#### HRC-MIN-2022-04

# HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION 4<sup>th</sup> MEETING (EXTRAORDINARY) OF 2022 MINUTES 5 MAY 2022 VIA ZOOM

#### PRESENT:

Dale CrowleyChairmanJoni KirkconnellMemberNick QuinMemberDeborah Barker RoyeMemberCathy GomezMember

# SECRETARIAT MEMBERS PRESENT:

Marilyn Conolly	Manager
Derricka Neysmith	Administrative Officer
Jackelin Connolly	Administrative Officer
Megan Ramnarine	Administrative Officer

#### 1. Meeting called to order

**a.** The meeting commenced at 10:43 am.

## 2. Outstanding Business

#### a. Human Rights Complaint 021/2021

Members reviewed the timeline of events. The Cabinet Secretary provided a letter advising routes that the Complainant could take. Members advised the Secretariat to draft a correspondence to the complainant.

#### b. Human Rights Complaint 026/2021

Correspondence was received regarding the FOI request and the matter is now closed. Members to review the report from the legal advisor.

#### c. Migrants Policy

Members to review and provide feedback on the draft letter to the Director of the CBC.

#### 3. New Business

# a. Human Rights Enquiry 004/2022

Members discussed this item and agreed to table the enquiry at the upcoming Human Rights Commission meeting.

## b. Human Rights Enquiry 005/2022

Members discussed this enquiry and the Secretariat will respond and close this item.

#### 4. Any Other Business

a. The Commissions Secretariat advised that the Commissions Secretariat offices are now

located on the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor at the George Town Financial Center, 90 Fort Street (at the corner of Fort and Mary Street).

**b.** Member Cathy Gomez asked to be excused from any conversations and decision discussions pertaining to Human Rights Complaint 006/2022 and any future complaints that this complainant may file.

# 5. Action Items

Members were asked to:

- a. Review report from legal advisor as detailed in item 2.b;
- **b.** Review and provide feedback on draft letter as detailed in item 2.c.

The Secretariat was asked to:

- a. Draft correspondence to complainant as detailed in item 2.a;
- **b.** Close Enquiry 005/2022 as detailed in item 3.b.

# 6. Items to be Discussed at the Next Meeting

- a. Migrants Policy
- **b.** HRC Complaints and Enquiries

## 7. Next Meeting

The next regular meeting will be held on 18 May 2022 at 2:00 pm.

## 8. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:39 am.

Dale Crowley CHAIRMAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION