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Saturday, June 1st, 2013 commencing at 9:00 am

in front of the old slaughter house in Benque Viejo Del Carmen Town and finishing at Bullet Tree Falls bridge.

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No Arrest In Security Guard's Murder

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Cayo, May 16, 2013:

An arrest is yet to be made in the most recent murder of an on-duty security guard even after the recovery of the guard's stolen license firearm and the detention of two suspects.

San Ignacio police reports that at about 7:45 pm on Friday, May 10, 2013, information was received via the emergency 911 line of a shooting incident at Kenny's Store located on Flamingo Avenue in San Ignacio Town.

A team of officers were quickly dispatched to the scene where they were told that the injured guard was rushed to the San Ignacio



**The Deceased
Randy Casey**

Community Hospital.

On arrival at the hospital, the guard identified as **Randy Casey**, 23, of Camalote Village, Cayo District was pronounced dead with two gunshot wounds to the left side of the chest and a third on the lower left side of the abdomen.

It is reported that Casey, an employee of Force Security Company was on duty at Kenny's store when a lone, masked gunman dressed in dark clothing approached the guard and fired three shots at him. The injured guard fell to the ground. With the guard laying on the ground face upwards and gasping for air, the gunman allegedly leaned over him and took possession of the gun he carried. The assailant then ran to a

waiting car which sped off.

Swift police action and investigation resulted, one day later, in the recovery of the suspected murder weapon as well as the point 22 pistol stolen from the guard. Notwithstanding the major development in the case, an arrest is yet to be made in this latest murder in the twin towns.

A sixteen year old minor and a resident of Santa Elena were detained pending investigations but have since been released. Whilst seeking assistance from the general public, San Ignacio police informs that the matter continues under investigation. Randy Casey was laid to rest today in his home village of Camalote on Thursday, May 16, 2013.

Something Does Not Seem Right In The Pinelo Arrest

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Friday, May 17, 2013:

Primary school teacher **Eddie Pinelo** has been in jail for a week on allegations that he sodomized a 14 year old student.

Pinelo has since been remanded to prison while his family has enlisted the services of an attorney to secure his release by way of a Supreme Court bail.

In a statement to the police the boy alleges that sometime in April of this year, the teacher invited him to his house in Bullet Tree village where it is alleged that he was offered and consumed alcoholic beverages to the extent of getting drunk. The boy said that all he recalled was being lifted by the accused and taken off to a bedroom where he was allegedly sodomized by the teacher.

They boy accompanied by the



Eddie Pinelo,

mother was escorted to the San Ignacio Community Hospital for the

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Guatemalan Sent To Jail For Five Years

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Cayo, Wednesday, May 15, 2013:

A Guatemalan, apprehended in the Chiquibul National Park, has been sentenced to spend the next five years behind bars after pleading guilty to keeping firearm and ammunition without a gun license.


It was shortly after 6:00 pm on Tuesday, May 14, 2013, when a joint forces team of law enforcement personnel on patrol in the Chiquibul National Park came upon two Hispanic male persons walking suspiciously in the area. The police ordered them to halt but they instead ran off.

The police caught up with one of them who had a gun slung over the left shoulder. On inspection the gun was found to be a point 22 rifle without serial number and brand. Police also found seven live point 22



Salome Ramirez, 55

bullets in the front left pocket of the pants the Guatemalan was wearing. The detainee was identified as



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Salome Ramirez, 55, Guatemalan laborer residing in Dolores village, Peten, Guatemala. He was formally arrested and charged for keeping unlicensed firearm and ammunition. The accused appeared in the San Ignacio town courtroom of Narda

Morgan on Wednesday, May 15, 2013. He pled guilty to both charges and was sentenced to concurrent five year terms on each count. He will therefore spend five years in jail.

New Developments In Overnight And Cruise Sectors

Belize City, Belize – May 13, 2013:

There is fantastic news to report in the Tourism travel industry. Hot on the heels of the release of record breaking tourist arrivals in the first quarter of 2013, new flights and cruise calls to Belize were announced for the final quarter of the year.

Starting in November, Delta Airlines will be adding another Saturday flight from Atlanta to Belize. Delta currently deploys seven flights a week (one flight per day) to Belize, increasing its total number of flights to eight per week (twice on Saturdays). This is an additional 596 seats per month, and will be a permanent addition to Delta's schedule to Belize. In addition, American Airlines will be increasing its Dallas to Belize flights from three weekly flights to seven flights per

week (one flight daily), providing a total of six hundred additional seats in the month of October. BTB's Director of Marketing and Industry Relations, Alyssa Carnegie, commented, *"This is fantastic news. The Tourism Industry is doing so well that even the airlines have seen a need to increase flights, and these flights are being increased during a time that was generally considered to be a slow time for traveling by air. It shows amazing growth and more opportunities for the industry and Belize."*

As the Ministry of Tourism & Culture and the Belize Tourism Board continue to invest efforts to increase cruise arrivals for Belize, the Royal Caribbean International announced that not only have they renovated their

'Navigator of the Seas' to include unique features such as a Flow Rider Surf Simulator and the First-Ever Virtual Balcony, but will also deploy the Navigator of the Seas year round out of Galveston, Texas, starting in Winter 2013. As a result, Belize will receive a total of thirty cruise calls during 2014. For the past two years, Belize has not had more than 10 calls per year from 'Navigator of the Seas'; therefore this news will result in a 200% increase for this cruise ship. It is expected that this increase in cruise calls will bring over ninety thousand cruise visitors to Belize.



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legally required medical examination. The medical doctor who performed the examination reportedly came to the conclusion that there was no evidence that the child was carnally known. And that should have been the end of the story.

Notwithstanding the medical report, the police proceeded to charge

Pinelo for aggravated assault of an indecent nature.

Pinelo appeared in the San Ignacio town courtroom of magistrate **Narda Morgan** on Friday, May 10, 2013, where the charge was read to him. Being a Supreme Court matter, no plea was taken. Pinelo was remanded to prison. The case was adjourned to Monday, August 19, 2013.

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May 15, 2013, PRESS RELEASE

The Belize Cancer Society – San Ignacio Branch takes this opportunity to extend a sincere **THANK YOU** to all the donors who assisted in making its educational Open Day on Saturday, May 11, 2013 a success. These include:

- Belize Electric Co. Ltd. (BECOL)
- Bowen & Bowen
- Central Cable Vision
- Flame's Auto Shop
- Oye FM

• STAR Newspaper

A very special thanks also goes out to our healthcare professionals – Dr. Ramon Figueroa, Nurse Rosita Figueroa of the San Ignacio Community Hospital and Nurse Dolly Witz of the Belize Family Life

Association who gave of their time and services throughout the Open Day. To the families within our community who donated cupcakes and juices for our booth visitors we also extend a sincere thank you.

We encourage our community to

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The City Prepares For 2013 Hurricane Season While Cayo Slumbers

The 2013 Hurricane Season is almost upon us. The Belize City Council is busy preparing the city's emergency evacuation route; there will be 70 evacuation route signs installed along the emergency route as well as hosting Disaster Preparedness Training for the City's Operation Management and Shelter Management Team.

We commend the City for these actions and it points out the obvious lack of concern for those of us living downstream of BECOL's dams.

Does BECOL and the other relevant bodies responsible for the safety of people downstream of the dams have any plans in place? Has

there been any meetings, simulations, communications with the villagers, townspeople and all those along the Macal, Mopan and Belize Rivers?

We recently spoke to villagers in the area and they said the last time there had been any information about disaster preparedness was two or more years ago – about the last time BELPO took the Department of Environment, NEMO and BECOL to court.

Maybe they are waiting for a disaster to happen before action is taken. If so, it may be too late for too many.

Let us remember that when a hurricane warning comes and people

must evacuate the coast, many come to Cayo. They may be putting themselves in more danger than if they stayed put - out of the frying pan into the fire.

BELPO is calling on the Department of Environment (DOE), the National Emergency Management Organization (NEMO) and The Belize Electric Company Limited (BECOL) to implement the Dam Break Emergency Plan they are required to do under the Environmental Compliance Plan and two court orders.

This is no longer a country ruled by the rule of law. It has become a country where the big money rules. It is up to us, the people, to see that no one is above the law, according to

the rule of law.

George and Candy Gonzalez, Secretary and President of the Board of The Belize Institute of Environmental Law and Policy (BELPO)

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Consultancy: Impact Assessment of Trust Grant investment: Period 2008-2013

Background

The Belize Natural Energy Charitable Trust (BNECT) is a partnership between the Government of Belize and Belize Natural Energy Limited, established by Deed of Trust dated February 25th 2008. The Trust was established to make a difference in the lives of Belizeans and thus seeks to empower people and communities to thrive in a harmonious, socially and environmentally responsible manner so that they can be the conscious architects of their own future. The Trust's mission is to serve as a catalyst for people and communities to believe in themselves so they can achieve their full potential.

Since its establishment in February 2008, the BELIZE Natural Energy Charitable Trust received in excess of BZ \$13.6 million dollars. Thus far, the Trust has invested in projects focusing on general education and the social environment.

Objectives of the Consultancy

In line with the 2012-2016 strategic plan, the Trust is seeking to conduct a comprehensive Assessment of the grants investments for the period 2008-2013. This assessment is primarily intended to determine the level of impact on its mission for this first five years of the Trust's establishment.

Specifically, the Impact Assessment should focus on but not be limited to the following:

- Assess the relevance of the BNECT's grant investments to the BNECT's Vision and Mission, mandate and overall organizational objectives;
- Assess the grant program: identifying the strengths, limitations, challenges and successes;
- Assess local communities' and/or beneficiaries involvement and engagement in project identification, design, management, monitoring and evaluation;
- Assess the degree to which the investments contributed to the empowerment of the beneficiaries;
- Assess project impact on community development where applicable;
- Assess the level of impact on the macro or national development goals of the country;
- Identify key lessons learnt and best practices;
- Evaluate grantee reporting in relation to BNECT's requirements, their accuracy of information and development and maintenance of internal documentation processes and record keeping;
- Assess financial issues including timelines of disbursement, grantee internal financial controls and accountability;
- Assess sustainability issues after project execution

Products/Deliverables

- A draft Impact Assessment Report
- A final presentation on the findings and recommendations of the Assessment
- A Final Impact Assessment Report (in hard copy and digital format)

Qualifications required for the Consultancy

The Consulting team who meets the following criteria is eligible to bid for this consultancy:
 · Expertise in; project/grant management, monitoring and evaluation; impact assessment and socio-economic assessments,
 Resumes of individual consultants must be submitted and the proposal should indicate the principal person that will be responsible for the consultancy.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF BIDS: May 24th, 2013

LEVEL OF EFFORT: 45 consulting days

Submit Bids to:
 General Manager
 Belize Natural Energy Charitable Trust
 3401 Mountain View Boulevard
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National Celebrations Commission

For Immediate Release

PRESS RELEASE

Call to Artists for the 'National Song Competition 2013'

National Celebrations Commission in association with **Atlantic International Bank** invites musicians, performing artists and songwriters from every level to submit songs in each of the two categories, which include the **BELIZE SONG COMPETITION** and the **Carnival Song Competition (juniors and seniors)**.

The BELIZE SONG must be a dedication to Belize as a country, our way of life, our culture. **The Belize Song** should evoke a call to build community spirit and national pride, be one that inspires national unity and must be memorable with popular and emotional appeal. **The Belize Song** must seek to replicate a Belizean flavor in any musical genre that is Rhythm and Blues (R&B), Jazz, Alternative, Soca, Reggae, Dancehall or any other genre selected by the artist.

The Carnival Song must be of Belizean flavor and evoke our unbridled celebratory spirit at our time of National Celebrations, promote a free revelry, filled with the essence of Belizean culture and overall merriment of Carnival and our celebrations.

Entries will be judged on: Audience Appeal; Musical Arrangement; Vocal Quality; Lyrical Content and Stage Presence.

Rules and Regulations

***Contestants:** must be nationals of Belize; and can enter the competition as a solo, duet or group act

***Topics:** can focus on love of country and should instill patriotism and a sense of national pride

***Songs:** must be original and never before entered into a competition in Belize

Each entry must include:

- One (1) song only, five (5) minutes or less in duration.
- Typed-written Lyric Sheet

For a detailed copy of the National Song Competition Rules & Regulations, kindly contact ica@nichbelize.org or visit the NICH Belize website at www.nichbelize.org

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| Deadline for submissions | July 5, 2013 |
| Selection of ten (10) finalists for each category | July 12, 2013 |
| Rehearsal of Songs | July 15 to August 8, 2013 |
| Final Round of Competition | August 10, 2013 |
| Professional production of top three (3) songs | August 16, 2013 |

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Belize Song

Senior Category (18 & Older)

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- 2nd Place - \$3,000.00 and Trophy
- The other eight finalists will receive official recognition and a prize

Junior Category (17 & Younger)

- 1st Place - \$1,500.00, Trophy, and video music production of your song
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Carnival Song

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To schedule an interview contact: Daedra Haylock-- Ag Communications Officer at Tel. No 227- 2110 Extension 34.



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Belize Celebrations

Benque Viejo Community Policing Unit

The RC school in Succotz Village, has seen its share of criminal activity this week, (1) a victim of a burglary & theft, (2) finding drugs on campus.

Because of these recent events the principle Mr. **Viviany Teul**, and teachers decided to invite the community policing unit of the Benque Viejo Sub-Formation to school for a basic education on community policing, neighborhood watch, youth cadets, Special Constables, Great program, and other relevant topics of the day.

The community policing officer PC Mckoy, had planned to give the presentation, however a previous commitment for special training by the US Embassy prevented him, so Special Constable Mr. **Samuel Bruce** was called in to assist on Thursday 9-5-13.

The students met in the classroom of one the schools most experienced teachers, and a vital member of the Zone 4 Neighborhood Watch Program in Benque Viejo, class teacher Mrs. **Isela Tesucum**.

In Mr. Bruce's presentation he explained to the students the basic concepts of all the programs of the community policing efforts, and stressed the importance of being observant of your surroundings and noting details of suspicious activities



such as; strange persons & vehicles in their village, how to note descriptions of people & vehicles, especially license plate numbers.

Mr. Bruce and Mrs. Tesucum demonstrated to the children how they can help their parents at home, the importance of creating a book of inventory of their property with proper descriptions with brand, serial & model numbers such as; TV, computers, phones, stereo's, tools, etc... This is vital to help police have the proper information to legally Identify their property if ever stolen.

Mr. Bruce as Captain of the Neighborhood Watch in Benque

printed calendars that were handed out to the students to take home which has all the important emergency numbers, along with police pamphlets on domestic violence, and Home Protection.

Special Constable Bruce concluded with the promise to come back with PC McKoy for a presentation on Gangs, Drugs, and Criminal codes that effect their future.

Mother's Day Gift; Mr. Bruce was so impressed with the school's eagerness to learn about the community policing programs and willingness to get evolved in their community to help fight crime. A jeweler by profession Mr. Bruce returned the next day, and donated a

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Your Weekly Horoscope and Lucky Numbers

ARIES:

March 22 to April 20

You are about to experience a major change in your life's direction and it may occur this week. Keep your mind open to all sorts of possibilities. You are likely to receive some important information. Of course, you may not realize its importance right away. It's only with the passage of time that you will look back on this event as pivotal. Make sure you don't miss it! **Lucky numbers: 09, 36, 53.**

TAURUS:

April 21 to May 21

You are unstoppable. It seems you can do anything. Your confidence and energy are high. There is no question that you are ready to take the world by storm. Is the world ready for you? Think carefully as you formulate plans for your new project. Whatever you do will succeed, but be sure you are doing what you really want to do rather than what others expect of you. **Lucky numbers: 40, 67, 98.**

GEMINI:

May 22 to June 21

It is likely that you are being held back by certain traumatic past events. Before you can make further progress in your life you must address these painful memories for the last time. If it feels too frightening to do alone, seek professional help. You will find that mustering the courage to do this difficult, emotional housecleaning is more than half the battle. **Lucky numbers: 15, 59, 75.**

CANCER:

June 22 to July 23

You could receive some sort of windfall this week. Use it wisely. Consider buying some time to figure out what you want to do with your life. It's likely that your career isn't exactly ringing your bells these days. You are ready for new challenges and opportunities. Meditate on what would make you happy and then take a systematic approach to achieving it. **Lucky numbers: 23, 46, 77.**

LEO:

July 24 to August 21

It is likely that you will succeed at whatever you set out to accomplish

LIQUOR LICENSE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that Aguilina Penados is applying for the renewal of a **MALT & CIDER LIQUOR LICENSE** for the year 2013 to operate **Fast Food** located in the Savannah Area, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

this week. If you have been held back by worries over the integrity of a relationship or the long-term prospects of a partnership, you can dispel concerns by confronting the person directly. You may find he or she has the same feelings about you! Honesty is important this week. **Lucky numbers: 07, 42, 85.**

VIRGO:

August 22 to September 21

Your energy may flag a bit this week. There is nothing to worry about, though you could take better care of your health. What happened to that exercise regimen you vowed to start? It is never too late to improve your eating habits and begin working out. Even if you only walk three times a week, you will notice a dramatic difference in your appearance and outlook. **Lucky numbers: 11, 29, 63.**

LIBRA:

September 22 to October 23

This week is meant for socializing and connecting. Your creativity is at an all-time high, so also try to work in some quiet time where you can do some writing or painting. If friends invite you out in the evening, by all means, take them up on the offer. You may meet someone who could be pivotal to your career. Be open to all possibilities. **Lucky numbers: 34, 44, 88.**

SCORPIO:

October 24 to November 21

You can't help but notice that your home looks a bit drab. This week you could plan to do something about it. It won't take much money, just time and a little creativity. Paint some samples on the walls. Your spirits will improve. You can make big changes to the mood of the place simply by introducing more color. **Lucky numbers: 04, 49, 82.**

SAGITTARIUS:

November 22 to December 21

You have a to-do list a mile long. You may spend a lot of your week running errands. It certainly takes a lot to run a household, as you no doubt realize. Try not to get overwhelmed with all that you feel needs to be done. Most of the deadlines are self-imposed. No one will know if you don't meet them. **Lucky numbers: 14, 27, 65.**

CAPRICORN:

December 22 to January 20

You are ready for a career change,

or at least a change of venue. Have you considered telecommuting one day per week? That might give you the variety you seek without needing to find a new job. You may meet someone this week or in the near future who will have a dramatic influence on your career decisions. Listen carefully. **Lucky numbers: 06, 32, 56.**

AQUARIUS:

January 21 to February 19

What is your dream? Answer that question as specifically as possible this week, then set about attaining that goal. All signs indicate that whatever you begin this week will pay off big time. Even though you may feel that

your dreams are too ambitious, there is no need to feel overwhelmed. Vow to take things one step at a time. Keep in mind the old adage, "Once begun is half done." **Lucky numbers: 17, 58, 95.**

PISCES:

February 20 to March 21

This may seem odd, but you may not be the person you think you are. There are indications that you have hidden talents. If they come out this week, no one will be more shocked than you! This could take your career in an entirely new direction. Strategize ways to incorporate this talent into your career. Your work will take on a new dynamic, and you will take a major leap forward. **Lucky numbers: 22, 89, 90.**

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Pope Francis hits out at global 'cult of money'

Pope Francis has called on world leaders to end the "cult of money" and to do more for the poor, in his first major speech on the financial crisis.

Free market economics had created a tyranny, in which people were valued only by their ability to consume, the pontiff told diplomats in the Vatican.

"Money has to serve, not to rule," he said, urging ethical financial reforms.

Meanwhile, the Vatican's own bank announced it would publish its annual report for the first time.

The Institute for Works of Religion, which has been at the centre of various financial scandals in recent



Pope Francis said more ethical financial reforms were needed to release people from the tyranny of money

years, is to hire an external accountancy firm to ensure it meets interna-

tional standards against money laundering.

The bank would launch a website and publish its annual report in an effort to increase transparency, new president Ernst Freyberg said.

The institute is considered one of the world's most secretive banks.

'Golden calf'

Pope Francis said life had become worse for people in both rich and poor countries, the BBC's David Willey in Rome reports.

In a biblical reference, the pontiff said the "worship of the golden calf" of old had found a new and heartless image in the current cult of money.

He added that reforms were urgently needed as poverty was becoming more and more evident.

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People struggled to live, and frequently in an undignified way, under the dictatorship of an economy which lacked any real human goal, Pope Francis said.

He made his remarks during an address to newly accredited ambassadors to the Holy See.

The new pontiff, who took over from Benedict XVI in March, is renowned for his efforts of tackling poverty in his native Argentina.

He has previously said that the Church has a special duty to defend the poor.

