

Closing Remarks

Mrs. Faye Hardy, Manager, Treasury Unit, CDB and CDB-nominated Director, CCRIF SPC

On behalf of the President of the CDB, Dr. Warren Smith, I take this opportunity to thank you for attending this meeting and for engaging in the rich discussions that you have – providing CCRIF with ideas to strengthen its own performance as well as committing in many ways to support CCRIF. Thank you for this.

The Chairman of CCRIF just spoke to the next steps and what CCRIF has committed to doing to ensure that your ideas and recommendations are addressed in the coming weeks and months. As the board member on CCRIF representing donors – **You** – I will hold CCRIF accountable to undertaking these and to providing feedback in a timely manner.

Once again, on behalf of CDB and CCRIF I will like to express my thanks for your presence here today and invite you now to have lunch with us and engage in further discussions.

Also, please remember the invitation immediately after lunch to attend the launch of the CCRIF Regional Small Grants and Internship Programmes. That would be held at this hotel in the Peninsula Meeting Room.