



Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

Communications Unit

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Attention: All Editors

Tax Amnesty Deadline Extended to June 30th 2011

The Ministry of Finance wishes to advise that the Tax Amnesty Deadline have been extended to **Thursday 30th June, 2011**. The decision came after Finance Minister Winston Dookeran visited staff at the offices of the Inland Revenue Division (IRD) to thank them for their tireless effort during the amnesty period which began in September, 2010 and was initially due to end on Tuesday May 31st, 2011.

After being appraised by Commissioners of the IRD about the Amnesty's status, a decision was then taken by the Finance Minister to extend the deadline in light of the overwhelming response by citizens and also to allow persons who haven't previously met the previous deadline date the opportunity to comply with this new date.

The Ministry of Finance wishes to thank the citizens of Trinidad and Tobago for their response to the Tax Amnesty.

Please see photos below.



Finance Minister Winston Dookeran meets a Staff member of the IRD during his visit



Finance Minister Winston Dookeran is greeted by a Tax Payer

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Regards,

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