"I would like a Church that is poor and is for the poor," he said following his election as head of the world's 1.2 billion Catholics two months ago.

The pontiff said he had chosen the name Francis in a direct reference to St Francis of Assisi, the Italian founder of the Franciscan Order who was devoted to the poor.

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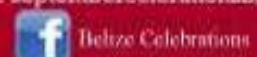
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Caribbean Centre for
Family and Human Rights

Ten Reasons Why Buggery Should Not Be Decriminalised

The Caribbean Centre for Family and Human Rights (CARIFAM) recognizes the fundamental and intrinsic dignity of all people whatever their orientation. We recognize that for reasons not yet fully explained by science, persons may experience attraction to members of their own sex. Overcoming these attractions can be a very painful challenge requiring the support, understanding and compassion of others. For this reason we distinguish between those who have a homosexual tendency and those who promote homosexuality. Our opposition to legalizing buggery (homosexual acts) is not an opposition to gay people but a recognition that marriage as between one man and one woman is for the common good – in the best interests of society. Our reasoning is as follows:-

1. Decriminalising buggery means legalizing homosexuality. This opens the door for the legalization of, every conceivable form of sexual perversion as a “sexual orientation” or “alternative lifestyle”.

The very argument used by gay activists to justify legal recognition of their “sexual orientation” and “alternative lifestyle” is the very same legal argument which can be used to justify legalization of at least

twenty one other sexual perversions including, bestiality voyeurism, and necrophilia. The North American Man Boy Love Association for example lobbies to ban age of consent laws thus legalizing sexual relations between children and adults (pedophilia).

Consider the obvious harm to society and the danger to children! Prosecution of child sexual abuse will be near impossible!

2. Legalising homosexuality opens the door to for legalization of same sex “marriage” and can also be used to justify legalizing other forms of relationships such as polygamy, incestuous couplings, or any type of “loving relationship”. This is wholly undesirable.

Once gay activists succeed in achieving the legalization of homosexuality they quickly demand “rights” to same sex marriage, adoption etc. Fourteen different countries, having begun with the decriminalizing of buggery, now have been coerced into accepting, embracing and legalizing homosexual marriages.

This was not done by referendum but by legislative power, against popular wishes, as per France. Thus marriage has been moved away from nature and biology to emotions and feelings -. If marriage is about

feelings then why is adultery wrong?

On being “in love”. If marriage is about feelings then why is adultery wrong? Being in love should not be the sole basis for demanding a right to marry, otherwise siblings, as well as parents and children, and other close relations, could also demand the right to marry each other.

Marriage is a natural institution between a man and a woman. It is rooted in human nature, not a social construct – present in every known society – and has been proven to be the best environment for the well being of men, women, and the upbringing of children.

Reproductive sex within marriage has a unique role, beneficial to all of society. The survival of the human species depends on heterosexual marriage.

3. It will undermine the family, the fundamental cell unit of society. Strong, healthy families are essential for strong, healthy societies.

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) Article 16 recognizes the family based on marriage between one man and one woman as “the natural and fundamental group unit of societyentitled to protection by society and the state”. This recognition is at the heart of the human rights project as Member States of the United Nations, many decades ago universally recognized that strong, intact families are essential to protection of fundamental human rights. If families breakdown, children, men and women become extremely vulnerable, and societies disintegrate. .

Social Science data repeatedly shows that children raised with their biological parents within marriage, as a general rule excel in every area of well being than to children brought up within other family settings.

The Caribbean, now more than ever, needs strong families. Saint Lucia’s rate of out of wedlock (extra marital) births is highest in the world (85.8 percent) as per UN World Fertility Report 2007 p. 70.

It will aggravate the problem of absentee fathers as the bisexual population grows. The problem of absentee fathers has been identified as a key cause for youth underachievement and delinquency. A World Bank Study in the Caribbean in 2003 entitled *Caribbean Youth Development - Issues and Policy Directions* urged Caribbean governments to make families and fathers a top public policy issue.

4. Same-sex marriage denies the child the basic right to a mother and father.

Both mothers and fathers are needed for a child’s healthy growth and development. Their contribution to parenting and child development are unique and distinct. Studies repeatedly show that a child’s best interests are served by being brought up by a mother and a father. The UN Convention on the Rights of the Child recognizes this fact by providing in Article 7 (1) that as far as possible every child “has a right to know and be cared for by his or her parents”.

Fatherlessness and motherlessness both have serious consequences which governments or government programs can never compensate for. We should not deliberately legislate to place the child at such a serious disadvantage from the onset of his life.

5. Homosexuality has not been proven to be genetic. Evidence suggests that environmental, familial, and personal influences contribute significantly to homosexual tendencies. A tendency toward homosexuality need not be acted upon. It can be successfully overcome.

There is no compelling empirical or biological evidence which confirms that homosexual behavior is genetic. Even if it were it should be discouraged because, like a tendency towards alcoholism, which has been proven to be genetic, it is unhealthy (a biological fact), and harms the individual and society.

Additionally, the prevalence of homosexuality is repeatedly grossly

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exaggerated both regionally and internationally. The Kinseyan notion that 10% of the population of the United States is gay has been seriously undermined by new studies which have concluded that the actual percentage of male homosexuals in the United States is somewhere between 2-3 %. Likewise, the unsubstantiated claim by Dr. Edward Greene United Nations Special Envoy for the Caribbean on HIV/AIDS that in some Caribbean countries 20 % of men are gays is grossly exaggerated.

Caribbean Governments should make adequate resources available for the establishment of programmes to assist persons struggling with same sex attractions so that they can overcome them. There are many, many, stories of persons who have successfully overcome unwanted same sex attractions. Best practice models should be carefully studied and adapted to our Caribbean context.

For a list of groups and organizations in the US and internationally that help people overcome unwanted same sex attractions visit www.pathinfo.org.

6. Homosexuality is an unhealthy and harmful practice which leads to injury, disease, and early death. According to the US Centers for disease Control, men who have sex with men are 44 to 86 times more likely to be HIV positive than men who do not have sex with men.

Empirical evidence and social science data clearly show that homosexual activity is an unhealthy and harmful practice which leads to injury, disease and early death, and to increased prevalence of sexually transmitted diseases HIV/AIDS, depression, etc. The infection rates among homosexuals with men are increasing on a daily basis. This continuing spread has been termed a syndemic.

The Pan Caribbean Partnership on HIV/AIDS (PANCAP) Strategic Plan 2006-2012 notes that the few studies of men who have sex with men in the Caribbean estimate very high HIV rates from 5 to 33 per cent (%). Decriminalisation of buggery will lead to an increase in the prevalence of HIV/AIDS. Women will be exposed to more diseases from their promiscuous men folk.

7. Engaging is homosexuality or any kind of "alternative sexual lifestyle" is not a human right.

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) recognizes the right of men and woman of full age to marry and found a family. There is no binding universally accepted human rights instrument which recognizes homosexuality or sexual orientation as a human right.

Human rights have never been recognised based on behavior or

preference. In case of "sexual orientation" this amounts to behavior which lacks clear definition and can change on a daily basis.

8. Gay rights activists promote a radical agenda which seeks to undermine fundamental Judeo-Christian principles which have been the bedrock of western civilization.

It is important to distinguish between the actions of the person with a homosexual tendency who genuinely needs help to overcome this unwanted same sex attraction and the gay activist.

The agenda of gay activists is not to seek health and well being but to impose their radical views on all people with total disregard for freedom of religion, freedom of speech, freedom of conscience which are all universally recognized fundamental human rights.

Not all homosexuals are gay activists. There are many homosexuals who do not support gay marriage for all or some of the reasons which have been outlined above. Recent demonstrations against gay marriage in France included groups of homosexuals publicly opposed to gay marriage. One of these persons was well known French Mayor, Jean Marc, (homosexual) who noted that "The rights of children trump the rights to children".

9. The sexual rights agenda imposes acceptance of "alternative lifestyles" on all peoples. It undermines freedom of religion and freedom of conscience. It disregards sovereign rights of states, unfairly coerces smaller developing nations and unjustly links recognition of these "rights" to development aid. This is a new form of cultural imperialism.

Individuals are denied the freedom to express a dissenting view and are labeled as "homophobic" for expressing opinions even if they do so respectfully. Attempts are made to embarrass them publicly and even to deny them employment. Even pastors and priests have faced criminal prosecution for preaching against homosexuality to their congregations in their churches within the context of their religious beliefs.

Gay activists are not a minority group. They are extremely well funded and powerful. Due to their influence, developing countries within the Caribbean are under immense pressure from more developed countries to decriminalize buggery laws or lose development aid. This cultural imperialism is unacceptable. Caribbean countries are sovereign, each democratically elected and accountable to the people of their respective countries within the Caribbean.

10. Legalising buggery will deny the fundamental right of parents to determine the quality of education which their children receive.

Once laws are changed, it is inevitable that school curriculums will be adjusted so as to be in conformity with current legislation.

Even where buggery remains illegal, the right of parents to determine the quality of education their children receive is already being infringed. Recently parents were up in arms in Jamaica because material directly promoting homosexuality was included in the school Health and Family Life Education (HFLE) Curriculum without the knowledge or consent of parents. The Minister of Education, Ronald Thwaites pulled the curriculum out of schools and apologized to angry parents saying "I consider sections of this material inappropriate for any age and certainly for the grade seven and eight for which it is designed." See Jamaica Gleaner September 15, 2012.

In some Western countries, even where parents are homeschooling, they are prohibited from teaching that homosexuality is wrong even if that teaching is based on their religious beliefs. Parents face penalties - even jail terms! In some cases parents are not permitted to opt children of these harmful curriculums or even to home school!

Discrimination is an inevitable part of human activity. Our ability to discriminate helps us make safe and wise decisions. Arbitrary discrimination is always wrong and unjust. CARIFAM opposes all unjust discrimination against

homosexuals. However, we maintain the unique importance of preserving marriage as between one man and one woman. Legally protecting marriage is absolutely necessary for human flourishing, for stable healthy families and societies, and for the continued survival of the human species!

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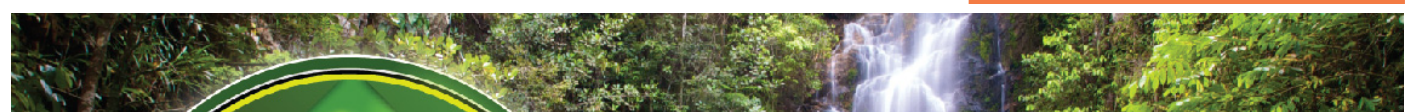
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New Lawyer

Joe grew up in a small town, then moved away to attend college and law school. He decided to come back to the small town because he could be a big man in this small town. He really wanted to impress everyone. He opened his new law office, but business was very slow at first. One day, he saw a man coming up the sidewalk. He decided to make a big impression on this new client when he arrived.

