairman and vice-chairman of the committee
CPM 03*	June 29, 2018	Permanent Committee Meeting	<p>1. List of incoming documents with proposals for handling. This list should include that all incoming documents for CPM be “tkn”, with the exception of:</p> <p>2. Agenda, minutes of the extraordinary meeting held on June 15 and 16 (IS/070)</p> <p>3. Draft model law on integration and sustainable energy complementation of the countries of Parlatino (IS/072)</p> <p>4. Draft model law for the care and protection of migrant women, girls, children and teenagers (IS/100, IS/119, IS/120 and IS/132)</p> <p>5. Draft Model Law for Early Childhood approved in the Gender, Children and Youth Equity Committee that will be approved at the meeting of the Board of Directors on November 23 (IS/130)</p> <p>6. Draft Model Laws that will be submitted to the Ordinary Assembly for consideration on November 24 of this year (IS/133)</p> <p>7. Report on the partial rendering of accounts of the Latin American and Caribbean Parliament that will be presented at the next meeting of the Board of Directors, to be held at the Permanent Headquarters in Panama City, on April 14 of this year</p>

(IS/653/2017-2018 dated June 7, 2018)

**PRESIDIUM**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Type of Meeting</b>
Pres 1	Presidium
Pres 2	Presidium
Pres 3	Presidium
Pres 4	Presidium
Pres 5	Presidium
Pres 6	Presidium
Pres 7	Presidium

**FACTION LEADERS MEETING**

<b>No. Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Type of meeting</b>
FLM 01	October 10, 2017	Faction leaders' meeting
FLM 02	April 12, 2018	Faction leaders' meeting
FLM 03	May 4, 2018	Faction leaders' meeting

# PARLIAMENT MEETINGS ATTENDANCE LIST

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	POV 1 12-Sep	OV 1 25-Sep	OV 1 28-Sep	OV 1 4-Oct	OV 1 24-Oct	OV 2 6-Oct	OV 2 12-Oct	OV 3 24-Oct	OV 4 23-Oct
Wescot-Williams**	Sarah A.	28	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani**	Sidharth M.	28	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Brison**	Rolando	2	67%	1	0									
Brownbill**	Chanel E.	26	93%	0	2	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Doran**	Egbert J.	2	67%	1	0									
Emmanuel**	Christophe T.	2	67%	1	0									
Heyliger**	Theodore E.	23	82%	2	3	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Irion**	Ardwell M.R.	24	86%	4	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Jacobs**	Silveria E.	3	100%	0	0									
Leonard* and ****	Tamara E.	23	92%	2	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P
Marlin**	William V.	1	33%	2	0									
Mercelina **	Luc F.E.	3	100%	0	0									
Meyers**	Franklin A.	23	82%	0	5	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Peterson***	Claude A.H.	0	0%	0	0									
Richardson**	Frans G.	17	61%	2	9	P	P	P	P	P	AN	ANN	P	P
Lee** and ***	Emil	2	100%	0	0									
Connor*	Claret M.M.	24	96%	1	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Geerlings*	Perry F.M.	24	96%	1	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Matser*	Silvio J.	13	52%	0	12	P	P	P	P	P	P	ANN	ANN	P
Pantophlet*	George C.	24	96%	1	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Pantophlet*	Romeo F.	14	56%	6	5	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN
Richardson*	Hyacinth L.	15	60%	3	7	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Samuel*	Rodolphe E.	23	92%	0	2	P	P	P	P	P	P	ANN	P	P
Smith** and ***	Wycliffe S.	2	100%											

Last Name	First Name	OV 5 26-Oct	OV 6 1-Nov	OV 6 2-Nov	OV 7 11-Dec	OV 7 5-Feb	OV 8 9-Nov	OV 8 10-Nov	OV 9 23-Nov	OV 10 30-Nov	OV 12 7-Dec	OV 13 13-Dec	OV 14 29-Dec	OV 15 25-Jan	OV 15 26-Jan	OV 16 15-Feb	OV 17 23-Mar	OV 19 7-May	OV 19 8-May	OV 20 3-Jul
Wescot-Williams**	Sarah A.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani**	Sidharth M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Brison**	Rolando																			AN
Brownbill**	Chanel E.	P	P	P	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P
Doran**	Egbert J.																		P	AN
Emmanuel**	Christophe T.																	P	P	AN
Heyliger**	Theodore E.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	AN	P	P
Irion**	Ardwell M.R.	P	AN	AN	AN	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Jacobs**	Silveria E.																	P	P	P
Leonard* and ****	Tamara E.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P
Marlin**	William V.																	P	AN	AN
Mercelina **	Luc F.E.																	P	P	P
Meyers**	Franklin A.	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	ANN	P	ANN	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P
Peterson***	Claude A.H.																			
Richardson**	Frans G.	P	P	P	P	ANN	ANN	P	ANN	P	AN	P	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	P	ANN	
Lee** and ***	Emil																	P	P	
Connor*	Claret M.M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Geerlings*	Perry F.M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P
Matser*	Silvio J.	P	P	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	ANN	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	P
Pantophlet*	George C.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Pantophlet*	Romeo F.	ANN	P	P	ANN	AN	ANN	P	AN	P	AN	P	AN	AN	AN	AN	P	P	P	P
Richardson*	Hyacinth L.	ANN	P	P	ANN	ANN	P	ANN	AN	P	P	AN	P	AN	AN	AN	AN	P	P	P
Samuel*	Rodolphe E.	P	P	P	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Smith** and ***	Wycliffe S.																P	P		

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# CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CC 01 4-Oct	CC 02 11-Oct	CC 02 7-Nov	CC 03 26-Oct	CC 03 26-Oct
Wescot-Williams**	Sarah A.	42	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani**	Sidharth M.	42	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P
Brison**	Rolando	15	88%	2	0					
Brownbill**	Chanel E.	38	90%	1	3	P	P	P	P	P
Doran**	Egbert J.	17	100%	0	0					
Emmanuel**	Christophe T.	11	65%	5	1					
Heyliger**	Theodore E.	30	71%	4	8	P	P	ANN	P	ANN
Irion**	Ardwell M.R.	35	83%	7	0	P	P	P	P	P
Leonard* and ****	Tamara E.	26	93%	2	0	P	AN	P	P	P
Jacobs**	Silveria E.	15	88%	2	0					
Marlin**	William V.	9	53%	3	5					
Mercelina **	Luc F.E.	11	65%	6	0					
Meyers**	Franklin A.	21	50%	7	14	P	ANN	P	ANN	ANN
Peterson****	Claude A.H.	0	0%							
Richardson**	Frans G.	22	53%	4	16	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	P

Lee** and ***	Emil	0	0%	0	15					
Connor*	Claret M.M.	22	88%	1	2	P	ANN	ANN	P	P
Geerlings*	Perry F.M.	22	88%	2	1	P	P	P	P	ANN
Matser*	Silvio J.	4	16%	0	21	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	P
Pantophlet*	George C.	23	92%	1	1	P	ANN	P	P	P
Pantophlet*	Romeo F.	9	36%	12	4	P	P	ANN	P	ANN
Richardson*	Hyacinth L.	14	56%	3	8	ANN	ANN	P	P	ANN
Samuel*	Rodolphe E.	22	88%	1	2	P	P	ANN	P	P
Smith** and ***	Wycliffe S.	16	100%	0	0					

