



GOVERNMENT OF SAINT LUCIA
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To Whom It May Concern

Dear Sir/Madam

This correspondence serves as an endorsement by the Department of Culture and Local Government and by extension, the Government of Saint Lucia, of the proposal by the Caribbean Carnival Commission to stage an inaugural Caribbean Carnival Conference in Saint Lucia.

This initiative represents an opportunity to utilise Carnival as a product in promoting and developing culture and regional integration. Most critically however, the Department recognises the potential exist for developing concrete strategies and approaches to carnival that will lead to tangible economic and social benefits for the region. On that basis, Saint Lucia has agreed to serve as the host country for the Conference and through the Events Company of Saint Lucia, will be providing appropriate logistical and administrative support to the Commission.

I should therefore be grateful if any courtesies and support could be provided by your organisation in order to enable this inaugural event to be successfully undertaken.

Yours sincerely

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Donovan Williams
PERMANENT SECRETARY