As the man came to the door, Joe picked up the phone. He motioned the man in, all the while talking..

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Spaghetti

A wealthy man was having an affair with an Italian woman for a few years.

One night, during one of their rendezvous, she confided in him that she was pregnant.

Not wanting to ruin his reputation or his marriage, he paid her a large sum of money if she would go to Italy to have the child. If she stayed in Italy, he would also provide child support until the child turned 18.

She agreed, but wondered how he would know when the baby was born. To keep it discrete, he told her to mail him a post card, and write "Spaghetti" on the back. He would then arrange for child support.

One day, about 9 months later, he came home to his confused wife.

"Honey," she said, "you received a very strange post card today."

"Oh, just give it to me and I'll explain it later," he said.

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"Okay. Tell the Attorney General that I'll meet with him next week to discuss the details.. "

This sort of thing went on for almost 5 minutes. All the while the man sat patiently as Joe rattled instructions. Finally, Joe put down the phone and turned to the man. "I'm sorry for the delay, but as you can see, I'm very busy.

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Application Procedure

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Costa Rica's president in scandal over 'drugs' jet

Revelations that Costa Rica's president used the jet of a Colombian with alleged links to drugs trafficking have led to three high-profile resignations.

The head of intelligence and security, **Mauricio Boraschi**, and presidential aide **Irene Pacheco** stepped down on Thursday. Communications Minister **Francisco Chacon** resigned on Wednesday.

President **Laura Chinchilla** travelled twice on **Gabriel Morales Fallon's** jet.

She said *"a few key people"* had failed in their duties to protect her.

President Chinchilla is said to have used the jet in March to fly to Venezuela for the funeral of the former leader **Hugo Chavez**. She then used the plane again last weekend for a private trip to Peru.

But it has since emerged that both the jet, and its owner **Gabriel Morales Fallon**, were under investigation by Costa Rican intelligence officials for possible ties to drug trafficking.

Mr Morales was *"linked to very complicated and complex situations from a criminal point of view"*, Mr Boraschi said earlier in the week, though he had no



Laura Chinchilla has been vocal about the need to tackle drug cartels

convictions and was not subject to any arrest warrant.

The use of the jet came about after

Mr Morales reportedly introduced himself to Mr Chacon under a false name.

Mr Chacon has admitted he did not fully vet Mr Morales and the aircraft.

Before his resignation was announced, **Mauricio Boraschi**, who was also Costa Rica's anti-drugs commissioner, said his agency had not been told that the president was using the private aircraft.

Colombian authorities have investigated Mr Morales over alleged ties to jailed Brazilian drug trafficker **Luis Carlos Ramirez**. Mr Morales has denied any such links.

President Chinchilla has long been vocal about the need to tackle the drugs threat in the region.

Earlier this month, she discussed the problem of drug cartels with US President Obama during his visit to Costa Rica.

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It has come to the notice of the Elections and Boundaries Department that certain false and unauthorized ballot papers relating to the Village Council Elections are currently being circulated to electors by persons unknown. These ballot papers resemble the official ballot papers and are capable of misleading electors.

Under Rule 16 of the Representation of the People Election Rules, it is an offence for any person other than the Chief Elections Officer or a person authorized by the Chief Elections Officer to print or publish any forms, including ballot papers. The penalty for this offence is a fine of \$500.00 or imprisonment for a term of up to three months or to both such fine and imprisonment. It is also an offence to distribute false ballot papers and such an offence is punishable accordingly.

All electors for Village Council Elections are therefore advised to carefully examine their ballot papers before casting their vote. The official ballot paper issued by the election clerk/officer bears the initials of the election clerk/officer on the back of it and carries a serial number.

Any ballot papers not issued by the Elections and Boundaries Department and not initialed by the election clerk/officer are invalid and will be rejected at the time of counting.

All electors are therefore warned to be vigilant in casting their votes so that their ballot papers are not rejected.

Vacancy For Store Manager

A & R Enterprises Ltd. is looking for a person to fill the post of Store Manager for its Santa Elena branch.

Persons must be at least 25 years old with an associate degree or equivalent in business.

Please send application letter with the following:

- 1. Complete Resume**
- 2. Copy of certificates of tertiary education**
- 3. At least two letters of recommendation**

Send all documents to:
General Manager
A&R Enterprises Ltd.
George Price Highway
Santa Elena Town

Elections and Boundaries Commission
Belize, 13th May 2013

DISSOLUTION OF VILLAGE COUNCILS

WHEREAS, Section 10 (1) of the Village Councils Act Chapter 88 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000-2003, provides that the Elections and Boundaries Commission shall, at least seven days before any general election of members of the council becomes due under the provisions of this Act or any regulations made thereunder, dissolve that council, by Order published in the Gazette and on the radio;

AND WHEREAS, the general election of members of the Village Councils set out in the Schedule hereto becomes due on **the 26th May, 2013**;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the aforesaid section 10 (1) of the Village Councils Act, the Elections and Boundaries Commission hereby dissolves the Village Councils set out in the Schedule hereto **with effect from 19th May 2013**

As from the said 19th May 2013, the following provisions shall apply in accordance with Section 11 of the said Act:-

(a) All the powers, duties and liabilities of the outgoing Council shall, until the constitution of a new Council, be exercised, performed and discharged by the persons who held the posts of Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer of the Council immediately before the dissolution; and

(b) All property belonging to or vested in or in the occupation of the Council shall, during the period aforesaid, vest in and be in the occupation, control and management of the persons indicated in paragraph (a) above.

DATED this 13th May 2013

SIGNED: (BERNARD Q. PITTS)

CHAIRMAN

ELECTIONS AND BOUNDARIES COMMISSION

BELIZE DISTRICT

Hattieville
 Biscayne
 Gardenia
 May Pen
 Mahogany Heights
 Crooked Tree

ORANGE WALK DISTRICT

Douglas
 San Felipe
 Santa Cruz
 Fire Burn

CAYO DISTRICT

Yalbac
 La Gracia
 Santa Teresita
 Teakettle

STANN CREEK DISTRICT

Alta Vista
 Hummingbird
 Middlesex
 Steadfast
 Valley Community

TOLEDO DISTRICT

San Pedro Colombia
 Corazon Creek
 Dolores
 Otoxha
 San Lucas
 Golden Stream
 Indian Creek
 Medina Bank
 San Miguel
 Silver Creek

COROZAL DISTRICT

Sarteneja
 Concepcion
 San Victor
 San Andres
 San Antonio

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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Annual General Meeting
NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Friday 24 May 2013 at 5:00 pm
AUDITORIUM
OCTAVIA WAIGHT CENTRE



St. Martin's
CREDIT UNION
Serving the Cayo District since 1949

Join us and win great prizes including a laptop and cash prizes. Food and drinks will be provided as well as bus transportation at 4:00pm and 4:30 pm starting from:

La Loma Luz boulevard **along western highway** turning **right by Social Security**, turning left **onto George Price** boulevard, turning right **onto wooden bridge**, around **Macal River Park and cemetery**, all along **Joseph Andrews Drive** turning **left onto Bullet Tree road** all the way up to the **entrance of Santiago Juan Layout**, returning back to **Joseph Andrews Drive**, all the way **up to Cayo Twist**, turning **left onto Buena Vista Street**, passing **CET**, turning **right to Octavia Waight Centre**.

Our offices will close at 1:00 pm on Friday 24 May and reopen for business on Tuesday 28 May 2013. Our ATM and those of NETWORK ONE will be available for your use.



FRIDAY 24 MAY 2013 - 5:00 pm - AUDITORIUM, OCTAVIA WAIGHT CENTRE

ELECTIONS & BOUNDARIES DEPARTMENT

Public Notice

The Elections and Boundaries Commission, in accordance with Part II, Sections 6 and Part VI, Section 35 of the Village Councils Act, Chapter 88 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2003, hereby release the official schedule for Village/Community Council Elections 2013

In all villages nomination opens at 9:00 a.m. and closes at 10:00 a.m.

No asterisks denote Poll closes at 1:00 p.m. * Denote Poll closes at 3:00 p.m. ** Denote Poll closes at 5:00 p.m.

26TH May 2013

| COROZAL | | ORANGE WALK | | BELIZE DISTRICT | |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| VILLAGE | VENUE | VILLAGE | VENUE | VILLAGE | VENUE |
| 1. Sarteneja ** | La Immaculada RC School | 1. Douglas * | Our Lady of Fatima RC School | 1. Hattieville ** | Govt. School |
| 2. Concepción ** | Comm. Center | | | 2. Biscayne | Govt. School |
| 3. San Víctor * | RC School | 2. Santa Cruz | Govt. School | 3. Gardenia | Comm. Center |
| 4. San Andrés * | Comm. Center | 3. San Felipe ** | St Michaels RC School | 4. May Pen | Seventh Day Adventist School |
| 5. San Antonio | Comm. Center | 4. Fire Burn | Govt. School | 5. Mahogany Heights | St Agnes Anglican School |
| | | | | 6. Crooked Tree * | Comm. Center |

| CAYO | | STANN CREEK | | TOLEDO | |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| VILLAGE | VENUE | VILLAGE | VENUE | VILLAGE | VENUE |
| 1. Yalbac | Govt. School | 1. Alta Vista | Comm. Center | 1. San Pedro Columbia ** | RC School |
| 2. La Gracia | Govt. School | 2. Hummingbird | Comm. Center | 2. Corazon Creek | Comm. Center |
| 3. Santa Teresita | Govt. School | 3. Middlesex | St. Augustine RC School | 3. Dolores | Comm. Center |
| 4. Teakettle ** | St. Edmond Champion RC School | 4. Steadfast | Comm. Center | 4. Otoxha | St. Mark RC School |
| | | 5. Valley Community | Comm. Center | 5. San Lucas | Comm. Center |
| | | | | 6. Golden Stream | Govt. School |
| | | | | 7. Indian Creek | RC School |
| | | | | 8. Medina Bank | Govt. School |
| | | | | 9. San Miguel | Comm. Center |
| | | | | 10. Silver Creek | Comm. Center |