Last Name	First Name	CC 04 27-Oct	CC 05 27-Oct	CC 06 7-Nov	CC 06 9-Nov	CC 07 6-Nov	CC 07 8-Nov	CC 08 20-Nov	CC 08 7-Dec	CC 10 28-Nov	CC 10 12-Dec	CC 11 5-Dec	CC 11 12-Dec	CC 13 6-Dec
Wescot-Williams**	Sarah A.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani**	Sidharth M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Brison**	Rolando													
Brownbill**	Chanel E.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Doran**	Egbert J.													
Emmanuel**	Christophe T.													
Heyliger**	Theodore E.	AN	P	AN	P	ANN	ANN	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P
Irion**	Ardwell M.R.	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P
Leonard* and ****	Tamara E.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Jacobs**	Silveria E.													
Marlin**	William V.													
Mercelina **	Luc F.E.													
Meyers**	Franklin A.	AN	AN	P	P	P	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	P	ANN	P
Peterson****	Claude A.H.													
Richardson**	Frans G.	P	P	P	ANN	P	ANN	ANN	AN	ANN	P	ANN	P	ANN

Lee** and ***	Emil													
Connor*	Claret M.M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Geerlings*	Perry F.M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Matser*	Silvio J.	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	ANN							
Pantophlet*	George C.	P	P		P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P
Pantophlet*	Romeo F.	AN	AN	AN	ANN	P	P	P	AN	AN	AN	AN	AN	AN
Richardson*	Hyacinth L.	AN	AN	P	ANN	P	ANN	P	ANN	P	P	P	AN	P
Samuel*	Rodolphe E.	P	AN	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Smith** and ***	Wycliffe S.													

Last Name	First Name	CC 14 8-Dec	CCC 15 27-Dec	CC 16 24-Jan	CC 17 11-Jun	CC 18 5-Feb	CC 19 7-Feb	CC 19 13-Jun	CC 19 19-Jun	CC 20 15-Feb	CC 21 19-Mar	CC 22 18-Apr	CC 23 25-Apr	CC 24 26-Apr
Wescot-Williams**	Sarah A.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani**	Sidharth M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Brison**	Rolando			P			P	P			P	P	P	P
Brownbill**	Chanel E.	P	P	P	P	ANN	ANN	P	P	P	AN	P	P	ANN
Doran**	Egbert J.			P			P	P	P		P	P	P	P
Emmanuel**	Christophe T.			P			P	P			P	AN	AN	
Heyliger**	Theodore E.	P	ANN	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	AN	P
Irion**	Ardwell M.R.	AN	P	P	AN	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P
Leonard* and ****	Tamara E.	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Jacobs**	Silveria E.			P			P	P			P	P	AN	
Marlin**	William V.				ANN			ANN	ANN			AN	AN	AN
Mercelina **	Luc F.E.			P			P	AN			P	AN	AN	
Meyers**	Franklin A.	P	ANN	P	AN	AN	ANN	P	P	ANN	P	P	P	P
Peterson****	Claude A.H.													
Richardson**	Frans G.	P	P	ANN	P	ANN	P	P	AN	ANN	ANN	P	P	P
Lee** and ***	Emil			ANN			ANN	ANN	ANN		ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN
Connor*	Claret M.M.	P	AN	P		P	P			P	P			
Geelrings*	Perry F.M.	P	AN	P		P	P			P	AN			
Matser*	Silvio J.	ANN	ANN	ANN		ANN	ANN			ANN	ANN			
Pantophlet*	George C.	P	P	P		P	P			P	P			
Pantophlet*	Romeo F.	AN	P	P		AN	AN			P	ANN			
Richardson*	Hyacinth L.	P	P	ANN		P	P			ANN	P			
Samuel*	Rodolphe E.	P	P	P		P	P			P	P			
Smith** and ***	Wycliffe S.			P			P	P			P	P	P	
Last Name	First Name	CC 24 2-May	CC 24 3-May	CC 24 4-May	CC 25 9-May	CC 26 15-May	CC 26 14-Jun	CC 27 14-Jun	CC 28 7-Jun	CC 29 19-Jun	CC 30 21-Jun	CC 30 21-Jun	CC 31 27-Jun	
Wescot-Williams**	Sarah A.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani**	Sidharth M.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Brison**	Rolando	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P
Brownbill**	Chanel E.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Doran**	Egbert J.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Emmanuel**	Christophe T.	AN	AN	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	AN
Heyliger**	Theodore E.	P	P	ANN	P	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Irion**	Ardwell M.R.	P	P	P	P	P	AN	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P
Leonard* and ****	Tamara E.			P										
Jacobs**	Silveria E.	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Marlin**	William V.	P	P	ANN	ANN	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Mercelina **	Luc F.E.	P	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	AN	AN	P	P	P
Meyers**	Franklin A.	ANN	AN	AN	ANN	ANN	P	P	AN	P	P	P	P	P
Peterson****	Claude A.H.													
Richardson**	Frans G.	ANN	P	P	ANN	ANN	P	P	P	P	AN	AN	P	
Lee** and ***	Emil		ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN	ANN
Connor*	Claret M.M.													
Geelrings*	Perry F.M.													
Matser*	Silvio J.													
Pantophlet*	George C.													
Pantophlet*	Romeo F.													
Richardson*	Hyacinth L.													
Samuel*	Rodolphe E.													
Smith** and ***	Wycliffe S.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	

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## COMMITTEE OF JUSTICE

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CJ 01 25-Oct	CJ 02 15-May
Brownbill	Chanel E.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Doran	Egbert J.	1	100%	0	0		P
Emmanuel	Christophe T.	1	100%	0	0		P
Marlin	William V.	1	100%	0	0		P
Meyers	Franklin A.	1	50%	0	1	ANN	P
Richardson	Frans G.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.	2	100%	0	0	P	P

Connor	Claret M.M.	0	0%	0	1	ANN
Geerlings	Perry F.M.	1	100%	0	0	P
Leonard	Tamara E.	0	0%	0	1	ANN
Pantophlet	George C.	1	100%	0	0	P
Samuel	Rodolphe E.	1	100%	0	0	P
Smith	Wycliffe S.	1	100%	0	0	P
Pantophlet	Romeo F.					P
Richardson	Hyacinth L.					P
Irion	Ardwell M.R.					P
Bijlani	Sidharth M.					P
Matser	Silvio J.					P

## COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC HOUSING, SPATIAL PLANNING, ENVIRONMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CVROMI 01 25-Oct	CVROMI 02 15-May
Brownbill	Chanel E.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Doran	Egbert J.	1	100%	0	0		P
Emmanuel	Christophe T.	1	100%	0	0		P
Heyliger	Theodore E.	0	0%	0	2	ANN	ANN
Irion	Ardwell M.R.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Jacobs	Silveria E.	1	100%	0	0		P
Marlin	William V.	1	100%	0	0		P
Mercelina	Luc F.E.	1	100%	0	0		P

Geerlings	Perry F.M.	1	100%	0	0	P
Matser	Silvio J.	1	100%	0	0	P
Pantophlet	George C.	1	100%	0	0	P
Pantophlet	Romeo F.	1	100%	0	0	P
Richardson	Hyacinth L.	1	100%	0	0	P
Richardson	Frans G.	1	100%	0	0	P
Samuel	Rodolphe E.	1	100%	0	0	P
Smith	Wycliffe S.	1	100%	0	0	P
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.					P
Bijlani	Sidharth M.					P
Meyers	Franklin A.					P

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## COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CF 01 25-Oct	CF 02 23-Jan	CF 03 8-Feb	CF 04 8-Feb	CF 05 15-May	CF 06 26-Jun
<b>Brison</b>	<b>Rolando</b>	2	100%	0	0					P	P
<b>Brownbill</b>	<b>Chanel E.</b>	5	83%	0	1	P	P	P	P	P	ANN
<b>Doran</b>	<b>Egbert J.</b>	2	100%	0	0					P	P
<b>Heyliger</b>	<b>Theodore E.</b>	3	50%	0	3	ANN	ANN	P	P	ANN	P
<b>Irion</b>	<b>Ardwell M.R.</b>	6	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P	P
<b>Richardson</b>	<b>Frans G.</b>	3	50%	0	3	P	ANN	ANN	ANN	P	P
<b>Wescot-Williams</b>	<b>Sarah A.</b>	6	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P	P

