Sunday, November 9, 2008

Policeman Arrested for Theft

Benque Viejo Town, Cayo, Friday, October 31, 2008:
A police constable on active duty at the Benque Viejo police sub-formation was today interdicted from duty after he was arrested and charged for two counts of theft in addition to internal disciplinary charges.

Reports reaching us indicate that nine days earlier, on Wednesday, October 22, 2008, Oscar Suchite, 43, Belizean construction worker of a Benque Viejo Town address, reported to police that whilst walking on Victoria Street also in Benque Viejo, almost two months ago, at about 1:00 a.m., on September 8, 2008, he was stopped by a police mobile patrol and searched by two uniformed policemen of dark complexion.

In a statement to the police Suchite informed that one of the policemen took possession of his white Samsung brand digicell slide cellular telephone, valued $599 complete with a $50 SIM Card assigned telephone number 601-2466. The other policeman, according to the complainant took possession of his wallet containing two $100 bills. Scuhite informed that he was taken to Benque Police Station where he was locked up for about five hours and released without any charge at around 6:00 a.m., that same morning. However, neither his cellular telephone nor the cash, for a total value of $849, were returned to him.

Our investigation revealed that the number provided by the complainant was dialed thereby triggering a ringing which came from Police Constable #602 Denbigh Yorke. When he was searched, police found two cellular telephones in his possession. The ringing telephone however was found to be a black and grey Motorola cell phone while the other one was a white Samsung No. 151

Imprisonment: Roland - 3 Years; Chen - 2 Years; Guzman - 6 Months

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San Ignacio Town Gets Garbage Compactor Truck

San Ignacio Town, Cayo, Wednesday, November 5, 2008:
It was shortly after 4:00 p.m., today when a garbage compactor truck, imported all the way from Los Angeles California, rolled over the Hawksworth Bridge thereby making San Ignacio and Santa Elena its new home.

Mayor John Francis August informed that this latest acquisition will go a long ways in addressing the garbage collection responsibility of the council. He informed that since the termination of the garbage collection contract, a few weeks ago, with Cox Solid Waste Management Company, the council has been providing this service by means of hiring private trucks working in conjunction with the council’s limited machine resources.

“The garbage collection service,” said Mayor August, “will undergo marked improvement in the days ahead as the compactor truck is pressed into service within Santa Elena and San Ignacio.”

“I would like to express a big thank you to the Hon. Prime Minister Dean Barrow for making the funds available, without hesitation, for us to purchase this much needed piece of equipment. Like all its other assets, the council has made a firm commitment to maintain this truck in the best condition so that it will remain in service to the community for many years to come,” said Mayor John August.

The garbage compactor truck is now here

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Norbert “Nally” Guzman, 30

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PC #602 Denbigh Yorke

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Over the past several weeks, there has been much discussion on morning radio talk shows and in the opposition newspaper, regarding the termination of the services of some government employees.

The opposition People’s United Party (PUP) cries victimization. However, in several instances it has been proven that in their political maneuvering, a few months prior to the last general elections, countless are the ministries, government departments and even statutory bodies that were padded with unsustainable staff all for the purpose of providing employment in exchange for votes. In some cases, especially in the Ministry of Education and at Youth for the Future, these “employees” never showed up for a day in the workplace where their names appeared on the payroll but were rather engaged in street campaigning for the politician who placed them on those payrolls.

A new government was elected on February 7th and all these discrepancies instantly came to light. Despite being cognizant of their wrong doings, these politicians shamelessly turned their names appeared on the payroll while the disloyalty and sabotage continues.

On a more personal note, it is indeed disheartening to have heard a stalwart supporter of the People’s United Party, in the person of Renee Nunez, telling the entire nation, by way of National Radio, about the treatment she is receiving from the UDP Party Leader, Dean Barrow, on radio, television and in her many writings in the PUP Belize Times newspaper.

There were many instances, when, in going out on a limb for supporting her party, Ms. Nunez was out-rightly disrespectful to the leadership of the UDP.

As human beings, we sympathize with Ms. Nunez as in these challenging times it is extremely difficult to buy a single meal for a family of four with $35 which is the salary she says that the PUP is paying her per week.

We commend the Hon. Prime Minister for lending a sympathetic ear to Ms. Nunez’ tribulations especially in light of the fact that, for almost 10 years, Ms. Nunez had nothing nice to say about UDP Party Leader, Dean Barrow, and in her many writings in the PUP Belize Times newspaper.

When we spoke to the Prime Minister later that day, he told us that although the government can use the extra funds, especially during these challenging times, there was no way that he was going to renge on the firm commitment he made to the Belizean people in the weeks and months leading up to the February 7, 2008, general elections.

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WASHINGTON, U.S.A. Wed., November 5, 2008:-

Barack Obama swept to victory as the nation’s first black president Tuesday night in an electoral college landslide that overcame racial barriers as old as America itself. “Change has come,” he declared to a huge throng of cheering supporters.

The son of a black father from Kenya and a white mother from Kansas, the Democratic senator from Illinois sealed his historic triumph by defeating Republican Sen. John McCain in a string of wins in hard-fought battleground states — Ohio, Florida, Virginia, Iowa and more.

On a night for Democrats to savor, they not only elected Obama the nation's 44th president but padded their majorities in the House and Senate, and come January will control both the White House and Congress for the first time since 1994.

Obama’s election capped a meteoric rise — from mere state senator to president-elect in four years.

In his first speech as victor, Obama catalogued the challenges ahead. “The greatest of a lifetime,” he said, “two wars, a planet in peril, the worst financial crisis in a century.”

He added, "There are many who won't agree with every decision or policy I make as president, and we know that government can't solve every problem. But I will always be honest with you about the challenges we face.”

McCain called his former rival to concede defeat — and the end of his own 10-year quest for the White House. “The American people have spoken, and spoken clearly,” McCain told disappointed supporters in Arizona. President Bush added his congratulations from the White House.

In his speech, Obama invoked the words of Lincoln and echoed John F. Kennedy. “So let us summon a new spirit of patriotism, of service and responsibility where each of us resolves to pitch in and work harder,” he said.

He and his running mate, Sen. Joseph Biden of Delaware, will take their oaths of office as president and vice president on January 20, 2009.

Obama will move into the Oval Office as leader of a country that is almost certainly in recession, and fighting two long wars, one in Iraq, the other in Afghanistan.

The popular vote was close — 51.3 percent to 47.5 percent with 73 percent of all U.S. precincts counted — but not the count in the Electoral College, where it mattered most. There, Obama's audacious decision to contest McCain in states that hadn't gone Democratic in years paid rich dividends.

Obama has said his first order of presidential business will be to tackle the economy.

He has also pledged to withdraw most U.S. combat troops from Iraq within 16 months.

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SSB Headquarters - 822-2163.
Dear Editor;  
I write in regards to your editorial in last weekend’s edition about the intention to give PUP Area Representatives access to the people’s money, I agree 110% with your position on this matter.

These people should never, ever again be given control of the people’s money.

Bravo!

Hilberto Castillo  
Houston, Texas, USA

Dear Editor;  
One word in respect of your editorial last week: Bravo!  
Al Eastmond,  
Bermuda, W.I.

(Translated from Spanish)  
Esteemed Editor;  
We are living in illustrious times in Belize and the United States of America with the arrival of President Barack Obama who is of Afro American descent and Belize with the arrival of the new Prime Minister Dean Barrow, an Afro-Belizean. Leaving behind the defiant John McCain in the United States of America and also leaving behind the defiant Said Musa in Belize.

“We should celebrate our ethnic cultural diversity” said Lita Krohn.

“We should understand our history and ourselves” said the panelist Carla Barnett - two intricate human opinions:  
i) the diversity of the human race - somewhat subjective, and  
ii) the human history - the product of the pains and efforts toward an accomplishment of a time given within an objective. We should elevate our culture, not only with celebrating our diversity, but rather we should absorb and collaborate with the evolutionary result of our diversity. Doing the opposite will propel Belize into cultural chaos and ethnic conflict. For example, thanks to the Almighty we have an Afro-Belizean as Prime Minister. We can now celebrate the fact that there is no racial prejudice in Belize.

