To the Hon. Minister of Public Housing, Spatial Planning, Environment and Infrastructure
Mr. C.T. Emmanuel
p/a Council of Ministers
Philipsburg

Philipsburg, April 7, 2017

UV/201/2016-2017

Re: Questions from MP S.A. Wescot-Williams regarding water related projects Great Salt Pond

Hon. Minister Emmanuel,

Herewith I submit to you questions posed by Member of Parliament, Mrs. Sarah A. Wescot-Williams pursuant to article 62 of the Constitution and article 69 of the Rules of Order of the Parliament of Sint Maarten.

The letter is self-explanatory.

The Member of Parliament has requested for you to urgently be invited to provide the answers to these questions verbally.

Yours truly,

S.A. Wescot-Williams
President of Parliament
Chairperson of Parliament
Parliament of Sint Maarten

Philipsburg, April 4th, 2017

Dear Chairperson:

Kindly see below questions for the Minister of Public Housing, Spatial Development, Environment and Infrastructure (VROMI):

It appears that there are 2 "water-related" projects for the Great Salt Pond (Pond) which have been halted, viz., one to pump water on the dump and another to regulate the water level in the Pond, when weather conditions make this necessary.

1. Can the Minister confirm this?
2. If confirmed, who commissioned these projects?
3. What was the scope of the projects?
4. What was the cost per project?
5. What parts of the projects were completed?
6. How much was paid for these projects?
7. How much is still owed for these projects?
8. Is it government's intention to complete these projects? And if not, why not?
9. What is the cost to complete these projects?

The undersigned kindly requests that the Minister be urgently invited to provide the answers to these questions verbally.

Also that the Minister provides all documents related to the above.

Respectfully,

Sarah A. Wescot-Williams
Member of Parliament of Sint Maarten