<b>Geerlings</b>	<b>Perry F.M.</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>		
<b>Matser</b>	<b>Silvio J.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>ANN</b>	<b>ANN</b>	<b>ANN</b>		
<b>Pantophlet</b>	<b>George C.</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>		
<b>Pantophlet</b>	<b>Romeo F.</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>ANN</b>	<b>AN</b>		
<b>Samuel</b>	<b>Rodolphe E.</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>P</b>		
Bijlani	Sidharth M.					P	P	P	P	P	P
Leonard	Tamara E.					P	P	P	P		
Connor	Claret M.M.					P	P	P	P		
Richardson	Hyacinth L.					P					
Meyers	Franklin A.						P		P		
Marlin	William V.								P	P	
Jacobs	Silveria E.									P	
Smith	Wycliffe S.								P		
Emmanuel	Christophe T.									P	

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## COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND LABOR

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CVSA 01 25-Oct	CVSA 02 15-May
Bijlani	Sidharth M.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Brison	Rolando	1	100%	0	0		P
Doran	Egbert J.	1	100%	0	0		P
Marlin	William V.	1	100%	0	0		P
Meyers	Franklin A.	1	50%	1	0	ANN	P
Mercelina	Luc F.E.	1	100%	0	0		P
Richardson	Frans G.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Wescot Williams	Sarah A.	2	100%	0	0	P	P
Geerlings	Perry F.M.	1	100%	0	0	P	
Irion	Ardwell M.R.	1	100%	0	0	P	
Leonard	Tamara E.	0	0%	0	1	ANN	
Pantophlet	George C.	1	100%	0	0	P	
Pantophlet	Romeo F.	1	100%	0	0	P	
Richardson	Hyacinth L.	1	100%	0	0	P	
Samuel	Rodolphe E.	1	100%	0	0	P	
Brownbill	Chanel E.	1	100%	0	0	P	

## COMMITTEE OF KINGDOM AFFAIRS AND INTERPARLIAMENTARY RELATIONS

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CKIAR 01									
						25-Oct	12-Dec	12-Dec	23-Jan	8-Feb	9-May	9-May	CKIAR 04	CKIAR 05	CKIAR 06
Rolando	Brison	3	75%	0	1						P	ANN	P	P	
Heyliger	Theodore E.	3	75%	0	1		P	P		P	P	P	ANN	P	P
Jacobs	Silveria E.	4	100%	0	0						P	P	P	P	P
Geerlings	Perry F.M.	4	80%	1	0	P	P	P	P	AN					
Meyers	Franklin A.	0	0%	0	1	ANN									
Richardson	Frans G.	3	60%	0	2	P	P	P	ANN	ANN					
Samuel	Rodolphe E.	4	80%	0	2	P	P	P	P	ANN					
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.	1	100%	0	0	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Leonard	Tamara E.	3	75%	0	1	ANN	P	P	P	P					
Smith	Wycliffe S.	4	100%	0	0						P	P	P	P	P
Bijlani	Sidharth M.					P	P	P	P						P
Brownbill	Chanel E.					P	P	P							
Irion	Ardwell M.R.					P									P
Connor	Claret M.M.						P	P	P						
Emmanuel	Christophe T.														P

## COMMITTEE OF PETITIONS

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CP 01 25-Oct	CP 02 15-May
Bijlani	Sidharth M.	1	100%	0	0		P
Emmanuel	Christophe T.	1	100%	0	0		P
Wescot -Williams	Sarah A.	2	100%	0	0	P	P

Geerlings	Perry F.M.	1	100%	0	0	P
Leonard	Tamara E.	0	0%	0	1	ANN
Samuel	Rodolphe E.	1	100%	0	0	P
Irion	Ardwell M.R.					P
Brownbill	Chanel E.					P

## COMMITTEE OF COUNTRY'S EXPENDITURES

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CLU 01 25-Oct	CLU 02 15-May	CLU 02 26-Jun
Brison	Rolando	2	100%	0	0		P	P
Brownbill	Chanel E.	2	66%	0	1	P	P	ANN
Irion	Ardwell M.R.	3	100%	0	0	P	P	P
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.	3	100%	0	0	P	P	P

Bijlani	Sidharth M.	1	100%	0	0	P	P	P
Geerlings	Perry F.M.	1	100%	0	0	P		
Pantophlet	George C.	1	100%	0	0	P		
Richardson	Frans G.	1	100%	0	0	P		
Samuel	Rodolphe E.	1	100%	0	0	P		
Smith	Wycliffe S.					P		
Meyers	Franklin A.					P		
Doran	Egbert J.					P	P	
Heyliger	Theodore E.					P		
Mercelina	Luc F.E.					P		

## COMMITTEE FOR PARLATINO MATTER

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CPM 01 25-Oct	CPM 02 15-May
Bijlani	Sidharth M.	1	100%	0	0	P	P
Brison	Rolando	1	100%	0	0		P
Brownbill	Chanel E.	1	100%	0	0	P	P
Emmanuel	Christophe T.	1	100%	0	0		P
Meyers	Franklin A.	1	50%	0	0	ANN	P
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.	2	100%	0	0	P	P

<i>Geerlings</i>	<i>Perry F.M.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>
<i>Richardson</i>	<i>Frans G.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>
<i>Samuel</i>	<i>Rodolphe E.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>
<i>Pantophlet</i>	<i>George C.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>

## AD HOC COMMITTEE INTEGRITY

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	AHCI 01 25-Oct	AHCI 02 15-May
Bijlani	Sidharth M.	1	100%	0	0	P	P
Brownbill	Chanel E.	1	100%	0	0	P	P
Jacobs	Silveria E.	1	100%	0	0		P
Marlin	William V.	1	100%	0	0		P
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.	2	100%	0	0	P	P

<i>Geerlings</i>	<i>Perry F.M.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>	
<i>Meyers</i>	<i>Franklin A.</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>ANN</i>	
<i>Richardson</i>	<i>Frans G.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>	
<i>Samuel</i>	<i>Rodolphe E.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>	
<i>Smith</i>	<i>Wycliffe S.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>100%</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>P</i>	
Pantophlet	George C.					P	
Irion	Ardwell M.R.					P	

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## COMMITTEE OF GENERAL AFFAIRS

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	CAZ 01 25-Oct	CAZ 02 15-May
<b>Brison</b>	<b>Rolando</b>	1	100%	0	0	P	
<b>Jacobs</b>	<b>Silveria E.</b>	1	100%	0	0	P	
<b>Marlin</b>	<b>William V.</b>	1	100%	0	0	P	
<b>Wescot-Williams</b>	<b>Sarah A.</b>	1	100%	0	0	P	P
 <b>Geerlings</b>	<b>Perry F.M.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
<b>Leonard</b>	<b>Tamara E.</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>ANN</b>	
<b>Pantophlet</b>	<b>Romeo F.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
<b>Samuel</b>	<b>Rodolphe E.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
Bijlani	Sidhardt M.					P	P
Pantophlet	George C.					P	
Irion	Ardwell M.R.					P	
Brownbill	Chanel E.					P	
Richardson	Hyacinth L.					P	
Richardson	Frans G.					P	

