

MEDIA STATEMENT

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Tobago Division Collaborates with PATT to Address Inter-Island Sea Bridge Challenges

The Tobago Division of the Trinidad and Tobago Chamber of Industry and Commerce (T&T Chamber) values the close partnership with the Chairman and Management of the Port Authority of Trinidad and Tobago (PATT) to tackle the longstanding issues impacting the inter-island sea bridge.

During a productive meeting held on Friday, September 27th, 2023, with the Honourable Rohan Sinanan, Minister of Works and Transport, the Tobago Division, accompanied by the Truckers Association and various key stakeholders, received comprehensive details regarding the hectic 2023-2024 cruise ship schedule. The Tobago Division has maintained regular communication with the PATT to devise an effective plan that facilitates seamless docking for the Cabo Star while efficiently accommodating cruise ships at the Cruise Ship Complex in Port of Spain, Trinidad.

One of the noteworthy outcomes of our collaboration is the PATT's commitment to introduce additional sailings on Saturdays, providing increased capacity for cargo transportation between Trinidad and Tobago. Moreover, the Galleon's Passage will be mobilized to assist in transporting cargo to Tobago during periods when cruise ships are berthed in Port of Spain.

The Tobago Division reaffirms its ongoing commitment to work hand in hand with the Ministry of Works and Transport, as well as the Chairman and Management of the PATT, with the ultimate goal of resolving all outstanding issues affecting the seabridge.

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