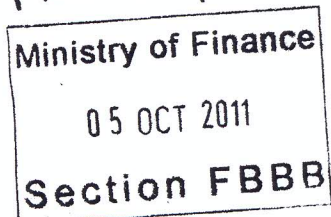


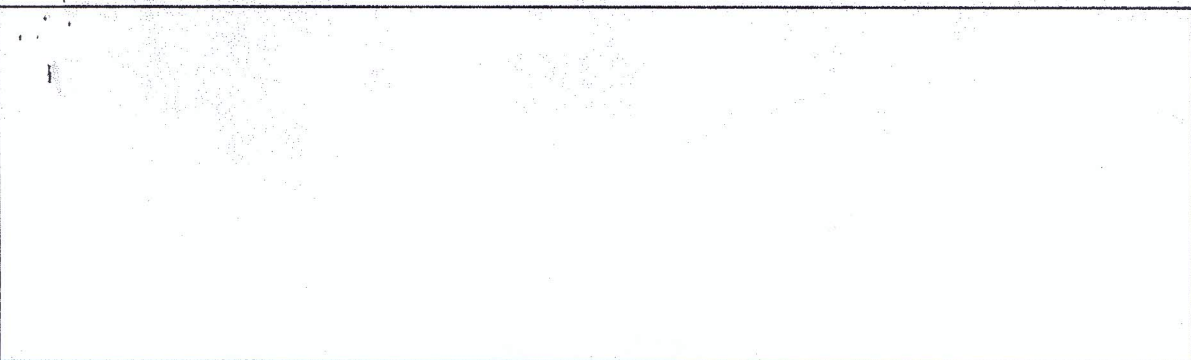
AANBIEDINGSFORMULIER VOOR STUKKEN AAN DE MINISTER

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1. Ingekomen van: Wvd. SG-OCJS	2. Datum stuk: September 1-2011	3. DIV registratiedatum:
4. Ministerie: OCJS 9/10/11 Education, Culture, Sports and Youth Affairs	5. Ministerie kenmerk: CULT	6. DIV registratienr: 0779
7. Interdepartementaal voorbereid met: Afdeling Cultuur		
8. Overeenstemming bereikt op: Ambtelijk niveau: Ja <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nee <input type="checkbox"/> Nvt <input type="checkbox"/>		
9. Korte titel: First Constitution Day Anniversary 2		
<p>10. Inhoud en doelstelling van het voorstel: October 10, 2011 will mark the first anniversary of the attainment of St. Martin's new constitutional status within the Kingdom of the Netherlands. It is also the first anniversary of the present government, as well as the first anniversary of the Parliament of St. Martin.</p> <p>To mark the occasion in a dignified and solemn manner, an ecumenical service will be held at the St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church on Frontstreet at 8:30 – 9:45 AM.</p> <p>It's further proposed that a Special Plenary Session of Parliament be convened shortly after the ecumenical service at 10:00 – 11:00 AM to which all members of the Council of Ministers will be invited. This proposed session should be carried out under the auspices of parliament. The scheduled speakers are the Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister Chairlady of Parliament and the Faction Leaders who will address the topic of "The Experience of the New Constitutional Status".</p> <p>From 10:00 AM refreshments will be served to civil servants as a recognition and appreciation for their patience and resolve in enduring and managing the uncharted course that was set for country St. Martin. The civil servants will passively participate in the parliamentary session by use of viewing the session via internet on three screens at the Celebration Palace, At 11:15 AM the Prime Minister who is also charged with the Human Resource department and the Minister of Culture will welcome all civil servants to a special motivational session in which a civil servant as well as someone from the private sector will deliver the key note address. The motivational session will come to a close at 12:30 PM.</p> <p>In keeping with the Constitution of St. Martin, a National Anthem must be adopted. Considering that this is a historic day, it merits that the competition of composing a National Anthem be announced.</p> <p>In order to guarantee the widest possible public participation in this process a competition will be held, in which all citizens of St. Martin as well as St. Martiners living abroad are eligible to participate. The minimum requirement is that the person(s) entering the competition must be of Dutch nationality and must be 18 years of age.</p>		

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11. Voldoende financiële middelen beschikbaar: Ja Nee Nvt
Toelichting:

Budget post 62005 44201 is earmarked for the celebration of public holidays.
Rental of celebration Palace Naf. 1,000.00 Confirmed in person to person conversation
Sound, Light & Screens Naf. 2,941.12 Invoice
Refreshments & Snacks Naf.28,700.55 invoice
Artwork design Naf. 135.00 Invoice

12. Behandeldingsdatum: 11 OCT 2011

13. Beslispunten:

1. Approve a dignified and solemn celebration of Constitution Day by having an ecumenical service at the St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church on Frontstreet on Monday morning at 8:30 - 9:45 AM.
2. Approve the draft letter inviting all civil servants with the exception of teachers, police and any other civil servants whose services can't be missed by the public to be present at the service.
3. Propose to the President of Parliament the convening of a Special Plenary Session of Parliament at 10:00 - 11:00 AM to mark the occasion.
4. Approve that snacks and refreshment be served to the civil servants during the viewing of the Parliamentary session in recognition and appreciation for their patience and resolve in enduring and managing the course since 10-10-10.
5. Approve the draft letter addressed to the President of Parliament of St. Martin.
6. Publicly make known that a National Anthem Committee has been established tasked with the drafting of criteria and guidelines for public participation in the competition for selecting a National Anthem.
7. Approve in principle the luncheon and location for the motivational session awaiting the quotation for both activities.
8. Approve the amount of Naf. 32,776.67 to be taken from budget post 62005 44201 to cover the expenses of the event.

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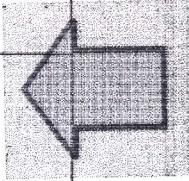
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Hon Mr. H. Shigemoto,
Minister van Financien, St.Maarten