It’s time for us to advance our culture by refraining from criticizing with prejudice and without cause, the product of our culture and our history.

We have just undergone a crisis over the past 2-3 weeks in the Belize River Valley. We must enforce and enhance understanding that nature has demonstrated our vulnerability, but acting as a single pulse should always be a part of our Belizean culture.

Let us not believe that the condition of our poverty is the will of God. The desire to lift ourselves out of bad conditions must be adapted as part of our culture.

We must extend a helping hand to each other as Belizean country-folks while together we seek better days and not wait for assistance from abroad.

Luis Blas Mendez  
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Your Horoscope & Lucky Numbers

ARIES
March 21 - April 20
This week sees you teetering on the edge, with some really queer financial questions facing you. However, many of your worries will get sorted out as the week progresses. Some important decisions will remain to be taken as the state of affairs around you remains fluid. You are advised to make sure that elders are accorded due respect and comfort. Your lucky numbers: 9, 34, 86.

TAURUS
April 21 to May 21
There will be dabbling in two major areas of concern and these are spiritual advancement and financial security. Two diametrically opposite concerns these may be; but that is where the stars point for you. You will be trying to gather funds for a project and this will start to materialize by the end of the week. Excitement about a travel will be palpable in the air. Your lucky numbers: 6, 23, 47.

GEMINI
May 22 to June 21
This is a time for getting back to work after a relaxed phase. You need to be extremely focused and risk taking should be avoided altogether. Move with a sound head on your shoulders and be open to learning from every single interaction and experience. Do not let doubt reflect in your dealings with people. This is one time when you could do without hurting sentiments and starting up a whole new issue to be dealt with. Your lucky numbers: 5, 62, 88.

CANCER
June 22 to July 22
There is a calm that prevails around you as you consciously avoid getting too engrossed in work. You consciously sit back and enjoy the free time. There will be ease as far as money matters are concerned. You will be actually giving away with a sensible magnanimity. Your lucky numbers: 20, 69, 81.

LEO
July 23 to August 23
This week consolidates your gains and you are on a sound footing professionally. There is a quiet contentment that overcomes you and you accept the grace and good fortune with humility. There are indications of travel. Be prepared to deal with a complicated individual who may not let it remain a smooth sailing. There are rapid strides made in personal life and you find bliss in the company of loved ones. Your lucky numbers: 29, 44, 84.

VIRGO
August 24 to Sept. 22
This week is one of those good phases in life that you should be making the very best of. You are almost certain to achieve a milestone in your professional life. There could be fulfillment of one wish close to your heart. There will be rapid strides made in spiritual pursuits. Even tough there is risk of sounding contrarian; it is worth a mention that you will be working on your appearance. Your lucky numbers: 14, 22, 65.

LIBRA
Sept. 23 to Oct. 23
The week sees you re-working your financial strategies, educating yourself and taking extra interest in financial investments, with a goal to achieve higher gains. It also sees you in control of your personal life where your decision making inspired by courage is accurate. You may have to travel for work. Pay attention to your health. Your lucky numbers: 11, 27, 73.

SCORPIO
Oct. 24 to Nov. 22
The week renews your spiritual side and there is a renewed predisposition and interest towards occult, alternative healing or unraveling the hidden secrets of life. There is also the deep desire to live it up resulting in pleasurable expenditure towards alternative healing or unraveling the hidden secrets of life. There is also the deep desire to live it up resulting in pleasurable expenditure towards purchase of gadgets and items of luxury. There is a deep connection with your past which inspires you to rectify present strategies, to build a better future. Your lucky numbers: 16, 78, 94.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 23 to Dec 21
This week sees you evaluating your life and making plans for achieving a sense of balance. Even though on many occasions the mood will be contemplative, you are fully motivated to fulfill your duties towards loved ones and work. There is also space for tender feelings, love and time for fun and frolic. You bond beautifully with family and friends. Your lucky numbers: 25, 38, 55.