## AD HOC COMMITTEE NEW PARLIAMENT BUILDING

Last Name	First Name	Present	Present %	Absent with notice	Absent no notice	AHCNPB 01 25-Oct	AHCNPB 02 15-May
<b>Brownbill</b>	<b>Chanel E.</b>	2	100%	0	0	P	P
<b>Doran</b>	<b>Egbert J.</b>	1	100%	0	0	P	
<b>Heyliger</b>	<b>Theodore E.</b>	0	0%	0	1		ANN
<b>Marlin</b>	<b>William V.</b>	1	100%	0	0		P
 <b>Connor</b>	<b>Claret M.M.</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>ANN</b>	
<b>Geerlings</b>	<b>Perry F.M.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
<b>Matser</b>	<b>Silvio J.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
<b>Pantophlet</b>	<b>George C.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
<b>Richardson</b>	<b>Frans G.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
<b>Samuel</b>	<b>Rodolphe E.</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P</b>	
Irion	Ardwell M.R.		100%	0	0	P	
Bijlani	Sidhardt M.		100%	0	0	P	
Wescot-Williams	Sarah A.		100%	0	0	P	

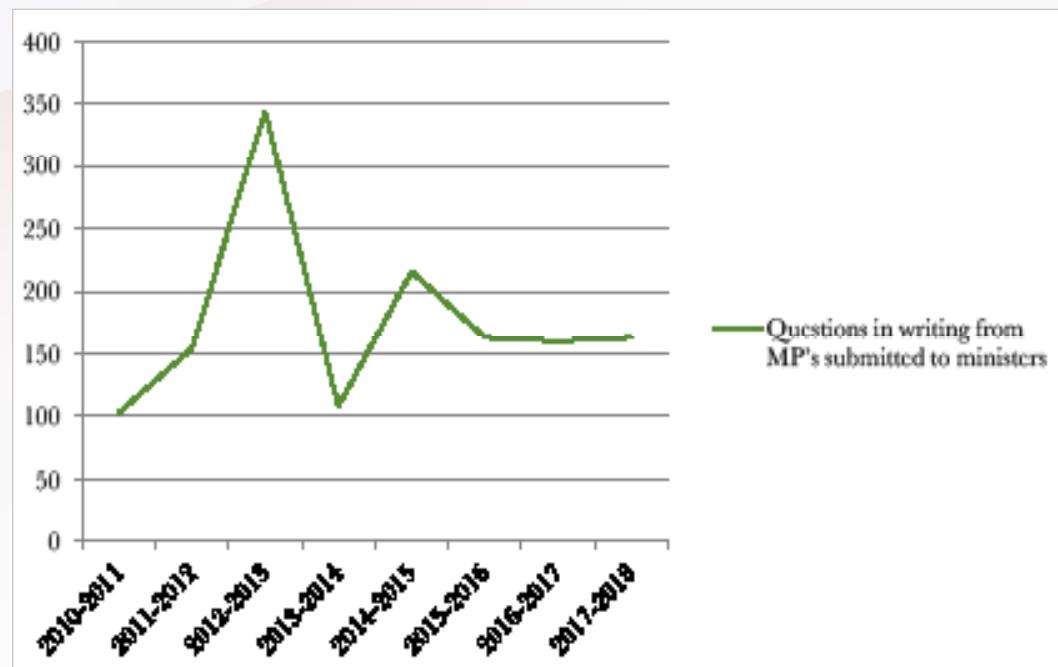
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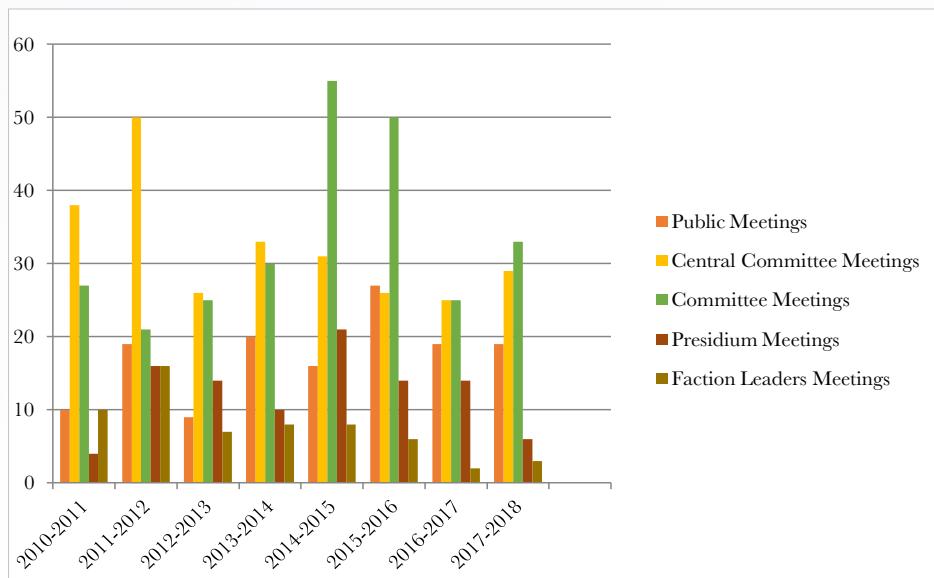
# FACTS and FIGURES

## Questions in writing from MP's submitted to ministers during the period 2010-2018

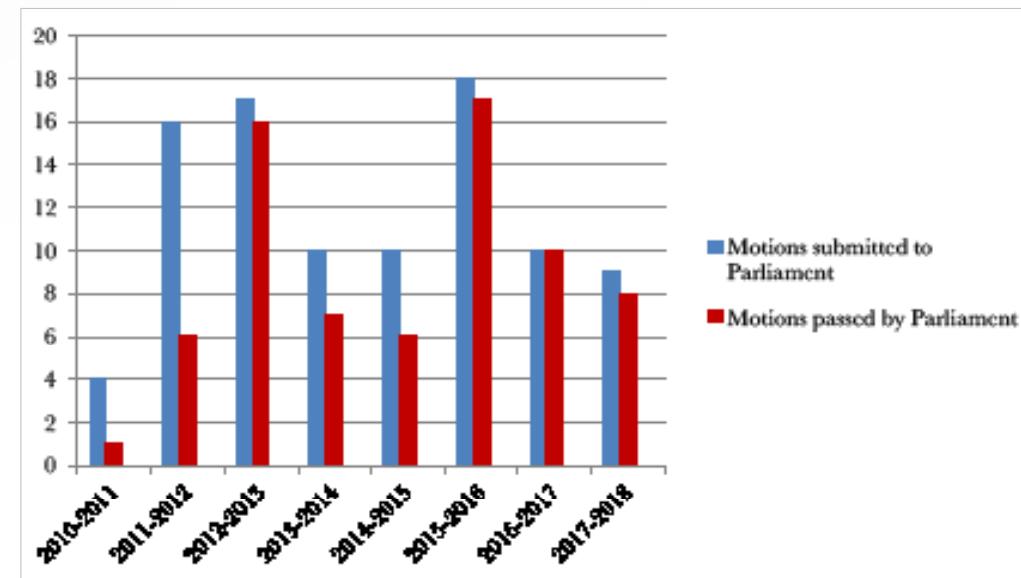


Parliamentary Year	Questions in writing from MP's submitted to ministers
2010-2011	103
2011-2012	154
2012-2013	344 <sup>1</sup>
2013-2014	108
2014-2015	216 <sup>2</sup>
2015-2016	163
2016-2017	160
2017-2018	163