Official Result Of The 12 May 2013 Village Council Elections

ORANGE WALK DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Trial Farm | | | | | 1260 | 25 | |
| | | Hipolito O. Briceno | Chairperson | 887 | Elected | | | 58 |
| | | Juan J. Rodriguez | Chairperson | 315 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 7100 | | |
| | | Jacqueline Harris | Member | 884 | Elected | | | 27 |
| | | Jorge A. Gentle | Member | 873 | Elected | | | |
| | | Leopoldo F. Coyock | Member | 867 | Elected | | | |
| | | Loriane C. Usher | Member | 864 | Elected | | | |
| | | Roberto R. Rejon | Member | 859 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ronald E. Mendoza | Member | 855 | Elected | | | |
| | | Esmeralda Hernandez | Member | 299 | | | | |
| | | Devora E. Pinelo | Member | 315 | | | | |
| | | Gloria E. Martinez | Member | 315 | | | | |
| | | Oscar A. Cornel | Member | 309 | | | | |
| | | Mauricio Calderon | Member | 309 | | | | |
| | | Digno Polanco | Member | 324 | | | | |
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ORANGE WALK DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | San Lazaro | | | | | 517 | 4 | |
| | | Noel Carrillo | Chairperson | 325 | Elected | | | 14 |
| | | Hermilo Ramirez | Chairperson | 178 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2994 | | |
| | | Ulises Melara | Member | 323 | Elected | | | 15 |
| | | Carlos Cal | Member | 320 | Elected | | | |
| | | Nahsali Melara | Member | 315 | Elected | | | |
| | | Selina Sanchez | Member | 310 | Elected | | | |
| | | Domingo Moguel | Member | 318 | Elected | | | |
| | | Renan Carballo | Member | 319 | Elected | | | |
| | | Emma Carrillo | Member | 167 | | | | |
| | | Isau Moguel | Member | 185 | | | | |
| | | David Tillett | Member | 185 | | | | |
| | | Senaida Sanchez | Member | 170 | | | | |
| | | Pablo Rodriguez | Member | 182 | | | | |
| | | Virginio Carrillo | Member | 185 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

ORANGE WALK DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|----------|----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Trinidad | | | | | 385 | 1 | |
| | | German Tillett | Chairperson | 199 | Elected | | | 5 |
| | | Roberto S. Bobadilla | Chairperson | 181 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2211 | | |
| | | Nuri N. Tillett | Member | 202 | Elected | | | 9 |
| | | Teodoro E. Cawich | Member | 198 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gerardo A. Perez | Member | 193 | Elected | | | |
| | | Kevin A. Quime | Member | 200 | Elected | | | |
| | | Danny K. Medina | Member | 194 | Elected | | | |
| | | Hulbert N. Jenkins | Member | 195 | Elected | | | |
| | | Yasser K. Sosa | Member | 157 | | | | |
| | | Wendy A. Coye | Member | 171 | | | | |
| | | Luis Leomar Tun | Member | 174 | | | | |
| | | Ian M. Herrera | Member | 174 | | | | |
| | | Natalio Medina | Member | 174 | | | | |
| | | Amir Edgar Carrillo | Member | 170 | | | | |
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Official Result Of The 12 May 2013 Village Council Elections

| ORANGE WALK DISTRICT | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
| 12/05/2013 | Chan Pine Ridge | | | | | 65 | | |
| | | Isidro Tzul | Chairperson | 142 | Elected | | | 10 |
| | | Feliciano Torres | Chairperson | 113 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1492 | | |
| | | Rafael Torres | Member | 131 | Elected | | | 11 |
| | | Efrian Tzul | Member | 133 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ruben Morales | Member | 130 | Elected | | | |
| | | Miguelito Chan | Member | 132 | Elected | | | |
| | | Julio Gutierrez | Member | 124 | Elected | | | |
| | | Shanini Carrillo | Member | 122 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jamie Carrillo | Member | 116 | | | | |
| | | German Tzul | Member | 114 | | | | |
| | | Florencio Cawich | Member | 121 | | | | |
| | | Cornelio Torres | Member | 120 | | | | |
| | | Abuncio Flores | Member | 119 | | | | |
| | | Heber Patt | Member | 119 | | | | |
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| BELIZE DISTRICT | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
| 12/05/2013 | Maskall | | | | | 179 | 1 | |
| | | Leslie Pascascio | Chairperson | 131 | Elected | | | 6 |
| | | Edmond Carter | Chairperson | 42 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | German Ramirez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Anita Madrill | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Elton Guevara | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Earlene Castro | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Cherry Pascascio | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Launetta Theus | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

| BELIZE DISTRICT | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
| 12/05/2013 | Bomba | | | | | | | |
| | | Ana Marilu Ramirez | Chairperson | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Melvorn M. Ramirez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Osmin Joel Lazo | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Shelmadine Ramirez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Ana Marisol Lazo | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Glenford E. Ramirez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Maritza D. Lazo | Member | | Uncontested | | | |

| BELIZE DISTRICT | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
| 12/05/2013 | Boston | | | | | 48 | | |
| | | Sonny Cortez | Chairperson | 23 | Elected | | | 4 |
| | | Elida Alvarado | Chairperson | 21 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 245 | | |
| | | Lesby Cortez | Member | 24 | Elected | | | |
| | | Efrain Cortez | Member | 23 | Elected | | | |

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| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|---------|-------------------|----------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Boston | | | | | | | |
| | | Sara Chub | Member | 25 | Elected | | | 3 |
| | | Damacio Vello | Member | 22 | Elected | | | |
| | | Simiona Nicholas | Member | 22 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ana Leal | Member | 23 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sharret Vaccaro | Member | 21 | | | | |
| | | Elias Hercules | Member | 21 | | | | |
| | | Nigel O. Alvarado | Member | 20 | | | | |
| | | Nicholas Ozaeta | Member | 20 | | | | |
| | | Claudia Lopez | Member | 21 | | | | |
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BELIZE DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Corazalito | | | | | 30 | | |
| | | Bernard Casanova | Chairperson | 15 | Elected | | | 1 |
| | | Alberto Villanueva | Chairperson | 14 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 161 | | |
| | | Theresa Godoy Viamill | Member | 21 | Elected | | | 1 |
| | | Sandra Villanueva | Member | 25 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Villanueva | Member | 23 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rodney Casanova | Member | 25 | Elected | | | |
| | | Wayne Godoy | Member | 23 | Elected | | | |
| | | Victor Viamill | Member | 26 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rosaura Olivera | Member | 17 | | | | |
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BELIZE DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Lucky Strike | | | | | 129 | 1 | |
| | | Esther Smith | Chairperson | 71 | Elected | | | 1 |
| | | Oscar Pollard Jr. | Chairperson | 57 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 699 | | |
| | | Andrew Chacon | Member | 67 | Elected | | | 6 |
| | | Charles Galvez | Member | 71 | Elected | | | |
| | | Stanley Gregorio | Member | 79 | Elected | | | |
| | | Samantha Lawson | Member | 66 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sharon Jones | Member | 76 | Elected | | | |
| | | Luis Alvarez | Member | 64 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rosalva Martinez | Member | 40 | | | | |
| | | Oscar Pollard Sr. | Member | 51 | | | | |
| | | Jose Miranda | Member | 47 | | | | |
| | | Michelle Aldana | Member | 49 | | | | |
| | | Lincoln Stephen | Member | 38 | | | | |
| | | Allan Jones Jr. | Member | 45 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

BELIZE DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|----------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Rockstone Pond | | | | | 53 | 1 | |
| | | Jeffery Hemsley | Chairperson | 24 | Elected | | | 5 |
| | | Sydney Prince | Chairperson | 24 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 195 | | |
| | | Tanisha Lopez | Member | 24 | Elected | | | |
| | | Shaneque Stephenson | Member | 27 | Elected | | | |
| | | Kendra Herbert | Member | 27 | Elected | | | |

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BELIZE DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------|----------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Rockstone Pond | Sheriee Herbert | Member | 31 | Elected | | | 5 |
| | | Floyd Herbert | Member | 30 | Elected | | | |
| | | Lorie Wallace | Member | 29 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rosita Lopez | Member | 22 | | | | |
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BELIZE DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|---------|------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Santana | | | | | 41 | 1 | |
| | | Dickie Hernandez | Chairperson | 21 | Elected | | | 5 |
| | | Nigel A. Mejia | Chairperson | 21 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 208 | | |
| | | Juliet Stephen | Member | 29 | Elected | | | 3 |
| | | Mariciano Mejia | Member | 28 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sherlene S. Reid | Member | 24 | Elected | | | |
| | | Christeline Sutherland | Member | 22 | Elected | | | |
| | | Josephine C. Mejia | Member | 22 | Elected | | | |
| | | Francisca F. Mejia | Member | 22 | Elected | | | |
| | | Marvin Reid | Member | 17 | | | | |
| | | Jessica Hernandez | Member | 20 | | | | |
| | | William O. Stephen | Member | 21 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

BELIZE DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | St. Ann’s | | | | | | | |
| | | Richard Austin Swift | Chairperson | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Oscar Payes | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Phyllis Shalene Swift | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Mario Ernesto Mejia | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Ian Elvis Enriquez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Nadine Michelle Cuthkelvin | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Louis Zetina | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

CAYO DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Esperanza | | | | | 397 | 1 | |
| | | Wayne Casey | Chairperson | 271 | Elected | | | 16 |
| | | Kennedy L Fitzgerald Gentle | Chairperson | 110 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2256 | | |
| | | Shirline M. Wiltshire | Member | 273 | Elected | | | 7 |
| | | Eldon August | Member | 291 | Elected | | | |
| | | Shern S. Robateau | Member | 271 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose A .Cante | Member | 273 | Elected | | | |
| | | Angelita L. Requena | Member | 266 | Elected | | | |
| | | Mark A. Armstrong | Member | 285 | Elected | | | |
| | | Benjamin I. Sanchez | Member | 90 | | | | |
| | | Jesus B. Cunil | Member | 86 | | | | |
| | | Michael Wagner | Member | 114 | | | | |
| | | Johnny Tejeda | Member | 105 | | | | |
| | | Shanti Mae Gentle | Member | 97 | | | | |
| | | Donald E.Harris | Member | 98 | | | | |

