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TO: All Members, Committee on Rules and Judiciary

Honorable Milton E. Potter, Vice Chairman

Honorable Angel L. Bolques, Jr. Honorable Kenneth L. Gittens Honorable Marise C. James Honorable Franklin D. Johnson Honorable Carla J. Joseph

FROM: The Honorable Senator Diane T. Capehart

Chair, Committee on Rules and Judiciary

DATE: January 9, 2024

RE: Committee on Rules and Judiciary Meeting—Thursday, January 25, 2024

The Committee on Rules and Judiciary has scheduled a meeting for *Thursday, January 25*, 2024, at 9:30 AM in the Earle B. Ottley Legislative Hall, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands to consider the following nominations, bills, and resolutions:

BLOCK I

Governor's Nomination of Maurice K. Muia
 Nominee, Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority Board of Directors

BLOCK II

Governor's Nomination of Rodney Francis Querrard
 Appointee, Opioid Abatement Committee – District of St. Thomas

BLOCK III

Governor's Nomination of May A. Cornwall
 Nominee, Virgin Islands Coastal Zone Management – District of St. Croix

BLOCK IV

<u>Bill No. 35-0116</u> - A Resolution honoring and commending Lieutenant Colonel Leayle Gerard Galiber for his leadership in the Virgin Islands National Guard and his dedication to his country and to the people of the Virgin Islands. *Sponsored by: Senator Novelle E. Francis, Jr.*

<u>Bill No. 35-0178</u> - An Act amending title 5 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 314, to add a section 3732a to allow for the automatic expungement of arrest records upon a finding that the arrest lacked probable cause and amending title 3 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 33, section 881(g), item 9 relating to public records to designate expunged criminal records as confidential records. *Sponsored by: Senators Javan E. James, Sr. Franklin D. Johnson and Angel L. Bolques, Jr.*

Invited Testifier:

• Casey Payton, Executive Director Virgin Islands Justice Initiative

Cc: All Senators
All Chiefs of Staff
All Divisions
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