



motie 4

Draft Motion
on Alternative Energy for Government Buildings

Presented by Romain Laville on behalf of the United People's Party Faction in
Parliament of Country St. Maarten in its meeting of today March 19th 2012

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Considering:

1. that governments in the region are moving towards renewable energy sources to combat the high cost of electricity consumption, such as wind, solar and geothermal. E.g. Bonaire has wind turbines which generates about 30% of the island's electricity needs and St. Kitts started and completed in December of 2011 a project to install solar panels to provide electricity to Government Headquarters, which was installed on the roof of the Administration Building;
2. the environmental issues of carbon foot prints, toxic leaks, air and water pollution that are the results of producing barrels of oil and the fuel we use to power our diesel generators;
3. that the 2012 budget for Country Sint Maarten showed an energy cost of at least Fls 2.5 million;
4. that Government nor Parliament has not led by example to become more energy efficient, conservative and promoting green energy through its Subsidiaries and Beneficiaries such as Government schools and Government owned Companies.

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Resolves:

To request that Government to do all within its power to:

Start within (90 days) a study for alternative energy for government subsidiaries, its beneficiaries for 2012 starting with installations of LED lightings in order to alleviate the cost of electricity with the objective and goal to achieve the highest level of Governments energy generation from the use of renewable energy.

and proceeds to the order of the day

Copies of this motion to be sent to:

The Governor of St. Maarten
The Council of Ministers
The Council of Advice

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STATEN VAN SINT MAARTEN
Thursday, March 22, 2012 Public Meeting no. 13

Voting list Motion no. 4

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