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CAYO DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Valley Of Peace | | | | | 516 | 2 | |
| | | Modesto Duenas Jr. | Chairperson | 269 | Elected | | | 14 |
| | | Manuel Lemus | Chairperson | 120 | | | | |
| | | Godofredo Blandon | Chairperson | 113 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2765 | | 18 |
| | | Jose Humberto Mesa | Member | 255 | Elected | | | |
| | | Nelson M. Montalvo | Member | 236 | Elected | | | |
| | | Yoalma E. Poca Sangre | Member | 248 | Elected | | | |
| | | Mario C. Lopez | Member | 297 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Tzalam | Member | 259 | Elected | | | |
| | | Juan Antonio Arias | Member | 306 | Elected | | | |
| | | Janeth N. Martinez | Member | 96 | | | | |
| | | Viallto Chen | Member | 109 | | | | |
| | | Nilo De Jesus Rosa | Member | 121 | | | | |
| | | Manuel De Jesus Cerrito | Member | 110 | | | | |
| | | Pedro Ical | Member | 97 | | | | |
| | | Ines E. Landero | Member | 97 | | | | |
| | | Roberto Batres | Member | 72 | | | | |
| | | Jose R Melara | Member | 122 | | | | |
| | | Marvin G. Davila | Member | 71 | | | | |
| | | Blanca Rodrguez | Member | 79 | | | | |
| | | Jose A. Cerritos | Member | 111 | | | | |
| | | Ismaiel A. Lopez | Member | 61 | | | | |
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CAYO DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Unitedville | | | | | 424 | 1 | |
| | | Miguel Angel Juan | Chairperson | 289 | Elected | | | 27 |
| | | Aaron Swift | Chairperson | 108 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2216 | | |
| | | Eric W. Gongora | Member | 269 | Elected | | | 43 |
| | | Lind S. Perez | Member | 272 | Elected | | | |
| | | Samuel J. Mendoza | Member | 277 | Elected | | | |
| | | Quinton R. Middleton | Member | 274 | Elected | | | |
| | | Efrain Lemos | Member | 274 | Elected | | | |
| | | Eduardo Bautista | Member | 263 | Elected | | | |
| | | Alberto A. Myers | Member | 105 | | | | |
| | | Melisa M. Villanueva | Member | 91 | | | | |
| | | Orlando Vasquez | Member | 87 | | | | |
| | | Earl B. Castillo | Member | 87 | | | | |
| | | Angelita R. Villas | Member | 85 | | | | |
| | | Ana M. Sulton | Member | 89 | | | | |
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CAYO DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Blackman Eddy | Irma Yolanda Molina | Chairperson | 91 | Elected | 223 | 0 | |
| | | Emerita Flowers | Chairperson | 70 | | | | 6 |
| | | Shirley Mai White | Chairperson | 56 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1273 | | |
| | | Omar Gair | Member | 103 | Elected | | | |
| | | Audrey C. Newsham | Member | 87 | Elected | | | |
| | | Keino Green | Member | 84 | Elected | | | |
| | | Adelita Robateau | Member | 82 | Elected | | | |
| | | David Cocon | Member | 79 | Elected | | | |

Mexico official fired for daughter's 'abuse of power'

Mexican President Enrique Pena Nieto has fired a senior official over an incident caused by his daughter at an exclusive restaurant last month.

Humberto Benitez Trevino's daughter caused outrage by using his influence to try to close down the bistro after it did not give her a table she wanted.

The episode sparked a discussion about abuse of power in the country.

The sacking suggests that Mexico has grown more sensitive to the issue, correspondents say.

The episode became a trending topic on Twitter under the hashtag #ladyprofeco, after her father's agency.

Mt Benitez, the attorney-general for consumer protection, and his daughter



Mexican President Enrique Pena Nieto

ter both apologised, but this did little to appease public anger.

On Wednesday, President Pena

Nieto ordered his dismissal.

The restaurant, Maximo Bistro in Mexico City, was raided by officials

after Andrea Benitez was not offered the table she had asked for.

The government said that although Mr Benitez was not personally involved in the raid, the episode had become embarrassing for the institution.

LIQUOR LICENSE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that **Sheng Wen Wu** is applying for the renewal of a **SHOP LIQUOR LICENSE** for the year 2013 to operate **Alan's Store** located on Mars Street, Hillview Area, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

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| 12/05/2013 | Blackman Eddy | Hubert Flowers | Member | 77 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sharett Ireland | Member | 76 | | | | |
| | | Cheryl Meighan | Member | 74 | | | | |
| | | Gretel Robateau | Member | 74 | | | | |
| | | Sergio Calderon | Member | 70 | | | | |
| | | Cesar Majano | Member | 70 | | | | |
| | | Oscar Gonzalez | Member | 60 | | | | |
| | | Sylvia Calderon | Member | 59 | | | | |
| | | Orlando Trapp | Member | 59 | | | | |
| | | Ordel Alford | Member | 58 | | | | |
| | | Dion Codrington | Member | 55 | | | | |
| | | Shannon Harris | Member | 51 | | | | |
| | | Phillip Budna | Member | 47 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Cristo Rey | Jovanni Fernando Montalban | Chairperson | 259 | Elected | 322 | 1 | |
| | | Javier Magana | Chairperson | 45 | | | | 18 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1721 | | |
| | | Jesse Alberto Madrid | Member | 242 | Elected | | | 17 |
| | | Emilio Tzib | Member | 239 | Elected | | | |
| | | Edward Jeronie Tut | Member | 234 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Alberto Tut | Member | 231 | Elected | | | |
| | | Matias Carlos Moh | Member | 244 | Elected | | | |
| | | Vidal Tun | Member | 228 | Elected | | | |
| | | Elvis Tzib | Member | 49 | | | | |
| | | Melissa Ku | Member | 54 | | | | |
| | | Adelita Ermelita Moh | Member | 58 | | | | |
| | | Yasser McNabb | Member | 47 | | | | |
| | | Renfred August | Member | 40 | | | | |
| | | Ignacia Reyes | Member | 38 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Indepen- dence | | | | | 1134 | 2 | |
| | | Antonio T. Zabaneh | Chairperson | 503 | Elected | | | |
| | | Francis Wagner | Chairperson | 204 | | | | |
| | | Albert Leslie | Chairperson | 427 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 6573 | | |
| | | Nathan Young | Members | 509 | Elected | | | |
| | | Diego Linarez | Members | 462 | Elected | | | |
| | | Emilio Zabaneh | Members | 450 | Elected | | | |
| | | Edna Murray | Members | 438 | Elected | | | |
| | | Elroy Foreman | Members | 435 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carol Burgess | Members | 488 | Elected | | | |
| | | Vilma Almendarez | Members | 419 | | | | |
| | | Arilee Cabral | Members | 420 | | | | |
| | | Guillermo Murray | Members | 410 | | | | |
| | | Denzel M. Garbutt | Members | 399 | | | | |
| | | Chadwick Anderson | Members | 434 | | | | |
| | | Keisha M. Beck | Members | 395 | | | | |
| | | Clifton F Garbutt | Members | 291 | | | | |
| | | Curtis Godoy | Members | 236 | | | | |
| | | Richard Logan | Members | 183 | | | | |
| | | Gonzalo Reyes | Members | 174 | | | | |
| | | Marita Mejia | Members | 174 | | | | |
| | | Marita Linarez | Members | 256 | | | | |

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|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | San Juan/ Cowpen | | | | | 349 | 1 | |
| | | Zabdiel Martinez | Chairperson | 263 | Elected | | | 33 |
| | | Marco A. Bueso | Chairperson | 53 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1866 | | |
| | | Jose J. Lemos | Members | 257 | Elected | | | 21 |
| | | Marbel Garcia | Members | 254 | Elected | | | |
| | | Maldo Q. Hernandez | Members | 250 | Elected | | | |
| | | Isaura A. Gutierrez | Members | 248 | Elected | | | |
| | | Cesar Roman Ortiz | Members | 249 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose M. Guerra | Members | 247 | Elected | | | |
| | | Pantaleon Escobar | Members | 62 | | | | |
| | | Celedonio Lopez | Members | 55 | | | | |
| | | Romualdo Aguilar | Members | 56 | | | | |
| | | Jose A. Arevalo | Members | 53 | | | | |
| | | Jose Arita | Members | 55 | | | | |
| | | Milagro Urizar | Members | 59 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Maya Mopan | | | | | 226 | 11 | |
| | | Primitivo Teul | Chairperson | 111 | Elected | | | 5 |
| | | Rosalio Tush | Chairperson | 110 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1298 | | |
| | | Abel Pop | Members | 120 | Elected | | | 6 |
| | | Bonifacio Cal | Members | 114 | Elected | | | |
| | | Modesto Chiac | Members | 113 | Elected | | | |
| | | Joshua Teck | Members | 111 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gregorio Sho | Members | 110 | Elected | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Maya Mopan | Ignacio Coy | Members | 108 | Elected | | | |
| | | Javier Coc | Members | 107 | | | | |
| | | Erasmus Teck | Members | 104 | | | | |
| | | Higinio Chiac | Members | 104 | | | | |
| | | Antonio Coc | Members | 97 | | | | |
| | | Abraham Coc | Members | 100 | | | | |
| | | Eusebio Choc | Members | 104 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | George Town | | | | | 107 | 7 | |
| | | Delton Marin | Chairperson | 59 | Elected | | | |
| | | Fabian Castillo | Chairperson | 48 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

