

# PROJECT ASYCUDA World

The Reform and Modernisation  
update

# VISION 2020 Operational Plan 2007-2010

## 2<sup>ND</sup> Goal – Enabling Competitive Business

- Creation of a business climate that attracts Investors and encourages Competitive Business to start and grow

# The Customs Landscape

- Removal of Barriers to Trade in Goods and Services
- Demands for more secure cargo and passenger identification
- Modern Supply Chain Management

# Our Evolving Role

- Enforcement of prohibitions and restrictions
- Facilitating legitimate Trade and Protection of Society
- Balancing Security and Facilitation

# The Division's Strategic GOALS

- Trade Facilitation
- Capacity Building
- Maximise Revenue Collection
- Public Education
- Simplification of Legislation & Processes
- Encourage Voluntary Compliance
- Improve Service Delivery
- Accounting for all Revenues

# One of the Division's Strategic Objectives

- Implementation of Project ASYCUDA World
  - it is operational in over 84 Countries
  - it will allow the Division to automate the whole clearance process and supply chain
  - it provides adequate functionality for all steps in the Customs clearance process

# The Features of Asycuda World

- Integrated Controls
- Process driven
- e-Manifest Processing
- Transit Shed and Warehouse Inventory control.
- e-Declaration processing
- Bond Management
- Risk Management
- Post clearance Audit
- Enhanced reporting tools
- Web based

# Procedural Shifts

- Declarations in hard copy only
- FUTURE- electronic Format
  - Redefined role for Brokers & Clerks
  - Advance Passenger & Cargo Regs.
  - Electronic Payment module



# Technology Shifts

- Seamless interaction
- Change Agent
- Integrating Border Management
- Interoperability with Ports, Inland Transit Sheds, Postal Services and Couriers
- Enhanced Supply Chain Security
- Biometrics in the Clearance Process

# Client Experience

- Electronic Processing and Payments
- Safe Framework
- Faster Assessments
- Single Window concept

# PROJECT UPDATE

- Conducted training of Ship's Agents for the Pilot -January 2009
- Launched the e-manifest Pilot at King's Wharf Port-of-Spain - February 2009
- Agents outreach - February 2009
- Conducted train the trainer workshops in e-declaration processing for 31 persons nominated by TTMA, TTCIC and the CCBA
- Also conducted end user training for 41 representatives of major importers and exporters