

6th Meeting of the Board of the Recovery and Development Agency (RDA) held on Thursday, 7 June 2018 at 10:00 am, at Conference Room A, Registry of Corporate Affairs, Pasea Estate, Tortola, British Virgin Islands

MINUTES

Members Present:

Mr. Clarence Faulkner (Interim Chair) Mr. Clyde Lettsome Ms. Maria Mays Ms. Sharie deCastro Pastor Gregory George

Apologies:

Mr. Robert Mathavious

Outstanding Action Points From Previous Meeting

- Action Point #2: Clarity on DRCC funding to be requested from Mr Penn.
- <u>Action Point #3:</u> DRCC are to provide a draft copy of the Recovery Plan.
- <u>Action Point #4</u>: Ms. Mays to seek permission to share evidence of UK £10M pledge for technical assistance to BVI with the Board.

Acton Points

- <u>Action Point #1:</u> The Approved Procurement handbook to be presented to Cabinet.
- <u>Action Point #2:</u> The ITF to come up with a process for transfer of the CDB RRL to the RDA..
- <u>Action Point #3:</u> Oaths of Confidentiality for Board members need to be taken.
- <u>Action Point #4:</u> The ITF are are to refine Roundtable agenda.
- <u>Action Point #5:</u> Mr. Smith to collate financial information received from Ministries to submit to Board as historical information on the spending to date for the recovery efforts by the BVI Government.
- <u>Action Point #6:</u> Mr. Smith to secure proposals for office accommodations for the Board to consider at next week's meeting.
- <u>Action Point #7:</u> RDA bank account to be opened.
- <u>Action Point #8:</u> Mr. Smith to speak with Premier to get the deposit for RDA bank account.
- <u>Action Point #9:</u> Dr. Drexel Glasgow to prepare a list of projects contemplated within the draft Recovery and Development Plan for the Board's review by next week's meeting.
- <u>Action Point #10:</u> There is a need to define the relationship between the RDA and Government Ministries.

Decisions

• The RDA Procurement Handbook is approved, following the inclusion of a glossary.



- All expenditure related to the ITF and RDA should be approved directly by the Board until the RDA is fully set up.
- All work of the RDA and ITF should be approved by the Board until the RDA is fully set up.