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13<sup>th</sup> December, 2013

## NOTICE OF 30<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & MINI EXPO 25<sup>TH</sup> to 28<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2014 HALF MOON HOTEL ROSE HALL, MONTEGO BAY, JAMAICA CO-HOSTED BY LIME

Theme: Strategic Alliances for Sustainable Broadband Development

Dear Member.

Notice is hereby given that the 30th<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Members and supporting events will be held on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2014 at the Half Moon Hotel, Rose Hall, Montego Bay, Jamaica. The purpose of the AGM is to:

- receive and consider the annual report and financial statements for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2013 and the report of the auditors;
- election of directors:
- appointment of auditors; and
- transacting further and other business of the Association

The AGM supporting events will include:

- Mini Exposition comprising technology suppliers showcasing products and services
- Technology Update
- BIIPAC Project Update
- Caribbean E-Waste Consultation
- The Future of CANTO

The following table shows the status of Directors' terms in office:

REPRESENTATIVE	COMPANY	POSITION	CURRENT	STATUS
Dirk Currie	TELESUR	Chairman	2013 - 2015	Re-elected in Feb '13
Karen Bevans	BTL - Belize	Vice Chairman	2013 - 2015	Re-elected in Feb '13
Helma Etnel	TELEM, St. Maarten	Director	2013 - 2015	Re-elected in Feb '13
*Davidson Charles	C&W Antigua Ltd.	Treasurer	2012 - 2014	Will complete 3rd term in Jan 2014
*Julian Wilkins	Digicel Trinidad & Tobago	Director	2012 -2014	Will complete 3rd term in Jan 2014
*E Jay Saunders	Digicel Turks & Caicos	Director	2012 -2014	Will complete 1st term in Jan 2014
*Lyrio Gomez	UTS	Director	2012 - 2014	Will complete 2nd term in Jan 2014.
*Charles Carter (replaced Linus Rogers)	TSTT	Director	2012 - 2014	Will complete 4th term in Jan 2014.
*Lawrence Mc Naughton	Cable & Wireless Grenada	Director	2012 - 2014	Will complete 2 <sup>nd</sup> term in Jan 2014

\*eligible for re-election

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Mr. Dirk Currie – Chairman, Telecommunicatiebedrijf, Suriname; Mrs. Karen Bevans – Vice Chairman; Belize Telemedia Ltd. Belize; Mr. Davidson Charles – Treasurer, Cable & Wireless Antigua & Barbuda Ltd, Antigua & Barbuda; Mrs. Helma Etnel – St. Maarten Telephone Company N.V. (TELEM); Mr. Lyrio Gomez – United Telecommunication Services, Curacao; Mr. Lawrence Mc Naughton; Cable & Wireless Grenada Ltd.; Mr. Linus Rogers, Telecommunications Services of Trinidad & Tobago; Mr. Julian Wilkins – Digicel Trinidad & Tobago Ltd.; Mr. E. Jay Saunders – Digicel Turks & Caicos; Ms. Regenie Fräser – CANTO Secretary General, Trinidad & Tobago





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The following committee meetings are scheduled for Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2014:

- Regulations and Emerging Technologies Committee -(9.00am 10.00am)
- Financial Advisory Committee (9.00am 10.00am))
- Disaster Preparedness Committee (10.00am 11.00am)
- Marketing & Communications Committee (8.00am 9.00am)
- Human Resource Committee (9.00am –10.00am)
- Corporate Social Responsibility Committee meeting  $(1:00 \ pm 2:00 \ pm)$

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that non financial members are not entitled to vote in accordance to the By- Laws, Section 6.2.

For the draft Annual General Meeting Programme, Committee Meeting Agendas, Caribbean E-Waste Consultation, Registration Form, BIIPAC Update and Proxy Form please visit our website at <a href="www.canto.org">www.canto.org</a> Hotel Reservations are made online using this link: <a href="AGM Hotel Reservation">AGM Hotel Reservation</a>. The Group code is 577182 and the cutoff date for hotel reservations online is 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2014.

You are encouraged to book your respective flights and hotel accommodations as soon as possible, due to the peak season at the hotel. We are looking forward to receiving your AGM Registration Form by the 15 January, 2014.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you a successful and prosperous year in 2014 and urge you to attend this 30<sup>th</sup> AGM and support the Secretariat as we plan our activities that will add value to our members.

Yours Sincerely

Regenie Fräser

**Secretary General - CANTO**