

Draft Motion

The Parliament of Sint Maarten in its meeting of today, January 29, 2015.

CONSIDERING :

- * that in order to present a balanced draft budget to Parliament, Government has cut, decreased or simply not allocated several subsidies to different organizations and projects specifically geared towards the youth, sports and culture
- * that the draft budget of 2015 submitted to Parliament, reflects an amount of NAF. 3,057,325 under budget item 44201.6110 for the Educational Behaviour Modification Program Belvedere
- * that the Minister of Education, Culture, Youth & Sports has informed Parliament that this program has not been finalized and will not be able to be executed fully in 2015
- * that in the best interest of the youth of St. Maarten it is important that organizations and programs such as: the B.O.P.P. Program, Rights of the Child, Positive Action teenage pregnancy prevention program, Youth Development Program and Youth Desk, Victorious Living Foundation, Belvedere Community Center, Early Childhood Development, Talent Scholarships, Monument Council, Sports, Cultural and Artistic Associations receive subsidy from government in order to continue to carry out much needed programs and projects geared towards youth development and preservation of our monuments as well as culture and the arts

RESOLVES:

To request government to amend the draft budget 2015 as follows:

Transfer from budget post 44201.6110 in the amount of f. 1,167,560 to the budget posts

44201.6130.67002 Youth Program Belvedere Community Center f. 120,960

44201.6140.67016 "Stichting Sport Ontwikkeling" an additional f. 350,000 to provide subsidy to seven sport associations

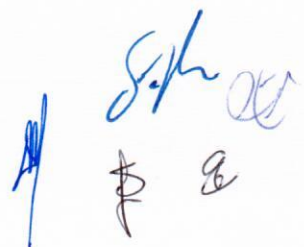
44201.6330.61006 Monument Council f. 100,000

..... Victorious Living Foundation f. 21,600

..... Business Outreach and Placement Program an additional 25,000 (total post f. 100,000)

..... Rights of the Child an additional f.12,500 (f. 50,000)

..... Positive Action Teenage Pregnancy Prevention Program f. 12,500 (total f. 50,000)



..... Execution recommendation YDP and RTC an additional f. 25,000 (total f. 100,000)

..... Music foundations f. 50,000

..... Dance foundations f. 50,000

..... Art and culture foundations f. 50,000

..... Talent Scholarships for 10 artists f. 270,000

..... Early Childhood Development f. 80,000

And goes over to the order of the day.

Copies of this motion to be sent to:

Governor of Sint Maarten

Government of Sint Maarten

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STATEN VAN SINT MAARTEN
Thursday, January 29, 2015, Public Meeting no. 8
Voting list

Motion 1

NO.	NAME	VOOR/FOR	TEGEN/AGAINST
1.	Lloyd J. Richardson, MD		✓
2.	Theodore Heyliger		✓
3.	Leana Marlin-Romeo		✓
4.	Van Hugh de Wever		✓
5.	Johan Leonard		✓
6.	Silvio Maxser		✓
7.	Franklin Meyers		✓
8.	Maurice Lalle		✓
9.	Christophe Emmanuel	✓	
10.	Sarah Wexot-Williams	✓	
11.	Tamara Leonard		✓
12.	Silveria Jacobs	✓	
13.	George Pantophlet	✓	
14.	Frans Richardson	✓	
15.	William Marlin	✓	

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