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## TSTT & PAVI - TRAINING SESSIONS

### PROJECT Recap and Overview

- TSTT is collaborating with PAVI (Persons Associated with Visual Impairment) to sensitize and educate TSTT Frontline staff (*first phase*) and TSTT Dealers (*second phase*) re the features built into Apple and Android platforms, in order to better assist persons who are visually impaired in purchasing and using these Smartphone devices
- **For the first phase**, TSTT will be facilitating training sessions for their **Frontline Staff** at meeting/conference rooms in the following Retail locations (9 in Trinidad and 1 in Tobago):
  - West Mall
  - Brian Lara Promenade
  - Park Street
  - St. Augustine
  - Trincity
  - Arima
  - DSM Plaza, Chaguanas
  - St. James Street, San Fernando
  - Point Fortin (may possibly bring them to San Fernando or Chaguanas)
  - 1 In Tobago
- Appx. Number of staff per session – 20 (TBC)

### PROJECT DETAILS

- **TRAINERS:**
  - **Marlon Parieaho** (291-5488) – Apple platform (iPhone)
  - **Mikkel Trestrail**(279-3531) – Android platform (Samsung)
- **FORMAT FOR TRAINERS' PRESENTATION/DEMO:**
  - **First Half Hour: Presentation (PPT) and Demo re iPhone Platform (Marlon Parieaho)**
    - Overall: What is Accessibility?
    - What is **Voice Over** and how it works
      - **Inclusive of:** How blind person makes a call, receives a call, sends a text etc. (can include demo using Bluetooth keyboard as well)

- Other useful Features of the phone, how it can enrich the life of a blind person
    - Touch on tips re safety precautions
  - **Second Half Hour: Presentation (PPT) and Demo on Samsung Platform (Mikkel Trestrail)**
    - What is **Talk Back** and how it works
      - **Inclusive of** steps re making a call, receiving a call, sending a text
    - Other useful features in the phone that can enrich the blind person's experience
    - Any tips re Safety precautions
  - **Third half hour:** Both Marlon and Mikkel present and demo:
    - **Useful Apps** - including **Maverick** (created by Jessie Saitoo locally, download is free; to read currency); **KNFB Reader** (scans documents, cost \$100USD, free demo); **Blind Square** (\$20USD; GPS App to assist blind persons with public transportation)
      - Time permitting they can speak to: **Find my iPhone, CrowdViz,**
    - Operating **Social Media platforms** – Facebook, Whatsapp, BBM
- **TRAINEE KITS to include:**
  - Profiles on Trainers (can be prepared by AMPLE) – to share interesting Bios of each person
    - Marlon – works in Criminal Intelligence Unit, is a blogger
    - Mikkel – works in therapeutic massage
  - Reference Handout
  - Reference Websites etc. for further information
  - Contact persons and numbers for help/further information/assistance
- **TSTT TO PROVIDE:**
  - iPhone 6 plus for Presentation
  - Samsung S6 for Presentation
  - Any additional phones for staff to demo (TBC)
  - Phone connectors for HDMI Cables

