

Parliament of Sint Maarten

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To the Hon. Minister of Justice Mr. D.L. Richardson p/a Council of Ministers

Philipsburg

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Philipsburg, February 10, 2015

Re: Request MP L.M. Marlin-Romeo

Hon. Minister Richardson,

Member of Parliament, Mrs. L.M. Marlin-Romeo, has submitted a request for information pertaining to discrimination in preparation for the workgroup Discrimination of the Inter parliamentary Kingdom Consultation (IPKO). A copy of the request is enclosed for your attention and reaction.

Based on article 62 of the Constitution and article 69 of the Rules of Order of the Parliament of Sint Maarten, I kindly request that you look into this matter and provide the requested information as soon as possible.

Your cooperation in this is highly appreciated.

Yours truly

Lloyd J Richardson, MD President of Parliament



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To the Chairman of Parliament Honorable Member of Parliament Lloyd Richardson Present STATEN VAN SINT MAARTEN

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Honorable Chairman of Parliament,

As a member of the Committee for Kingdom Affairs and Interparliamentary Relations (CKAIR) and a member of its workgroup, Discrimination, I am assigned to prepare a report for the upcoming CKAIR meeting. The report is the official response of the position of Sint Maarten regarding the risks of discrimination. Through the Honorable Chairman, I would like to request the said information from the Government of Sint Maarten.

This information relates to the risks of discrimination, exclusion, measures and institutions that are or could be considered to be in the position to address the issue of discrimination, specifically regarding the issues of the following;

- 1. Illegal migrants
- 2. Discrimination in the labor markets
- 3. Ethnic, Religious and Sexual Minorities

Please take note that the said information is needed by mid-March in order to meet the deadline of mid-April 2015.

Hoping to have informed sufficiently in this matter,

With kind Regards,

Leona Marlin-Romeo

Member of Parliament