## Meetings of Parliament held during the period 2010-2018



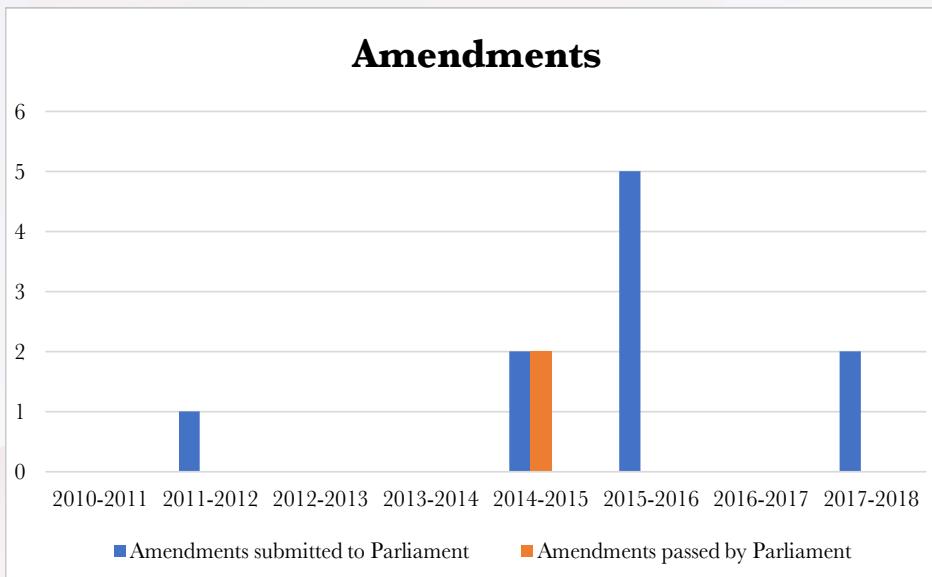
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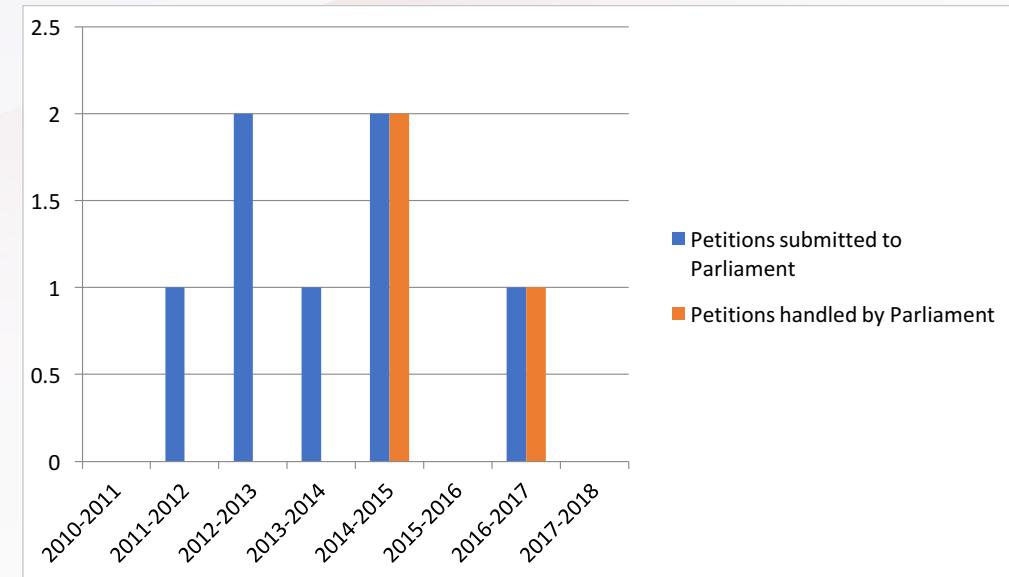
Parliamentary Year	Public Meetings	Central Committee Meetings	Committee Meetings	Presidium Meetings	Faction Leaders Meetings
2010-2011	10	38	27	4	10
2011-2012	19	50	21	16	16
2012-2013	9	26	25	14	7
2013-2014	20	33	30	10	8
2014-2015	16	31	55	21	8
2015-2016	27	26	50	14	6
2016-2017	19	25	25	14	2
2017-2018	19	29	33	7	3

Parliamentary Year	Motions submitted to Parliament	Motions passed by Parliament
2010-2011	4	1
2011-2012	16	6
2012-2013	17	16
2013-2014	11	8
2014-2015	10	6
2015-2016	18	17
2016-2017	10	10
2017-2018	9	8

**Amendments submitted to and passed  
by Parliament during 2010-2018**



**Petitions\* submitted to and handled  
by Parliament during 2010-2018**



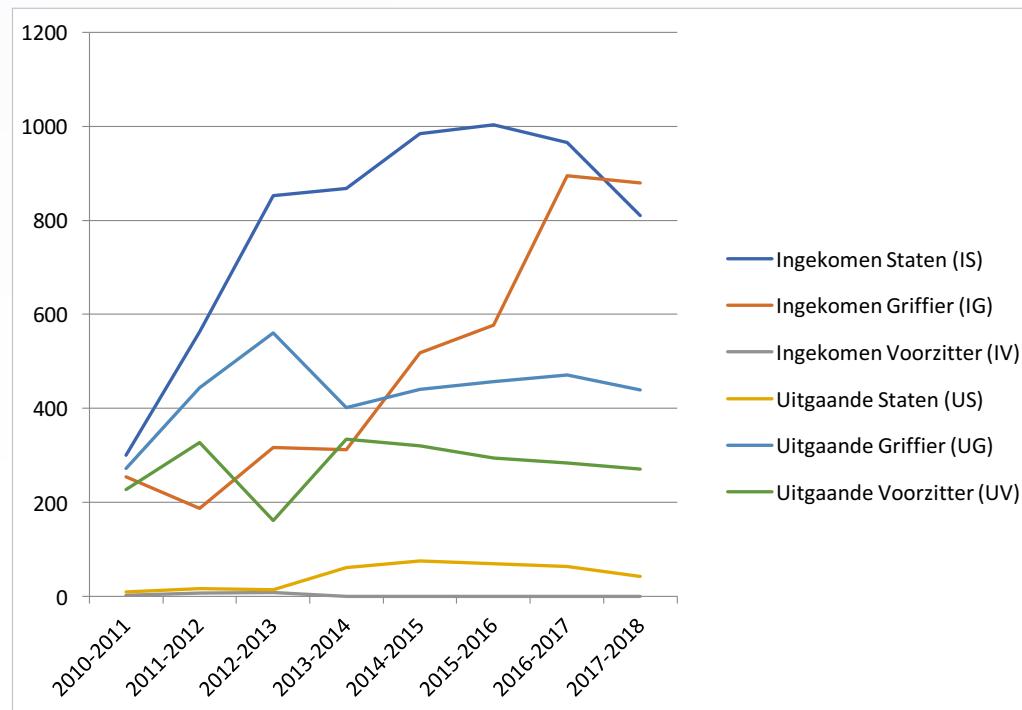
Parliamentary Year	Amendments submitted to Parliament	Amendments passed by Parliament
2010-2011	0	0
2011-2012	1*	0
2012-2013	0	0
2013-2014	0	0
2014-2015	2	2
2015-2016	5*	0
2016-2017	0	0
2017-2018	2	0

\*These amendments were retracted afterwards therefore Parliament never voted on them.

