

**DRAFT MOTION**

The Parliament of Sint Maarten in its meeting of today, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021,

*Having* reviewed the draft temporary laws related to the reduction c.q. standardization of employment benefits of elected officials, political appointees and personnel in the Government and relevant semi-governmental organizations, as presented by the Government of Sint Maarten with references IS301, IS302 and IS303.

Cognizant of the fact that said articles do not include specific expiration dates,

*Aware* that this lack of specific ending dates in the draft laws ultimately leave very open to when these will be evaluated and revisited,

*Desirous* of ensuring the government will remain committed to the Parliament of St. Maarten to ensure that these measures only need remain as long as they are absolutely necessary, seeing the many people affected by these measures,

***Resolves***

For the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance (with the support of the Central Bank) to return to the Parliament of St. Maarten with an evaluation of whether these laws are still needed within no more than 6 months, and every 6 months thereafter for as long as these laws are in place. This evaluation will be done in a public meeting of Parliament and should include:

1. Current financial position of the government
2. Accurate and current GDP figures, seeing how they factor into these calculations may factor into decision making
3. Economic Outlook of the country over the next 6 months and beyond

And goes over to the order of the day.



PARLIAMENT OF SINT MAARTEN  
Tuesday, February 02, 2021, Public Meeting no. 09  
Voting list

motion #1 agenda point 2 submitted by C.A. Buncamper

NO.	NAME	VOOR/FOR	TEGEN/AGAINST
1.	Rolando Brison	✓	
2.	Akeem E. Arrindell	—	
3.	Sidharth M. Bijlani	✓	
4.	Claudius A. Buncamper	✓	
5.	Solange L. Duncan	✓	
6.	Christophe T. Emmanuel		✓
7.	Melissa D. Gumbs	✓	
8.	Grisha S. Heyliger-Marten	✓	
9.	William V. Marlin	✓	
10.	Omar E. C. Ottley	✓	
11.	George C. Pantophlet	✓	
12.	Raeyhon A. Peterson	✓	
13.	Hyacinth L. Richardson	✓	
14.	Angelique J.G. Romou	✓	
15.	Sarah A. Wescot-Williams	✓	

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