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**MINUTES OF THE 48<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE THIRTEENTH ANGUILLA  
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2026 AT 9.00 AM**

- PRESENT: Her Excellency the Governor, Ms. Julia Crouch
- Premier and Minister of Finance, Labour, Immigration, Home Affairs and Constitutional Affairs AND Acting Minister of Social Development, Education & Library, Youth and Culture, Mrs. Cora Richardson-Hodge
- The Honourable Deputy Governor, Mr. Perin Bradley
- The Honourable Minister of Health, Tourism and Sports, Mr. Cardigan Connor
- The Honourable Minister of Economic Development, Industry, Commerce, Lands, Planning, Water and Natural Resources, Mr. Kyle Hodge
- The Honourable Minister of Infrastructure, Communications, Utilities, Housing, IT and E-Government Services, Mr. Jose Vanterpool
- The Honourable Attorney General, Mrs. Rachel Spearing
- Clerk to Executive Council, Ms. Dumisa Webster
- ABSENT: The Honourable Minister of Social Development, Education & Library, Youth and Culture, Mrs. Shellya Rogers-Webster
- IN ATTENDANCE: The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Mr. Cordell Richardson
- Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Mr. Evans Rogers
- Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture, Mr. Jeison Bryan
- Acting Head of Governor's Office, Mr. Charles Hanen

**EX MIN 26/061**

**CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor's Office remained.

Council confirmed the minutes of the Executive Council Meeting held on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> March 2026 and Decision Made via Round Robin on 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026.

**EX MIN 26/062**

**EX MEMO 26/053 Application for Duty and Tax Exemption by ANGLEC Sports & Social Club**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor's Office remained.

The Anguilla Electricity Company (ANGLEC) Sports and Social Club has requested a waiver of duty costs for the import of commemorative items which will be used in their hosting of the Caribbean Utilities Employees Association Easter Festival. It was noted that majority of the items are being imported on a temporary basis as they will be gifted to festival attendees from the region and are expected to be re-exported upon the attendees' departure from the island.

It was noted that the Integrated Customs Tariff (Amendment) (No. 8) Regulations 2023 further provides that articles imported by bona fide charitable organisations for use solely in support of their activities may be exempt from duty with the approval of Executive Council where the value of the imports exceeds EC\$5000, provided the organisation is registered with the Anguilla Financial Services Commission (FSC), the goods are used exclusively to support its objectives, and the items are not imported for sale or hire. As the ANGLEC Sports and Social Club is registered with the FSC as a non-profit organisation and the importation aligns with the conditions of the exemption, Executive Council approval is sought for the requested duty waive.

Executive Council considered and approved the application by ANGLEC Sports & Social Club for tax and duty exemption with a revenue loss of EC\$4,092.53.

Council authorised issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the minutes.

Action: PAS, FIN; PS, FIN; HON PREM.

**EX MEMO 26/054 Establishment of Health Services Legislative and Transformation Review Committee**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor's Office remained.

Council was provided with a briefing on the proposal to establish the Health Services Legislative and Transformation Review Committee. It was noted that following the abolition of the Health Authority of Anguilla and the move of the health services into government there had been operational gaps in accountability, oversight and management authority. These concerns were further evidenced by Professor Cumming's External Inspection of Hospital Services Report of November 2025. Consequently, it is proposed that the Health Services Legislative and Transformation Review Committee be established to conduct a comparative review of the former HAA legislation, regional frameworks and the current DHS legislation, and to provide targeted, evidence-based recommendations to strengthen governance and accountability. It was noted that many of the committees and policies that had stopped operating when health services moved into government could be reconstituted without the need for legislative change and the review should not delay that happening.

The Terms of Reference for the Health Services Legislative and Transformation Review Committee noted that the Members will be as follows:

- a) Karim Hodge, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Health, Tourism and Sports ("MHTS");
- b) Rochelle Rogers, Health Planner, MHTS;
- c) Sherlan Richardson, Director, Medical Services, Department of Health Services ("DHS");
- d) Malcom Webster, Health Services Commissioner (Ag.), DHS;
- e) Alicia Haywood, Director, Nursing Services, DHS;
- f) Brett Hodge, Private Physician/Former Health Authority of Anguilla Board ("HAA") Member;
- g) Stanley Reid, Attorney;

- h) Ralph Hodge, Consultant/ Former HAA Chief Financial Officer;
- i) Kristalin Webster, Director, Human Resources Anguilla Air and Sea Port Authority/ former HAA Human Resources Officer;
- j) Khalida Banks, Physiotherapist, DHS;
- k) Maeza Demis-Adams, Permanent Secretary, Public Administration/ Former HAA Chief Executive Office;
- l) Patriese Richards, Accounting Professional, Former HAA Chief Financial Officer

**Chairperson:** Stanley Ried

**Vice-Chair:** Maeza Demis-Adams

Executive Council approved the Terms of Reference for the Health Services Legislative and Transformation Review Committee to enable the Minister of Health to receive specific, structured, and evidence-based recommendations to address identified governance and accountability gaps.