Parliamentary Year	Petitions submitted to Parliament	Petitions handled by Parliament
2010-2011	0	0
2011-2012	1	0
2012-2013	2	0
2013-2014	1	0
2014-2015	2	2
2015-2016	0	0
2016-2017	1	1
2017-2018	0	0

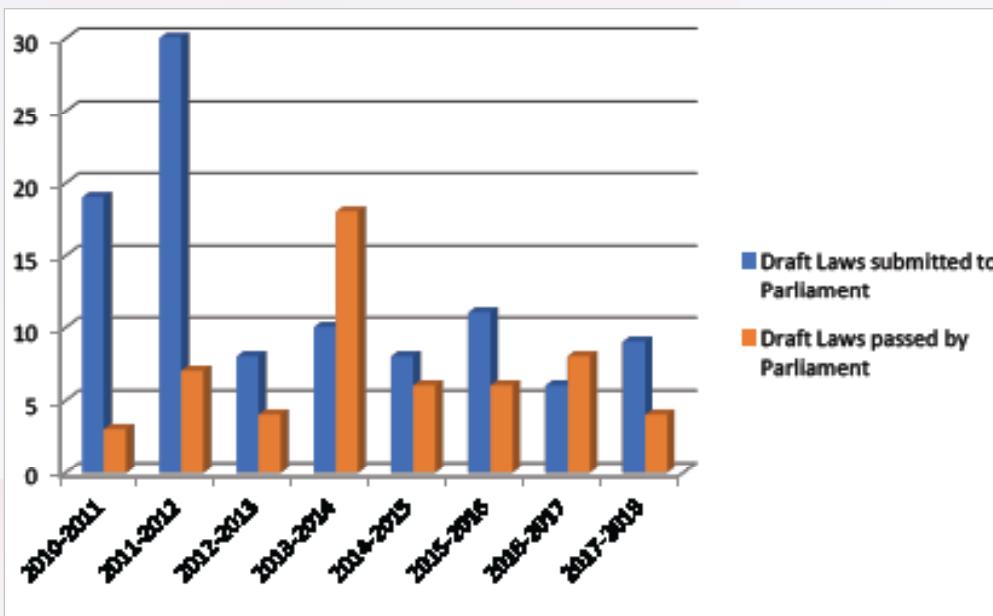
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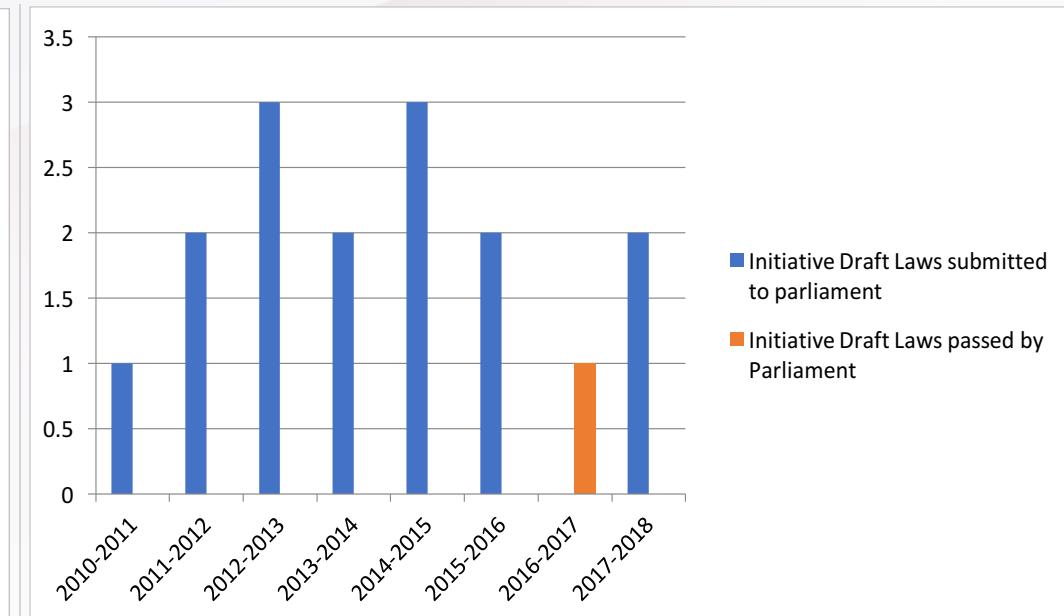


Parliamentary Year	Ingekomen Staten (IS)	Ingekomen Voorzitter (IV)	Ingekomen Griffier (IG)	Uitgaande Staten (US)	Uitgaande Voorzitter (UV)	Uitgaande Griffier (UG)
2010-2011	300	3	254	10	227	272
2011-2012	563	7	188	17	327	444
2012-2013	852	9	317	15	162	560
2013-2014	868	0	312	61	334	402
2014-2015	984	0	518	76	320	441
2015-2016	1003	0	577	70	295	457
2016-2017	966	0	895	64	284	471
2017-2018	810	0	879	43	271	439

### Draft Laws submitted to and passed by Parliament during the period 2010-2018



### Initiative Draft Laws submitted to and passed by Parliament during the period the 2010-2018



Parliamentary Year	Draft Laws submitted to Parliament	Draft Laws passed by Parliament
2010-2011	19	3
2011-2012	30	7
2012-2013	8	4
2013-2014	10	18
2014-2015	8	6
2015-2016	11	6
2016-2017	6	8
2017-2018	9	4

Parliamentary Year	Initiative Draft Laws submitted to Parliament	Initiative Draft Laws passed by Parliament
2010-2011	1	0
2011-2012	2	0
2012-2013	3	0
2013-2014	2	0
2014-2015	3	0
2015-2016	2	0
2016-2017	0	1
2017-2018	2	0

# VOTING RECORDS MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT

## PARLIAMENTARY YEAR 2017-2018

The voting records below reflect how Members of Parliament voted on national ordinances, motions, amendments to national ordinances and other documents (for example Decision lists, Advices etc.) throughout this Parliamentary Year. This overview also reflects whether or not the item was accepted or rejected, what the voting ratio was and on what date the decision was taken.

### VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT SIDHARTH M. BIJLANI

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
4.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

1. Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)
  
2. Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring:
  - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren;
  - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg;
  - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU;
  - enz. (nr. 1)
  
3. Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)

### Motions

Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)

Motion pertaining to the declaration:

- that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour;
- that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly;
- that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;
- etc. (no. 1)

Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)

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Accepted  
(F:9, A:0)

OV 3 (urgent)  
(October 24, 2017)

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Accepted  
unanimously

OV 1  
(October 24, 2017)

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Accepted  
(F:8, A:0)

OV 6  
(November 2, 2017)

4.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
5.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
6.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
8.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

	<b>Others</b>			
1. Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2. Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3. Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4. Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5. Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6. Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7. Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
8. Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)

9.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
10.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
11.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
12.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 17 (March 23, 2018)
13.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
14.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
15.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ROLANDO BRISON

### National ordinances

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)		X	Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
<b>Others</b>						
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT CHANEL E. BROWNBILL

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
4.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

	<b>Motions</b>			
1. Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration:  - that Government will post haste propose a framework law to formalize the structure and profile of community and district councils, making these organizations a mandatory part of the social development plans; - that a review of the disaster management structure in all its facets will take place; - that Government will open and strengthen the lines of communication with the Kingdom Government to ensure that no delay or loss of aid results from a lack of communication and to that end presents a formal aid request to the Kingdom Government; - that a (new) formal dialogue structure with the business sector on St. Maarten will be established. that Government will enlist assistance of the UN Population Division to address the population shifts experienced in the aftermath of hurricane Irma, making use of the social mapping which has already been developed on and for St. Maarten;	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
3.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
5.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

6	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 1)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
		<b>Amendments</b>			
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)

3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6.	Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
8.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
9.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
10.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)

11.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 17 (March 23, 2018)
12.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
13.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
14.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT EGBERT J. DORAN

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)		X	Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
			<b>Amendments</b>			
			<b>Others</b>			
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT CHRISTOPHE T. EMMANUEL

### National ordinances

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)		X	Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT THEODORE E. HEYLIGER

<b>National ordinances</b>					
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X	Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>					
1.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration:  - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU; - etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	sdfwefq Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
3.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	- that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly;	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	- that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
5.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	- etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

6.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
<b>Amendments</b>					
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)

4.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
5.	Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
6.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
8.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
9.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 17 (March 23, 2018)
10.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

11.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
12.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ARDWELL M.R. IRION

### National ordinances

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)		X	Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)		X	Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)		X	Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
4.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)		X	Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

<b>Motions</b>				
1. Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)
2. Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3. Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

4.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
5.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
<b>Amendments</b>					
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 nr. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)

4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
8.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
9.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
10.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)

