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MEDIA INVITE

HUMAN TRAFFICKING SEMINAR FOR MEDIA PRACTITIONERS/JOURNALISTS

April 6, 2022, Kingstown – The Anti-trafficking in Persons Unit (ATIPU) in the Royal St. Vincent and the Grenadines Police Force (RSVGPF) will be celebrating its tenth (10th) anniversary on Thursday, April 07, 2022, under the theme "I deserve to be free, don't traffick and exploit me". There will be one (1) week of activities to commemorate this milestone including:-

- 1. Thursday, April 7, 2022 Virtual Lecture "Human Trafficking in St. Vincent and the Grenadines: Confronting the Past, Preparing for the Future". Dr. Jason Haynes will be the presenter. The lecture will commence at 5:00 P.M. There will also be a 'sit-in' audience at the Peace Memorial Hall. Please be seated by 4:30 P.M.
- 2. Friday, April 8, 2022 Human Trafficking Prevention Exhibition from 9:00 a.m. under the Singer Gallery, Kingstown.
- 3. Saturday, April 9, 2022 Walk against Trafficking (from Central Police Station to E.T Joshua Tarmac (via Roundabout) from 7:00 a.m.
- 4. Sunday, April 10, 2022 Church Service at Kingstown Baptist Church, commencing at 10:00 a.m.

- 5. Monday, April 11, 2022 Seminar entitled "Understanding and Combating Human Trafficking for Media Practitioners and Journalists" at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Conference Room, commencing at 9:00 a.m. Remarks will be delivered by the Commissioner of Police, Mr. Colin John. The Keynote address will be delivered by Hon. Camillo Gonsalves, Minister of Finance and Economic Development, etc.
- 6. Tuesday, April 12, 2022 Lectures in Schools
- 7. Wednesday, April 13, 2022 Lectures in Churches

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