Council authorised issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the minutes.

Action: PS, HST; HON MIN, HST.

**EX MIN 26/064**

**EX MEMO 26/055 Application for Issue of Licence under the Aliens Land Holding Regulation Act- [Redacted Text]- Registration Section: West End, Block 17810 B, Parcel 201 SL L102 being 4423 sq. ft. located at West End**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor's Office remained.

Executive Council Minute 26/028 approved issuance of an Aliens Land Holding Licence to [Redacted Text], however, the correct name for the applicant company is [Redacted Text]. Consequently, the application has returned to Council to correct this error.

Executive Council approved the granting of an Aliens Land Holding Licence to [Redacted Text] to hold on a freehold basis a luxury

condominium being 4423 sq. ft forming part of the Resorts & Residences of Anguilla Home Owners Association Ltd., a Condominium development at Four Seasons Anguilla Ltd., described as Registration Section: West End, Block 17810 B, Parcel 201 SL L102 being 4423 sq. ft. located at West End subject to the following:

(a) Payment of the following stamp duties:

(i)	under the Stamp Act (Section 29)	EC\$20.00
(ii)	under Section 14(3) of the Aliens Land Holding Regulation Act	<u>EC\$200.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>EC\$220.00</u></b>

(b) The Licensee shall rent the unit that forms part of Four Seasons Anguilla Resort.

(c) The Licensee shall fully comply with the Memorandum of Understanding dated 10th July 2024, signed between the Government of Anguilla and NW Anguilla Properties Ltd.

(d) As per Part III D – Annual Levies assessed on Real Estate – “Developer owned Room Inventory shall be exempt from the annual levies detailed in (1) and (2) above. Any Luxury Real Estate Product returned to the Developer shall also be exempt from the annual levies detailed in (1) and (2) above.

(e) The Licensee shall fully comply with the laws of Anguilla enforced from time to time, including the Land Development Control Act, the Property Tax Act, the Building Regulations, the Labour Relations Act 2018 and Work Permit Regulations 2023, the Social Security Act, the Immigration and Passport Regulations and any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof and any rules or regulations made there under.

(f) Any breach of any of the conditions of this Licence shall result in all the estate and interest of the Licensee in the land being liable for forfeiture to the Crown.

Action: DLS; PS, MECIPNR; HON MIN, MEDICPNR.

**EX MIN 26/065**      **EX MEMO 26/056 Approval and Implementation of the Outputs from the RESMBID Project- ‘Streamlining Anguilla’s Energy Sector Towards a More Sustainable Future’**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor’s Office remained.

Council deferred this matter for the next sitting of Council to allow attendance of the MICUHITES team.

Action: PS, MICUHITES; HON MIN, MICUHITES.

**EX MIN 26/066**      **EX MEMO 26/057 Replacement of Member on the Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Council**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor’s Office remained.

It is proposed that Mr. Donald Curtis be appointed to the Technical and Vocational Education and Training Council as the representative of the Anguilla Chamber of Commerce and Industry (“ACOCI”). ACOCI has indicated that the currently appointed member can no longer continue to serve and have nominated Mr. Curtis as a replacement.

Council approved the appointment of Mr. Donald Curtis to replace Mr. Ronald Lynch as the representative of the Anguilla Chamber of Commerce and Industry on the Technical and Vocational Education and Training Council.

Council authorised issue of the action sheet before confirmation of the minutes.

Action: PS, MSDE; HON MIN, MSDE.

**EX MIN 26/067**      **EX MEMO 26/058 Update on the Public Service Pay and Compensation Review**

The Honourable Parliamentary Secretary, Senior Ministerial Advisor for Health, Ministerial Assistant for Sports, Youth and Culture and Acting Head of Governor’s Office remained.

The Honourable Deputy Governor provided a brief oral update on the Anguilla Public Service Pay and Compensation Review noting that the official report from PricewaterhouseCoopers has been received. It was also noted that a public announcement with an update will be made by the Office of the Deputy Governor in due course.

Action: EXCO CLK; EXCO MEMBERS.

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