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### MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Paramaribo, 12 April 2022 Ref: MBIBIS/DIB/57/24

# Subject: Invitation to participate in the ACS $16^{\rm th}$ Business Forum of the Greater Caribbean

Dear Madam/Sir,

We are honored to extend an invitation to your esteemed company/organization on behalf of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Business and International Cooperation and the Association of Caribbean States (ACS), to participate in the unique event "The 16<sup>th</sup> ACS Business Forum of the Greater Caribbean" that will be held for the 1<sup>st</sup> time in Suriname.

Come and experience 2 magical days, characterized by an ambiance and allure that exude international charm.

Event Details:

Date	: 6-7 May 2024
Location	: Torarica Resort
	Mr. L.J. Rietbergplein 1
	Paramaribo, Suriname

The aim of the ACS (Association of Caribbean States with 25 Member-, 12 Associatedand 28 Observers States) is to promote cooperation and knowledge sharing between business, non-governmental organizations (NGOs) and governments of member and associated states. During the event, experts and entrepreneurs can exchange success stories, discuss challenges, and explore opportunities for collaboration, focusing specifically on regional obstacles to be addressed.

Why participate?

- Are you aware of the business options in Guatemala?
- Does your company need industry knowledge in Trinidad & Tobago?
- Are you looking for information about the market in Martinique or Jamaica?
- By participating in this business forum, you can identify and enter growing and emerging markets.
- The conference not only offers a unique opportunity to present your brand and meet important stakeholders, but also puts you in contact with investors from all Member States, giving you access to a large platform.

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As an exhibitor you will have the opportunity to present your brand in one of our boots at Torarica. Surinamese companies will have a booth with a wide range of 3 x 2m for USD 250, shared by 2 companies while foreign companies receive a generous boot of 4 x 2m for USD 500, - shared by 2 companies. Consult our Exhibitors Manual (PDF) for detailed information.

Registration:

For registration and further information about your Exhibition booth or sponsor Venue, visit our official website <u>https://businessforum.acs-aec.org/</u> or contact our event coordinators:

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Event Deadline:

The deadline for registration as an exhibitor/sponsor is April 21, 2024.

This joint effort is aimed at strengthening companies and to increase the network of the business community. We look forward to welcoming you to this extraordinary event, where we will shape the future of the Greater Caribbean together.

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