

PARLIAMENT OF SINT MAARTEN

Wednesday, June 30, 2021, Public Meeting no. 16 (cont) Voting list

Agenda point 3

Motion #3 submitted by MP 6.S. Heyligh-Marten (amended)

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AMMENDED DRAFT MOTION

The Parliament of Sint Maarten in its meeting of today, June 29th, 2021,

Recalling its motions as adopted on May 19th, July 8th, and November 5th, 2020,

Recalling the letter of the President of Parliament to the Hon. Prime Minister dated May 14th, 2021,

Having debated the draft budget for the fiscal year 2021 in the Central Committee and Public meetings,

Realizing that, despite the concerted efforts of the Government, the draft budget 2021 does not meet the objective of truly reflecting and securing the needs and rights of the people of Sint Maarten,

Also realizing that the Government will not be able to meet this objective unless the current structure of the Kingdom of the Netherlands is changed,

Committed to ensuring that all future budgets of Sint Maarten will truly reflect and secure the needs and rights of the people of Sint Maarten, as expressed by their duly elected representatives without any undue external interference

Cognizant of the fact that the execution of the so-called "Motion van Raak c.s." and other initiatives to finalize the decolonization process by reforming the constitutional relationships within the Kingdom of the Netherlands has not started as yet,

Desirous of achieving structural solutions for the long-term financial viability and capacity building of Sint Maarten based on all the opportunities for Sint Maarten to access financial and other resources within and outside of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in accordance with international law,

- Resolves to request the Government to review and give feedback on a comprehensive, multi-annual plan to be presented to the Government by Parliament for the execution of the following: (a) the resolution under the fifth bullet point of the motion of Parliament which was unanimously adopted on July 8th, 2020, (b) the request of the President of Parliament as sent to the Prime Minister on May 14th, 2021, (c) resolutions sub 2 and 6 of the motion adopted by Parliament on November 5th, 2020, prior to the handling of the budget for the fiscal year 2022,
- 2. Resolves to request the Government to review and give feedback on a comprehensive, multi-annual plan to be presented to the Government by Parliament based on the draft document "Path to Economic Recovery" as presented by the Minister of TEATT, including the introduction of a transaction tax or comparable tax legislation.

3. Resolves for the President of Parliament to bring this motion and relevant underlying documentation to the attention of the legitimate legislative, executive, and judiciary branches withing the Kingdom of the Netherlands as well as other international entities relevant to its execution,

And goes over to the order of the day.

MP Grisha Hevilger-Marten

MP Rolando Brison

MP Sidharth Bijlani