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TO: Honorable Ray Fonseca, *Vice-Chair*
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FROM: Senator Kenneth L. Gittens 
Chairman, Committee on Homeland Security, Justice and Public Safety

DATED: March 21, 2024

RE: COMMITTEE HEARING AGENDA
Scheduled Hearing - 10:00 a.m., Thursday, April 4, 2024

Please be advised that the 35th Legislature's Committee on Homeland Security, Justice, & Public Safety has scheduled a legislative committee hearing for 10:00 am, Thursday, April 4, 2024, in the Earl B. Ottley Legislative Chambers on St. Thomas.

The agenda is as follows:

BLOCK I – 10:00 a.m.

St. Thomas Carnival Safety/Security Update - This update intends to provide an overview of safety and security efforts ahead of this year's St. Thomas Carnival events. Information provided will relate to safety and security, parking restrictions and accommodations, environmental clean-ups, permitting requirements, curbside pick-up, trash removal, trash containerization and other related matters.

Invited Testifiers:

Honorable Ray Martinez, Commissioner – V.I. Police Department
Honorable Derek Gabriel, Commissioner – V.I. Department of Public Works
Honorable Joseph Boschulte, Commissioner – V.I. Department of Tourism
Honorable Justa "Tita" Encarnacion, V.I. Department of Health
Mr. Roger E. Merritt, Jr., Executive Director – V.I. Waste Management Authority

pc: All Senators
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