CAPRICORN
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
Love and relationships seem to be the central theme this week. You give with a generosity and receive with grace. A strong emphasis is on leisure activities and social gatherings. Romance is in the air. Despite this relaxing phase you are fully alert and attentive towards work commitments and deliver value. The stars are kind to you; make the best use of this phase. Your lucky numbers: 18, 52, 84.

AQUARIUS
Jan. 21 - Feb. 18
The soul searching and introspection of life’s balance sheet that you did last week see you implementing new strategies with concentration, new opportunities and getting credit for good work. You bond and communicate with people both on the work front as well as personal life with panache and grace leading to fulfilling exchange. Peace, beauty, harmony and money are obvious results. Your lucky numbers: 32, 54, 92.

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He pulls the car over to the side of the road and notices that the farmer is just standing there, doing nothing, looking at nothing. Jones gets out of the car, walks all the way over to the farmer and asks him, "Ah, excuse me Mister, but what are you doing??"

The farmer replies, "I'm trying to win a Nobel Prize."

"How?" asks the puzzled Mr. Jones.

"Well I heard they give the Nobel Prize to people who are out standing in their field!"

Relaxing In The Doctor's Office

A man walked into a health center and the receptionist asked him what he had.

He said, "Shingles." So she told him to have a seat. He sits and waits for several hours.

Would You Do It For $50?

Granny Jane is giving a party for her granddaughter and has gone all out - caterer, band, and a hired clown.

Just before the party starts, two bums show up looking for a handout. Feeling sorry for the bums, Granny Jane tells them that they can get a meal if they will chop away some tree branches in the backyard. Gratefully, they headed to the backyard.

Guests arrive, and all is going well, with the children having a wonderful time. But, the clown has not shown up and finally, the clown calls to report that he is stuck in traffic and will probably not make the party at all.

Granny Jane is very disappointed but when she looked out the window she sees one of the bums doing cartwheels across the lawn.

She watches in awe as the bum swings from tree branches, does midair flips and leaps high in the air.

She approaches the other bum and said "What your friend is doing is absolutely marvelous. I have never seen such a thing. Do you think your friend would consider repeating this performance for the children at the party? I will pay him $50?"

"Well, I dunno", says the other bum "Let me ask him."

Already In The Lord's Army

A man was coming out of church on Easter Sunday, and the priest was standing at the door shaking hands. The priest grasped the man's hand and said to him, "You need to join the Army of the Lord!"

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Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that HUANG WEI QIAN & HUANG CHUN HUE is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SUI RESTAURANT located at #119 Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

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Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that YING JIE HU is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate CHICHARON RESTAURANT located in the Santiago Juan Layout Area, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that RONG KUN LIANG is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SUI SUPERMARKET located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that XING YAN TAN is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SONG SUPERMARKET located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that EL WEI HUANG is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SONG RESTAURANT located on Joseph Andrews Drive, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that SU CAN LIN is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate HUAN FAST FOOD located at #89 Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that JIAN FEI CHEN is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SONG RESTAURANT located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that KUN MEI HUANG is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate ALWIN'S RESTAURANT located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby be given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that ZHOU JUN LIANG is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate EL Frijolito Bar located on 18th Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.
Three Weeks Later, The Temporary Wood Bridge Is Now Back In Action

SANTA ELENATOWN Cayo, Thursday, November 6, 2008:

After being out of commission for three weeks, during two of which it was totally submerged under the flood waters of the Macal River occasioned by tropical depression #16; at exactly 4:45 p.m. today, the temporary wooden bridge linking the twin municipalities of Santa Elena and San Ignacio, was opened for transit. Despite the adverse condition, “old reliable” appeared stronger than ever as the temporary bridge, now more permanent than ever, is back in service easing the inconvenience caused to the motoring public whenever the Hawksworth bridge is pressed into action as a two way crossing.

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TO SIGN UP

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The Government of Belize, through the Ministry of Works, intends to purchase the following items:

- 6 No. Utility Pickup Trucks
- 1 Line Marker (For line marking of roads)

Tenders are invited to submit a quotation for the supply of the above mentioned items.

The format for the tender/quotation and specifications for the above items are available at the Ministry of Works Office at the below listed address.