11.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
12.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
13.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemeedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT SILVERIA E. JACOBS****National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)		X	Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
		<b>Others</b>				
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT TAMARA E. LEONARD**

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
1.	Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)

5.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
6.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijd de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (nr. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
8.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

	<b>Amendments</b>				
	<b>Others</b>				
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6.	Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)

8.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
9.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
10.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
11.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
12.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 17 (March 23, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT WILLIAM V. MARLIN**

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
<b>Others</b>						
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT LUC F.E. MERCELINA****National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
		<b>Others</b>				
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FRANKLIN A. MEYERS****National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
1.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	<b>Motions</b>  Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
3.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
5.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimous	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

6.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimous	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
<b>Amendments</b>					
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)

4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
6.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
8.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
9.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
10.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 17 (March 23, 2018)
11.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

12.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
13.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT CLAUDE A.H. PETERSON

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
		<b>Motions</b>				
		<b>Amendments</b>				
		<b>Others</b>				

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FRANS G. RICHARDSON**  
**National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)		X	Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
<b>Motions</b>						
1.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)		X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)

3.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
4.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
<b>Amendments</b>					
<b>Others</b>					
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)

3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
6.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
7.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
8.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemeedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT SARAH A. WESCOT-WILLIAMS****National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
4.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

<b>Motions</b>				
1.	Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:9, A:0) OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)
2.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted unanimously OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0) OV 6 (urgent) (November 2, 2017)

4.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (urgent) (November 2, 2017)
5.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (urgent) (November 2, 2017)
6.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

8.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
<b>Amendments</b>					
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6.	Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)

7.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
8.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
9.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
10.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS /332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
11.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
12.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 nr. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 17 (March 23, 2018)
13.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

14.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
15.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT CLARET M.M. CONNOR****National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
		<b>Motions</b>				
1.	Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)

5.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
6.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimous	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimous	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
8.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

## Amendments

### Others

1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
5.	Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
6.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)

8.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
9.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
10.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT PERRY F.M. GEERLINGS

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
1.	Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Motie om te compromitteren aan de principes van integriteit, transparantie en goed bestuur etc. en om de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer inclusief de zaken aangekaart in de brief van de Nederlandse minister van Koninkrijkszaken van 13 oktober 2017 en om de Minister van Justitie van St. Maarten om een overeenkomst te onderhandelen met zijn Nederlandse counterpart om samenwerking te realiseren zoals aanbevolen in dezelfde brief etc. (nr. 1)	Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie om geen bezwaar te uiten tegen de ontwerplandsverordening Integriteitskamer met de wijzigingen zoals aanbevolen door de Nederlandse regering in haar brief aan de regering van St. Maarten van de 13 <sup>de</sup> en voorgelegd aan de Minister-president op dinsdag 31 oktober (nr. 2)	Motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13 <sup>th</sup> and presented in draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> (no. 2)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)

5.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
6.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimous	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
7.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijd de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (nr. 1)	X	Accepted unanimous	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
8.	Motie om de heer William Marlin onmiddellijk te ontheffen van zijn taken als Minister President en Minister van Algemene Zaken (nr. 3)	Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:1)	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

## Amendments

<b>Others</b>				
1. Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2. Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3. Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4. Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5. Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6. Wijziging van artikel 69 en toevoeging van enkele nieuwe artikelen aan het Reglement van Orde	Amendment of article 69 and addition several new articles to the Rules of Order	X	Accepted (F:8, A:0)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7. Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)

8.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
9.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
10.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
11.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT EMIL LEE

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
<b>Others</b>						
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT SILVIO J. MATSER

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	<p><b>Motions</b></p> <p>Motion pertaining to the declaration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour;</li> <li>- that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly;</li> <li>- that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;</li> </ul>	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
1.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	<p><b>Amendments</b></p> <p><b>Others</b></p> <p>Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round</p>	X		Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT GEORGE C. PANTOPHLET

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)		X	Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
1.	Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
4.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
5.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijd de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

## Amendments

<b>Others</b>				
1. Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2. Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
3. Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4. Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5. Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
6. Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
7. Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)

8.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
9.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ROMEO F. PANTOPHLET****National ordinances**

No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
1.	Motie met betrekking tot het onthouden van de Staten tot bijwonen of reizen naar de Parlatino vergaderingen met ingang van 24 oktober 2017 voor tenminste een jaar met uitzondering van het bijwonen van de Algemene Vergadering (nr. 2)	<b>Motions</b>  Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or travelling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017 with the exception of attending the General Assembly (no. 2)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 3 (urgent) (October 24, 2017)
2.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration:  - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
3.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)

	<b>Amendments</b>				
1.	<b>Others</b> Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)	
2.	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)	
3.	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)	
4.	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS/332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)	
5.	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)	

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT HYACINTH L. RICHARDSON

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
<b>Motions</b>						
1.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;- that a (new) formal dialogue structure with the business sector on St. Maarten will be established.(no. 1)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)

	<b>Amendments</b>			
	<b>Others</b>	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously
3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously
4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)
5.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously

## VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT DRS. RODOLPHE E. SAMUEL

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)	National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:3)	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
2.	Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)	National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)	X		Accepted (F:10, A:0)	OV 14 (December 29, 2017)
3.	Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening bestuurlijke handhaving) (Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)	National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement) (Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)	X		Accepted (F:9, A:0)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
1.	Motie met betrekking tot de verklaring: - dat de regering en de Staten onmiddellijk een wekelijks vragenuur zullen activeren; - de overheid zal regelmatig overleg plegen met Frans St. Martin en de Staten regelmatig informeren over dit overleg; - dat de regering, in overleg met Franse St. Martin, met spoed zal werken aan de opruiming van de Simpsonbay-lagune gebruikmakend van het voorstel dat deel uitmaakt van het operationele programma van de EU; - enz. (nr. 1)	Motion pertaining to the declaration: - that Government and Parliament would activate immediately a weekly question hour; - that Government shall institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly; - that the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleanup of the Simpsonbay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 1 (October 24, 2017)

2.	Motie dat uiting geeft dat er geen vertrouwen is in de volgende ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (nr. 3)	Motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson (no. 3)	X	Accepted (F:8, A:6)	OV 6 (November 2, 2017)
3.	Motie van afkeuring ten aanzien van het besluit van de regering (Landsbesluit Nr. LB-17/0575) om de Staten te ontbinden en vroege verkiezingen te houden (nr. 1)	Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections (no. 1)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)

4.	Motie betreffende een instructie aan de regering c.q. aan de Minister van Algemene Zaken om onverwijld de Gevolmachtigde Minister opdracht te geven het landsbesluit tot ontbinding van de Staten van 3 november 2017 (LB-17/0575) op de agenda van de volgende vergadering van de Koninkrijksministerraad in te voeren en de vernietiging te bevorderen op basis van artikel 22 van het Reglement voor de Gouverneur van Sint Maarten (de zogenaamde “spontane vernietiging”) (nr. 2)	Motion regarding an instruction to the Government c.q. to the Minister of General Affairs to instruct without any delay the Minister Plenipotentiary to introduce the decree of dissolution of Parliament dated November 3, 2017 (LB-17/0575) to the agenda of the next meeting of the Kingdom Council of Ministers and to promote its nullification on the basis of section 22 of the Regulations for the Governor of Sint Maarten (the so-called “spontaneous nullification”) (no. 2)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 8 (November 10, 2017)
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### Amendments

1.	Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2016-2017 no. 18 en 19 en Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. POV 1 en no. 2	Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2016-2017 no. 18 and 19 and Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. POV 1 and no. 2	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)

