



Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago
Ministry of Rural Development and Local Government

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MoRDLG provides oversight to San Fernando City Corporation

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The recent appointment of Senator the Honourable Kazim Hosein to the post of Minister of Rural Development and Local Government has left the City of San Fernando temporarily without a Mayor.

However, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, Chapter 25:04, the Minister of Rural Development and Local Government may give general or specific directions to any Municipal Corporation in the exercise of their function.

In the interim, to ensure the appropriate levels of accountability and transparency are maintained in the absence of the Mayor and to facilitate the smooth and continuous functioning of the Corporation, the Ministry of Rural Development and Local Government will provide the requisite administrative oversight in respect of matters of a financial nature, until the new Council assumes office.

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