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To The Chairperson of Parliament Parliament of St. Maarten

Philipsburg, April 4th, 2017

Enclosed please find questions directed to the Minister of General Affairs, the honorable W. Marlin regarding an initiative Kingdom law, as initiated by former member of the Dutch parliament van Oven and later adopted by former member van Laar.

Respectfully

Sarah A. Wescot-Williams, Member of Parliament (DP)



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Minister of General Affairs The Honorable Mr. William Marlin

Philipsburg, April 4th , 2017

Dear Minister,

The Dutch Minister of Home Affairs and Kingdom Relations, Mr. R. Plasterk has repeatedly informed the Dutch parliament that he is awaiting the reaction of the Dutch Caribbean countries to the "van Oven/van Laar law", amending the Charter of the Kingdom. Has the government of St. Maarten received this notification? If so, what steps have been taken regarding this matter? If so, can I be provided with these notifications by the Dutch minister?

As I consider this matter of critical importance, I kindly ask that you provide this information as soon as possible.

Respectfully

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