3.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 3 (October 24, 2017)
4.	Voorstel om 10 minuten toe te voegen aan de spreektijd in de eerste en tweede rond	Proposal to add 10 minutes to the speaking time in the first and second round	X	Accepted (F:6, A:6)	OV 10 (November 30, 2017)
5.	Advies inzake wijzigingen in de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding changes to the composition of certain Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 12 (December 7, 2017)
6.	Goedkeuring Besluitenlijsten Openbare Vergaderingen Zittingsjaar 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 en 9	Approval Decision Lists Public Meetings Parliamentary Year 2017-2018 no. 1, 3, 4, 6 and 9	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 13 (December 13, 2017)
7.	Advies inzake de instelling van een Bijzondere Commissie Wederopbouw	Advice installation Ad Hoc Committee Reconstruction	X	Rejected (F:3, A:6)	OV 15 (January 25, 2018)
8.	Advies inzake verzoek aan de Raad van Advies met betrekking tot de verkiezing op 26 februari 2018	Advice request advice Council of Advice on election February 26, 2018	X	Accepted (F:6, A:3)	OV 15 (January 26, 2018)
9.	Advies over ministeriële regeling die de minister van Financiën machtigt om de liquiditeitsleningsovereenkomst voor 2017 te ondertekenen (IS /332/2017-2018 van 13 februari 2018)	Advice about Ministerial regulation authorizing the Minister of Finance to sign off the liquidity loan agreement for 2017 (IS /332/2017-2018 dated February 13, 2018)	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)
10.	Advies inzake voorstel tot intrekking van 5 initiatieflandsverordeningen van leden van de Staten van de voormalige Nederlandse Antillen	Advice containing proposal to retract 5 initiative national ordinances from Members of the Parliament of the former Netherlands Antilles	X	Accepted unanimously	OV 16 (February 15, 2018)

**VOTING RECORD MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT WYCLIFFE S. SMITH**

<b>National ordinances</b>						
No.	Name (Dutch)	Name (English)	For	Against	Decision	Remarks
1.	Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)	National Ordinance stipulating the Budget for Country Sint Maarten for the service year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)	X		Accepted (F:8, A:5)	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
<b>Motions</b>						
<b>Amendments</b>						
<b>Others</b>						
1.	Advies inzake de samenstelling van bepaalde Vaste en Bijzondere Commissies van de Staten	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Permanent and Ad hoc Committees of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
2.	Advies inzake samenstelling Commissies Parlatino	Advice regarding the installation and composition of the Committees of the Latin American Parliament (Parlatino)	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)
3.	Advies inzake de Regeling Fractiemedewerkers van de Staten	Advice concerning Regulation for faction workers of Parliament	X		Accepted unanimously	OV 19 (May 7, 2018)

# DRAFT LAWS SUBMITTED TO PARLIAMENT

1. Landsverordening tot instelling van de Integriteitskamer, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling,taken en bevoegdheden van de Integriteitskamer (Landsverordening Integriteitskamer) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-104)

*Draft National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)*

2. Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)

*Draft National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the ordinary service (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-105)*

3. Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Algemene landsverordening landsbelasting en in verband met internationale verplichtingen (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-106)

*National Ordinance to amend the General National Ordinance Land Taxes in connection with international obligations (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-106)*

4. Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)

*National Ordinance stipulating the Budget of the Country for the year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018) (IS/480/2017-2018 dated 21 April, 2018)  
(Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)*

5. Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigenen van de Kapitaaldienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-108)

*National Ordinance amending the National Ordinance 2017 budget in connection with changes to the Capital Service (Parliamentary Year 2016-2017-108)*

6. Landsverordening houdende regels voor het verlenen van studiefinanciering (Landsverordening studiefinanciering) (Zittinajar 2017-2018-109)

*National Ordinance containing rules for granting study finance (National Ordinance Study Finance) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-109)*

7. Initiatieflandsverordening tot wijziging van de Kiesverordening (AB 2010, no.GT10) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-110)

*Initiative National Ordinance amending the Electoral Ordinance (AB 2010, no. GT 10) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-110)*

8. Initiatieflandsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening registratie en financien politieke partijn (AB 2010, no.GT 11) en de Kiesverordening (AB2010, no. GT 11) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-111)

*Initiative National Ordinance amending the National Ordinance registration and finance political parties (AB 2010, no. GT 11) and the Electoral Ordinance (AB 2010, no. GT 11) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-111)*

9. Landsverordening tot tijdelijk instelling van het National Programmabureau Wederopbouw, alsmede tot regeling van de inrichting, samenstelling, taken en bevoegdheden van het National Programmabureau Wederopbouw (Tijdelijke Landsverordening National Programmabureau Wederopbouw) (zittensjaar 2017-2018-112)

*National Ordinance establishing the Program Reconstruction Agency, as well as to regulate the structure, tasks and powers of the National Program Reconstruction Agency (Temporary National Ordinance National Program Reconstruction Agency) (Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-112)*

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*Draft National Ordinance to establish the Integrity Chamber, as well as to regulate the structure, composition, duties and powers of the Integrity Chamber (National Ordinance Integrity Chamber)  
(Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-104)*

2. Landsverordening tot wijziging van de Landsverordening begroting 2017 in verband met wijzigingen van de Gewone Dienst (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-105)

*Draft National Ordinance to amend the National Ordinance Budget 2017 in connection with changes to the Ordinary (ZJ 2017-2018-105)*

3. Landsverordening tot vastelling van de begroting van het land Sint Maarten voor het dienstjaar 2018 (Landsverordening begroting 2018) (Zittingsjaar 2017-2018-107)

*National Ordinance stipulating the Budget of the Country for the year 2018 (National Ordinance Budget 2018)  
(Parliamentary Year 2017-2018-107)*

4. Landsverordening houdende algemene regels inzake de bestuurlijke handhaving van wettelijke voorschriften (Landsverordening

bestuurlijke handhaving)  
(Zittingsjaar 2015-2016-090)

*National Ordinance containing general regulations concerning administrative enforcement of legal stipulations (National Ordinance administrative enforcement)  
(Parliamentary Year 2015-2016-090)*

# MOTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE PARLIAMENTARY YEAR 2017-2018

1. Motion pertaining to refraining of Parliament from attending or traveling to the Parlatino meetings for at least one-year effective October 24, 2017, except attending the General Assembly;
2. Motion declaring that the Government and Parliament of Sint Maarten would activate a weekly question hour immediately, institute regular consultation with French St. Martin and inform Parliament of these consultations regularly and lastly the Government, in consultation with French St. Martin, will work post haste on cleaning up of the Simpson Bay Lagoon making use of the proposal which formed part of the Operational Program of the EU;
3. Motion to commit to the principles of integrity, transparency and good governance etc. and to amend the draft national ordinance Integrity Chamber and include the matters raised in the letter of the Dutch minister for Kingdom Affairs dated October 13, 2017 and to instruct the Justice Minister of St. Maarten to negotiate a mutual agreement with his Dutch counterpart to realize the cooperation as recommended in the same aforementioned letter etc. (no. 1);
4. A motion expressing no objection to the draft Integrity Chamber ordinance with the amendments recommended by the Dutch government in its letter to the government of St. Maarten on October 13th and presented in the draft to the Prime Minister on Tuesday, October 31, 2017;
5. A motion expressing no confidence in the following Ministers: William Marlin, Silveria Jacobs, Christopher Emmanuel, Rafael Boasman, Melissa Arrindell-Doncher and Richard Gibson;
6. Motion to disapprove the decision of the Government (National Decree No. LB-17/0575) to dissolve Parliament and hold premature elections;
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8. Motion to discharge Mr. William Marlin of his duties as Prime Minister and Minister of General Affairs with immediate effect;
9. Motion to reduce the gross salaries of Members of Parliament by 15% and to instruct the Minister of General Affairs to amend the necessary legislation to accommodate the aforementioned reduction of 15% and to submit a draft legislation for such to the Parliament for approval within 60 days of this motion.

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