Failure to complete all relevant sections of the form and to submit the required technical data (brochures) shall result in the offer being regarded as unresponsive and may render it ineligible for consideration.

The quotation shall be duty and tax free.

Deadline for submission is 4:30 pm, Friday, November 7, 2008.

Sealed tenders should be sent to the following address:

Chief Executive Officer
Ministry of Works
Power Lane
Belmopan
Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that GEORGINA ZABANEH is applying for the renewal of her NIGHT CLUB LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate EAGLE’S LANDING located on Wyatt Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that HAYEDON RODRIGUEZ is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate COZY CORNER located on La Loma Luz Boulevard, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that SERGIO CHUC is applying for the renewal of his NIGHT CLUB LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate FIT PANT AT VOCAL位于 Savannah Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that ROLAND BERMUDEZ is applying for the renewal of his RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate DREAMS RESTAURANT located on Savannah Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that XI MAO SU is applying for renewal of his SHOP LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate SUE SUPERMARKET located on 17th Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that CARLOS TZIB is applying for the renewal of his SHOP LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate AMIGOS BAR located in San Antonio Village in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that HE YUE DONG is applying for the renewal of his SHOP LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate ANTHONY’S SUPERMARKET located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that JIN MAN HUANG is applying for the renewal of his CONVENIENT STORE LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate PK STORE located on the Benque Viejo Road, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that JING XIAN ZHU is applying for the renewal of his CONVENIENT STORE LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate ANNA SUPERMARKET located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that SI QIANG YU is applying for the renewal of his CONVENIENT STORE LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate L’INN’S SUPERMARKET located at #16 Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that BO TAI CHEN is applying for the renewal of his NIGHT CLUB LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate D-ATTIC located on 17th Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that CRUZ MATUS is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate MALAYS FAST FOOD located on the Western Highway, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that YAN ZHONG is applying for renewal of his SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate NEW VOYAGE located at 461 East Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that ZHAO PEI ZHU is applying for the renewal of his CONVENIENT STORE LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate FIRST STOP RESTAURANT located on Bella Vista Street, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

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Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that BO TAI CHEN is applying for the renewal of his NIGHT CLUB LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate D-ATTIC located on 17th Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that CHEN CHAN CIU is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate RANCHITO RESTAURANT & BAR located on Aguada Street, Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that BING HAO LIU is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate AGUADA RANCHITO located on Burns Avenue, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that CHRISTINE LANGS is applying for the renewal of her RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate CAFE CAYO located on the Western Highway, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that ZHENG RONG ZHAO is applying for renewal of his SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate YAN ZHONG located on Savannah Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that CHEN CHAN CIU is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SAN FAST FOOD located on Savannah Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that JING XIAN ZHU is applying for the renewal of his CONVENIENT STORE LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate CAFE CAYO located on the Western Highway, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.

Notice is hereby given that under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Chapter 150 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, that ZHU LIN is applying for renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate TAI SAN FAST FOOD located on Savannah Street, San Ignacio Town in the Cayo District.
Policeman arrested for theft

Brand digicel slide cellular telephone, which was positively identified by the complainant as his property. The investigation revealed that PC Yorke interchanged the SIM cards from the two cellular telephones found in his possession.

Around mid-morning on Friday, October 31, Denbigh Yorke, 33, Belizean Police Constable with 12 years of service in the Department, was formally arrested and charged for two counts of theft (one for the cellular telephone and the other for the SIM Card) as well as two counts via internal disciplinary proceeding for "prejudice to good order and discipline."

Commissioner of Police, Gerald Westby, has since ordered that, effective Friday, October 31, 2008, PC Denbigh Yorke be interdicted from active duty on half pay pending the outcome of all charges against him.

Ministry of Education

To Educate! To Transform! To Liberate!

Nationwide Textbook Consultations

CITY OF BELMOPAN, Cayo, Wednesday, November 5, 2008:
A release issued today from the Ministry of Education informed that the Ministry is committed to improving the quality of education for every child within Belize. In fulfillment of its promise to comprehensively evaluate the textbook program, the ministry will be holding countrywide consultations which will help to inform of any amendments to the program for the future.
Consultations will be held as follows:

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The consultation in EVERY Town and cities will commence at 6:30 p.m., sharp. The participation is sought from parents, teachers, principals, management and all other interested parties.