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|---------------|----------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Red Bank | | | | | 406 | | |
| | | Juan Acal | Chairperson | 217 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jonathan Cho | Chairperson | 189 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 3 |
| | | | | | | 2425 | | |
| | | Alberto Ogaldez | Members | 214 | Elected | | | |
| | | Thomas Pau | Members | 213 | Elected | | | |
| | | Pedro Coc | Members | 213 | Elected | | | |
| | | William Salam | Members | 214 | Elected | | | |
| | | Santiago Sub | Members | 214 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gonzago Cal | Members | 213 | Elected | | | |
| | | Juan Cal | Members | 191 | | | | |
| | | Domingo Chun | Members | 190 | | | | |
| | | Leonzo Ical | Members | 190 | | | | |
| | | Santiago Cal | Members | 189 | | | | |
| | | Eduardo Cho Jr. | Members | 190 | | | | |
| | | Christino Acal | Members | 191 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | San Roman | | | | | 301 | | 7 |
| | | Veluciano Teul | Chairperson | 104 | Elected | | | |
| | | Orticio P. Tush | Chairperson | 96 | | | | |
| | | Justino Ical | Chairperson | 94 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1660 | | 3 |
| | | Santos Acal | Members | 170 | Elected | | | |
| | | Norma Choc | Members | 168 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gregorio Ical | Members | 100 | Elected | | | |
| | | Mark Ical | Members | 96 | Elected | | | |
| | | Romaldo Ical | Members | 95 | Elected | | | |
| | | Eugenio Choc | Members | 98 | Elected | | | |
| | | Pedro Cucul | Members | 88 | | | | |
| | | Patricio Mess | Members | 94 | | | | |
| | | Vicente Ical | Members | 90 | | | | |
| | | Faustino Choc | Members | 93 | | | | |
| | | Zacharias Cal | Members | 93 | | | | |
| | | Juan Ical | Members | 94 | | | | |
| | | Leonicio Pop | Members | 92 | | | | |
| | | Augustine Choc | Members | 93 | | | | |
| | | Roberto Choc | Members | 95 | | | | |
| | | Flavio Choc | Members | 88 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Santa Rosa | | | | | 201 | | |
| | | Antonio Shal | Chairperson | 97 | Elected | | | 20 |
| | | Herminio Choc | Chairperson | 84 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1106 | | |
| | | Constancio Cal | Members | 98 | Elected | | | 13 |
| | | Martin Teul | Members | 98 | Elected | | | |
| | | Juana Chiac | Members | 97 | Elected | | | |
| | | Roberto Shal | Members | 97 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ernest Tush | Members | 95 | Elected | | | |
| | | Orlando Shal | Members | 100 | Elected | | | |
| | | Andres Cal | Members | 83 | | | | |
| | | Luis Choc | Members | 84 | | | | |
| | | Marselina Shal | Members | 86 | | | | |
| | | Arturo Chal | Members | 84 | | | | |
| | | Eugenio Shal | Members | 83 | | | | |
| | | Rayford Williams | Members | 88 | | | | |
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| 12/05/2013 | Big Falls | | | | | 422 | 27 | |
| | | Lindley Ramclam | Chairperson | 156 | Elected | | | 11 |
| | | Pedro Chee | Chairperson | 70 | | | | |
| | | Manuel Choco | Chairperson | 55 | | | | |
| | | Santiago Baki | Chairperson | 12 | | | | |
| | | Marcelino Sho | Chairperson | 118 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1965 | | 16 |
| | | Glenda Nerio | Member | 191 | Elected | | | |
| | | Victoriano Assi | Member | 183 | Elected | | | |
| | | Joseph Supaul | Member | 174 | Elected | | | |
| | | Roberto Co | Member | 189 | Elected | | | |
| | | Basilio Tut | Member | 178 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rafael Chuc Jr. | Member | 173 | Elected | | | |
| | | Manuel Cucul | Member | 124 | | | | |
| | | Francisco Pon | Member | 91 | | | | |
| | | Santiago Pau | Member | 99 | | | | |
| | | Luis Moh | Member | 142 | | | | |
| | | Santiago Choco | Member | 89 | | | | |
| | | Anastacio Pop | Member | 84 | | | | |
| | | Jose Tut | Member | 108 | | | | |
| | | Jorge Sanchez | Member | 124 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Boom Creek | Jairo Filberto Morales | Chairperson | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Lucia Estela Sanchez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Santos Sanchez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Sindy Estela Sanchez | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Luis Jacob Ixim | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Bernabe Rox Xol | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Samuel Canelo | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
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| 12/05/2013 | Cattle Landing | | | | | 152 | | |
| | | Rosita Williams | Chairperson | 77 | Elected | | | |
| | | Edivy Edroy Evan Coye | Chairperson | 20 | | | | |
| | | Pedro Senteno | Chairperson | 55 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 886 | | |
| | | Earl Bowden | Member | 83 | Elected | | | 1 |
| | | Yolanda Majano | Member | 82 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Braddick | Member | 80 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carlos Bardalez jr. | Member | 79 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gregoria M. Weatherburn | Member | 78 | Elected | | | |
| | | Clarence Castillo | Member | 76 | Elected | | | |
| | | Lynette Prat | Member | 64 | | | | |
| | | Triston Westby | Member | 14 | | | | |
| | | Charles Bowden | Member | 69 | | | | |
| | | Anthony Sedassey Jr. | Member | 73 | | | | |
| | | Troy Gonzalez | Member | 58 | | | | |
| | | Elmer Palma | Member | 69 | | | | |
| | | Bernadette Ramclam | Member | 60 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Eldridgeville | Vincent Mangar Jr. | Chairperson | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Evert Eloy Mangar Sr. | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Norman Williams Sr. | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Rannie Evans Duncan Sr. | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Linsford Williams Sr. | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Florence Ramclam | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Brithney Briceno | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
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| 12/05/2013 | Forest Home | | | | | 170 | | |
| | | Elenor Tillett | Chairperson | 59 | Elected | | | 13 |
| | | Dernell Guy | Chairperson | 49 | | | | |
| | | Raymond Coleman | Chairperson | 49 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 942 | | |
| | | Shirlene Cofias | Member | 59 | Elected | | | 4 |
| | | Ornelle Ramclam | Member | 59 | Elected | | | |
| | | Anne Duncan | Member | 56 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carmen Vellair | Member | 58 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gloriana Paau | Member | 58 | Elected | | | |
| | | Alfonso Sanchez | Member | 57 | Elected | | | |
| | | Elliot Parham | Member | 46 | | | | |
| | | Vashti Viemill | Member | 48 | | | | |
| | | Patricia Gomez | Member | 43 | | | | |
| | | Concepciona Jacobs | Member | 47 | | | | |
| | | Charmini Coleman | Member | 45 | | | | |
| | | Chaimo Tush | Member | 45 | | | | |
| | | Derick Borland | Member | 52 | | | | |
| | | Constance Ramclam | Member | 50 | | | | |
| | | Angel Jacobs | Member | 53 | | | | |
| | | Lourdes Coleman | Member | 53 | | | | |
| | | Bradford Johnston | Member | 55 | | | | |
| | | Frankie Jacobs | Member | 54 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Santa Ana | | | | | 66 | | |
| | | Samuel Choc | Chairperson | 28 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ligorio Coy | Chairperson | 20 | | | | |
| | | Ofelia Coy | Chairperson | 4 | | | | |
| | | Jose Bo | Chairperson | 14 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 347 | | |
| | | Benjamin Salam | Member | 48 | Elected | | | |
| | | Filberto Rash | Member | 44 | Elected | | | |
| | | Domingo Bah | Member | 49 | Elected | | | |
| | | Thomas Chub | Member | 39 | Elected | | | |
| | | Noe Chub | Member | 50 | Elected | | | |
| | | Justo Veliz Jr. | Member | 45 | Elected | | | |
| | | Daniel Choc | Member | 38 | | | | |
| | | Samuel Bo | Member | 34 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Aguacate | | | | | 80 | | |
| | | Louis Cuculs | Chairperson | 36 | Elected | | | 2 |
| | | Luis Cal | Chairperson | 19 | | | | |
| | | Domingo Cal | Chairperson | 5 | | | | |
| | | Marcos Choc | Chairperson | 5 | | | | |
| | | Alejandro Hun | Chairperson | 13 | | | | |
| | | | | | | 366 | | 8 |
| | | Marcos Kuk | Member | 60 | Elected | | | |
| | | Santiago Choc Jr. | Member | 51 | Elected | | | |
| | | Bernardo Choco | Member | 51 | Elected | | | |
| | | Santiago Tosh | Member | 46 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Tush | Member | 45 | Elected | | | |
| | | Lucas Cucul | Member | 40 | Elected | | | |
| | | Martin Makin | Member | 36 | | | | |
| | | Manuel Max | Member | 29 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Blue Creek | | | | | 113 | 3 | |
| | | Heraldo Pop | Chairperson | 56 | Elected | | | 1 |
| | | Roman Leon Sho | Chairperson | 52 | | | | |
| | | Eugenio Salam | Chairperson | 4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 586 | | 2 |
| | | Valentino Chiac | Member | 83 | Elected | | | |
| | | Alberto Coc | Member | 92 | Elected | | | |
| | | Tomas Choco | Member | 86 | Elected | | | |
| | | Florencio Coc | Member | 57 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ramon Ical | Member | 66 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Ical | Member | 57 | Elected | | | |
| | | Heronimo Pop | Member | 49 | | | | |
| | | Isidoro Sho | Member | 41 | | | | |
| | | Alberto Hun | Member | 53 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Mabil Ha | Mateo Salam | Chairperson | 24 | Elected | | | |
| | | Prudencio Chiac | Chairperson | 14 | | | | |
| | | Santiago Salam | Chairperson | 15 | | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Mabil Ha | Miguel Calabun Jr. | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Sebastian Pop | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Domingo Tush | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Leonardo Chiac | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Samuel Tush | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Abraham Tush | Member | | Uncontested | | | |

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| 12/05/2013 | Mafredi | | | | | 37 | | |
| | | Burton Caliz Jr. | Chairperson | 24 | Elected | | | |
| | | Denfil Rodriguez | Chairperson | 13 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 176 | | |
| | | Marlon Parham | Member | 36 | Elected | | | |
| | | Gerald Parham | Member | 30 | Elected | | | |
| | | Weston Caliz | Member | 27 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carla Rodriguez | Member | 21 | Elected | | | |
| | | Dylan Sotz | Member | 25 | Elected | | | |
| | | Loria Villanueva | Member | 23 | Elected | | | |
| | | Belkis Medina | Member | 14 | | | | |
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| 12/05/2013 | San Benito Poite | | | | | 136 | 3 | |
| | | Santiago Marin | Chairperson | 76 | Elected | | | |
| | | Pedro Teck | Chairperson | 59 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 783 | | |
| | | Carlos Tox | Member | 92 | Elected | | | |
| | | Luterio Quib | Member | 102 | Elected | | | |
| | | Francisco Maquin | Member | 91 | Elected | | | |
| | | Santiago Che | Member | 93 | Elected | | | |
| | | Domingo Batz | Member | 99 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rogelio Quib | Member | 87 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Tec | Member | 51 | | | | |
| | | Roberto Xuc | Member | 39 | | | | |
| | | Manuel Choc | Member | 34 | | | | |
| | | Ester Makin | Member | 44 | | | | |
| | | Apolinano Acte | Member | 49 | | | | |
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| 12/05/2013 | Santa Teresa | | | | | 108 | | |
| | | Eligorio Cus | Chairperson | 49 | Elected | | | |
| | | Pedro Ack | Chairperson | 48 | | | | |
| | | Pedro Teul | Chairperson | 11 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Marcelino Sam | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Crescencio Cho | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Vicente Choko | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Pablo Max | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Leonardo Teul | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Pablo Ack | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
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TOLEDO DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Jordan | | | | | | | |
| | | Santiago Teul | Chairperson | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Pablo Pan | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Leonora Choc | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Valeria Teul | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Eusebio Choc | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Fidencia Cal | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Mariano Choc | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
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COROZAL DISTRICT

| Election Date | Village | Candidates Name | Position | No. of Votes Received | Remarks | Total Votes Polled | Spoilt Votes | Rejected Votes |
|---------------|----------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Calcutta | | | | | 489 | 2 | |
| | | Rufino Lin | Chairperson | 259 | Elected | | | 22 |
| | | Antonio Aguilar | Chairperson | 208 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2598 | | |
| | | Deborah Innis | Member | 242 | Elected | | | 16 |
| | | Aron Cruz | Member | 252 | Elected | | | |
| | | Joel Clarke | Member | 225 | Elected | | | |
| | | Wendy Cabb | Member | 223 | Elected | | | |
| | | Hollis Baptist | Member | 227 | Elected | | | |
| | | Becky Guy | Member | 232 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ephrain Clarke | Member | 215 | | | | |
| | | Daisa Garcia | Member | 114 | | | | |
| | | Javier Rodriguez | Member | 212 | | | | |
| | | Shamir Sanker | Member | 213 | | | | |
| | | Samuel Harris Jr. | Member | 223 | | | | |
| | | Yseni Ricalde | Member | 204 | | | | |

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|---------------|----------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Ranchito | | | | | 746 | 3 | |
| | | Ervin Rancharan | Chairperson | 425 | Elected | | | 30 |
| | | Juanito A. Morales | Chairperson | 291 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 3815 | | |
| | | Senayda C. Fuentes | Member | 345 | Elected | | | 30 |
| | | Mario Lara | Member | 360 | Elected | | | |
| | | Enrique E. Magana | Member | 354 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carolina Eck | Member | 353 | Elected | | | |
| | | Fernando Chan | Member | 351 | Elected | | | |
| | | Andrew Rancharan | Member | 350 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sandra E. Ramos | Member | 280 | | | | |
| | | Aurora A. Chan | Member | 281 | | | | |
| | | Marvella A. Catzim | Member | 280 | | | | |
| | | Miriam S. McCulloch | Member | 280 | | | | |
| | | Benito J. Chulim | Member | 275 | | | | |
| | | Virgilio Acosta | Member | 276 | | | | |

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|---------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | San Joaquin | | | | | 781 | 1 | |
| | | Florencio J. Martinez | Chairperson | 452 | Elected | | | 10 |
| | | Adrian Cowo | Chairperson | 319 | | | | |

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|---------------|-------------|----------------------|----------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | San Joaquin | | | | | 4535 | | 10 |
| | | Delmar J. Guerra | Member | 440 | Elected | | | |
| | | Apolonio L. Puck | Member | 448 | Elected | | | |
| | | Eduardo E. Perez | Member | 452 | Elected | | | |
| | | Daniel E. Tun | Member | 438 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ricardo S. Ellis Jr. | Member | 445 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ricardo A. Neal | Member | 452 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sandra Trejo | Member | 321 | | | | |
| | | Orencio Acota | Member | 304 | | | | |
| | | Rocio De La Cruz | Member | 307 | | | | |
| | | Marcos Cab | Member | 307 | | | | |
| | | Petrona Magana | Member | 302 | | | | |
| | | Rigoberto Rivera | Member | 309 | | | | |

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|---------------|----------|--------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Carolina | | | | | | | |
| | | Mario Yamir Casanova | Chairperson | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | Steven Alex Pena | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Sergio Luis Gilharry | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Joaquin Manolo Triminius | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Abby Betsy Cassanova | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Glenford Thompson | Member | | Uncontested | | | |
| | | Marisol Iliana Sanker | Member | | Uncontested | | | |

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|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | San Pedro | | | | | 271 | 4 | |
| | | Higinio Cob | Chairperson | 167 | Elected | | | 14 |
| | | Allen Ivan Huitz | Chairperson | 90 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 1482 | | |
| | | Edwan Samir Cob | Member | 168 | Elected | | | 29 |
| | | Abner Cob | Member | 166 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jose Perez | Member | 166 | Elected | | | |
| | | Moises Mutul | Member | 164 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carlos Erwin Cobb | Member | 160 | Elected | | | |
| | | Abraham Yam | Member | 158 | Elected | | | |
| | | Carlos Campos | Member | 80 | | | | |
| | | Melesio Cob | Member | 79 | | | | |
| | | Olga Haj | Member | 77 | | | | |
| | | Luis Villamil | Member | 78 | | | | |
| | | Eliza Basto | Member | 79 | | | | |
| | | Mariano Cob | Member | 78 | | | | |

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|---------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Cristo Rey | | | | | 404 | 1 | |
| | | Marino Uh | Chairperson | 233 | Elected | | | 39 |
| | | Edgar Che | Chairperson | 132 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2186 | | |
| | | Juan Pena | Member | 228 | Elected | | | |

Argentina ex-military leader Jorge Rafael Videla dies

Former Argentine military leader **Jorge Rafael Videla** has died aged 87 while serving a life sentence for crimes against humanity.

He is reported to have died from natural causes in prison.

The general was jailed in 2010 for the deaths of 31 dissidents during the 1976-83 military dictatorship, of which he was overall leader until 1981.

Up to 30,000 people were tortured and killed during this period, in a campaign known as the **"Dirty War"**.

Gen Videla had been sentenced to life in prison for torture, murder and other crimes in 1985, but was pardoned in 1990 under an amnesty given by the president at the time, Carlos Menem.

In April 2010, the Supreme Court upheld a 2007 federal court move to overturn his pardon.

Eight months later he was found **"criminally responsible"** for the torture and deaths of 31 prisoners and



Videla was accused of being the main architect of what became known as Argentina's "Dirty War"

jailed for life.

Most of the left-wing activists were taken from their cells in the central city of Cordoba and shot dead shortly after the military took power.

The army said at the time that they were killed while trying to escape.

Gen Videla was one of 30 members of the security forces charged with the murders.

'A bad man'

Last year, he was also convicted of overseeing the systematic theft of babies from political prisoners.

At least 400 babies are thought to have been taken from their parents while they were held in detention centres.

More than 100 children given for adoption to military or police couples have since been reunited with their biological families.

A court in Buenos Aires sentenced Videla to 50 years in prison, while another ex-military leader, **Reynaldo Bignone**, received 15 years for his alleged role in the crime.

In an interview with an Argentine journalist last year, Videla said the crackdown he oversaw was the price Argentina had to pay in order to remain a republic.

"War, by nature, is cruel," he said. **"An internal war, between brothers, is especially cruel."**

Jose Miguel Vivanco, director of Latin America for US-based Human Rights Watch, said Videla presided over one of the region's cruellest repressions in modern times.

"He was arrogant to the end and unwilling to acknowledge his responsibility for the massive atrocities committed in Argentina," he said.

"Many of the secrets of the repression will die with him."

Argentina's Nobel Peace Prize

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|---------------|------------|-----------------|----------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Cristo Rey | Maria Rojas | Member | 236 | Elected | | | 0 |
| | | Adrian Uh | Member | 239 | Elected | | | |
| | | Ingrid Novelo | Member | 229 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rafael Che | Member | 230 | Elected | | | |
| | | Sarita Pena | Member | 227 | Elected | | | |
| | | Jenny Uh | Member | 138 | | | | |
| | | Luis Che | Member | 142 | | | | |
| | | Emigdia Botes | Member | 129 | | | | |
| | | Elsie Vera | Member | 131 | | | | |
| | | Yvette Botes | Member | 128 | | | | |
| | | Alberto Nah | Member | 129 | | | | |
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|---------------|---------|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 12/05/2013 | Yo Chen | | | | | 35 | | 1 |
| | | Alberto Puck | Chairperson | 18 | Elected | | | |
| | | Maximiliana Chan | Chairperson | 16 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | 204 | | |
| | | Estaquia Puck | Member | 18 | Elected | | | |
| | | Teresa Ewan | Member | 18 | Elected | | | |
| | | Almer Che | Member | 17 | Elected | | | |
| | | Estela Magana | Member | 18 | Elected | | | |
| | | Rosa Chan | Member | 18 | Elected | | | |
| | | Virginia Marin | Member | 17 | Elected | | | |
| | | Justino Chan | Member | 16 | | | | |
| | | Ruben Jola | Member | 16 | | | | |
| | | Esequiel Puck | Member | 16 | | | | |
| | | Ruben Nah | Member | 16 | | | | |
| | | Ismael Marin | Member | 17 | | | | |
| | | Gilberto Che | Member | 16 | | | | |

Trafficking Gang 'Smuggled Bangladeshis Into Brazil'

Brazilian police say they have identified a gang specialising in trafficking Bangladeshi nationals into the country.

About 80 workers have been lured by their own countrymen with promises of earning up to \$1,500 (£985) a month.

But they ended up as slave labour in order to pay their smugglers nearly \$10,000, police say.

South America's biggest economy has recently seen a steep rise in cases of illegal immigration.

The smugglers explored routes across the borders of Peru, Bolivia and Guyana to enter Brazil, investigators said.

'Coyotes'



Brazil has recently seen a rise in the number of immigrants from Bangladesh, Haiti and Africa

The workers were found living in

slavery-like conditions eight houses in the town of Samambaia near Brasilia, an investigator told the Agencia Brasil

news agency.

He said the Bangladeshis worked at freezer warehouses, building and car-washing sites.

A number of smugglers have been identified and investigators were granted 14 search warrants, officers said.

Among the smugglers are four alleged "coyotes" - men who managed the actual border crossings.

It is not yet clear what will happen to the smuggled men.

Brazil has recently seen a steep rise in cases of illegal immigration.

Last month the governor of the state of Acre, next to the Peruvian border, declared emergencies in two towns because of the growing number of immigrants from Haiti and African countries.

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winner Adolfo Perez Esquivel told Reuters news agency: *"Death has brought an end to his physical existence but not what he did against the people."*

The head of the Grandmothers of the Plaza de Mayo, an association that works to uncover the real identities of the stolen children, described Videla as a "bad man".

"I'm reassured that a discredited man has departed this world," said Estela de Carloto in a statement to local media.

Videla was born in 1925, the son of an army colonel.

In 1976, he and two other military leaders staged a coup against President Isabel Peron, the widow of former leader Juan Domingo Peron.

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