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SAN IGNACIO COURT NEWS

Rupert Roland Found Inside The House Under The Bed - Sentenced To 3 Years

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Cayo, Thursday, November 6, 2008:
The swift actions of an alert neighbor resulted in the apprehension of a burglar caught inside the house he burglarized.

Romet Manzanero, 23, Belizean Supervisor informed that he was on duty at the Caballo Blanco Resort on the Bullet Tree Road in San Ignacio when he received a call from a neighbor informing him that a male person of Hispanic decent was removing the louvers from a back window of his house.

Manzanero reportedly contacted the police and left his workplace enroute to his house. The police arrived shortly thereafter and upon searching inside the house, they found a male person, fitting the description, hiding under a bed inside Manzanero’s room.

The individual was identified as Rupert Roland, 19, Belizean laborer, of an Orange Street address in San Ignacio. He was pulled from his hiding place, transported to the San Ignacio police station and was formally charged for the crime of burglary.

He appeared in court on Friday, October 31, where he pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to 3 years imprisonment.

Bedalfo Chen - Pleas Guilty For Gun And Bullet - Gets a 2 Year Sentence

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Cayo, Friday, October 31, 2008:
San Ignacio police have succeeded in removing a gun and bullets from potentially dangerous hands.

It was during the early morning hours on Thursday, October 30, at around 1:00 a.m., when police responded to a report of gunshots breaking the silence of the morning on Collin Boulevard in San Ignacio Town.

Upon arrival in the area, the patrol spotted a male person running on Collin Boulevard. They chased after the person and caught up with him a few blocks away on Western Street, but not before observing him throwing an object in the bushes as he fled.

He was brought back to the area where a search led to the discovery of a black 9mm Beretta brand pistol bearing serial number 65490, with the number 4 marked on the grip of the pistol. The gun also had a magazine containing seven rounds of live ammunition.

The individual was identified as Bedalfo Chen, 24, Belizean laborer of a San Ignacio Town address. He was arrested and charged for keeping an unlicensed firearms and ammunition. He was brought before the court where he pleaded guilty to both the charges and was sentenced to spend the next two years behind bars.

Our investigation revealed that this particular firearm has never been entered in the police official criminal register. An unconfirmed report reaching us indicate that Chen might have come in possession of the firearm from a Belizean soldier.

Highway Robbery Of A Commuter Bus

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Cayo, Thursday, November 6, 2008:
Just as we were going to press this Thursday night, information reached us of the robbery of a commuter bus heading to Benque Viejo Town from Belize City.

Preliminary reports indicate that the yellow, Blue Bird, Guerra Bus departed Belize City at 6:30 p.m., arriving at the terminal in San Ignacio Town at around 9:00 p.m. It departed the San Ignacio Terminal about 5 minute thereafter with five passengers on board. The bus then made a stop at Sacred Heart High School where approximately 15 Junior College students boarded for the ride to Benque Viejo Town.

Upon reaching between miles 68 and 69 on the Western Highway, near Windy Hill Resorts, on the outskirts of San Ignacio Town, the driver, Fernando Moh, 49, was in the process of complying with a passenger’s request to be let off.

According to Moh, when he switched on the interior lights, he immediately observed a male person of dark complexion wearing a black and white handkerchief covering his nose and mouth, moving towards the front of the bus.

Sensing that something was wrong, Moh reportedly pulled out his machete, which he carries on the bus, and set chase after the robber, but to no avail, as he quickly disappeared into the darkness among the tall bushes.

A combined team from the San Ignacio and Benque Viejo police arrived on the scene shortly thereafter and conducted a fruitless search in the area.

In a statement to the police, the bus conductor, Javier Jimenez, 23, reported seeing the individual in possession of a handgun. He additionally informed that the purse contained between 6 and 7 hundred dollars in cash.

No arrest has been made as the investigation continues.