SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Cayo District, Tuesday, November 11, 2008:

San Ignacio police believe that the prompt reporting and their swift action resulted in thwarting shoplifting activities on the part of two females hailing from southside Belize City.

It was shortly after 10:00 a.m., on Tuesday, November 11, when San Ignacio police received the report of two females suspected of shoplifting several pieces of garment from a used clothing store in Santa Elena, Cayo.

Armed with a detailed description of the suspects, Officer in Charge of San Ignacio’s Crimes Investigation Branch (CIB), Sgt # 718 Reynaldo Bautista accompanied by a team of CIB officers, set out in search of the suspects. A few hours later the team came upon two females, fitting the description, browsing through the racks at Idelmar Clothing Store in San Ignacio.

The females were detained and transported to the police station where they were identified as Gloria Bent, 45, of # 45 Evergreen Street, and Vanessa Reyes, 32, of #36 Santa Barbara Street both in the St Martin De Pores on the southside of Belize City.

Bent and Reyes (the latter with no relation to the chief investigator) were questioned about the prior report. They both claimed innocence and were placed in the police detention cell. It was about three hours later when one of the females came forward and admitted involvement in the offence. She told the police that the bag containing seven blouses was left under a bench at the bus terminal, in the Savannah Area of San Ignacio. She accompanied investigators to the location but when they arrived there was nothing under the bench. Police suspect that someone else might have made off with the bag.

The lifted merchandize was valued at $175. Upon paying $150, the victim elected not to proceed with charges against the females. They were subsequently released and advised to board the next bus for the return trip to Belize City.

Within two days of receiving the report, police investigation led to the home of Hipolito Neal Jr., who informed that, one day earlier, Welch, a resident of Linda Vista Street, Santa Elena, visited his home and pawned the tools for $20 with the agreement that he would return them in a few days time. The police arrived before Welch had the chance to make good on his promise to Neal resulting in Welch being arrested, charged and today convicted for the crime of handling stolen goods.

Kent Graham Welch, 42

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March 4 is the first Wednesday in the month of March 2009, three years after the last round of municipal elections, therefore it is the legal due date for the next round of such elections in Belize.

With less than four months away from the second most important elections in Belize, the People’s United Party (PUP), coming off the worst defeat in its almost 60 years of existence, was this week forced to show some semblance of life by way of a poorly attended press conference inside the smallest conference room at the Radisson Fort George Hotel.

Their six leaders were all crammed, like sardines, at the head table. Their rhetoric was the same old song and dance.

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For one, the timing of the press conference was wrong, wrong, wrong, as they tried their utmost best to convince the people of Belize that Prime Minister Dean Barrow and the United Democratic Party (UDP) government are bad for Belize.

What were these people thinking of? How could they come to the people of Belize that this hogwash in the wake of the largest decrease in fuel prices ever in the history of our nation?

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Drawing Date: January 16th, 2009
BY: Gregory T.A. Vernon
COROZAL TOWN, Tuesday, November, 11, 2008:
The Corozal Chapter of the Belize Tourism Industry Association (BTIA) working along with the local Community is organizing the first ever Gran Festival Corozal to be held on November 29th and 30th. The public is invited to the official opening of Gran Festival Corozal which will take place on Saturday November 29th at the Corozal Central Park. Then, the Coronation Park will come alive on Sunday November 30th with traditional music, dance and food, Maya Mestizo History, canoe race, and much more with all day entertainment and activities promoting the Maya Mestizo culture. Gran Festival Corozal is designed to create awareness of the importance of developing the tourism industry in a responsible manner in the north. The organizers hope to develop a viable, community-driven tourism industry that will protect our naturally laid back, peaceful environment; preserve in its totality the Corozal Bay and its Manatee Sanctuary; and celebrate our Maya Mestizo culture. Proceeds of the event will go toward realizing the community’s priority of developing and beautifying the Corozal Bay with a sandy beach area and the reopening of the Corozal Cultural Center. Gran Festival Corozal, a culturally rich, family fair event organized by the Corozal Community and the Corozal BTIA.

Thieves frequently target churches in Russian countryside immediately noticed. It was in an out-of-the-way area and was not being used, although Church officials were considering resuming services there.

Now all that remained of the two-storey building - a school before it was turned over to the Church - were its foundations and some sections of wall, the Church said.

Thieves often target churches in rural Russia. Religious icons can be sold and church structures sold off for building materials.

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BELIZE TOURISM BOARD OPENS NEW OFFICE IN SAN PEDRO
Indigenous Peoples Alliance Holds Annual General Meeting In Punta Gorda

BY: Fernando Tzib
PUNTA GORDA TOWN, Toledo District, Monday, November 10, 2008

On Saturday November 8, 2008, the Indigenous Peoples Conservation Alliance [IPCA], established in 2006 and legally registered in 2008 to promote the full participation of indigenous peoples in the effective use and management of natural resources through advocacy, capacity building, dialogue and knowledge exchange celebrated its first Annual General Meeting at the St. Peter Claver Extension, Punta Gorda.

Attending the forum included organizations such as SATIIM, For the new Executive Council include: Friends of Gra Gra Lagoon, Friends of Gra Gra Lagoon, Friends of Gra Gra Lagoon, Friends of Gra Gra Lagoon, the Indigenous Garifuna Council, the San Ignacio, Cayo.

The General Assembly also endorsed the nomination of its first official Executive Council that will oversee the implementation of the Work Plan and IPCA’s work ahead. The member organizations nominated for the new Executive Council include: SATIIM, Friends for Conservation and Development, Julian Cho Society, Friends of Gra Gra Lagoon, National Garifuna Council, the Forest Department and Aguasaliente Management Team.

The General Assembly resolved to collectively work towards achieving the goals, outcomes and activities presented in the Action Plan and to invite others to join the Alliance.

We've enjoyed reading your paper, especially when you send us important editorials. I'm still putting my Think Belize! traveologue and it is important that I am up to date on what’s happening. With regard to Barack Obama, I want you to tell that we stayed up late, way past the time that we knew Barack had won, and when he took the stage and accepted his victory, we both wept unashamedly.

It was a poignant moment in my life, one that I'll never forget. I started reading seriously when I was 17 or 18. I don't know why but amongst my early readings were poems, biographies and novels about the 'black' experience in the United States of America. The racial prejudice against the so-called negroes by so-called white christians had a tremendous impact on my outlook on life.

Billy Holiday's singing of the song Strange Fruit haunts me to this day. It was indeed "a day we will not soon forget".

Let's put it this way, I was not steady on my feet when we turned off the TV and Evelyn had to help me to the bed but it felt so good and when I woke up in the morning with a dry mouth and little bit of a headache all I could think of was "Yes we can" and I started chanting as I lay in bed, "And we did!"

There’s a lot to be done, of course, and I’m too old to have huge expectations, but I’ll tell you in my heart I’m thinking if he can’t do it nobody can.

Keep up your good work, it makes all the best Brian and Evelyn Babineau, Canada.

Vacancy Notice

Legal Counsel

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of Legal Counsel in the Ministry of Natural Resources and the Environment. The qualifications required for appointment to the post and its associated duties and responsibilities are as follows:-

Position: Legal Counsel

Qualifications: LLB and Certificate of Legal Education

Skills:

(1) Proficiency in computer applications.
(2) Excellent oral ad written communication skills.

Experience: Practical experience in legal drafting.

Duties/Responsibilities:

(1) Provide written legal advice to the Minister/CEO and Ministry’s Department as per requests.
(2) Drafting of contracts and other legal instruments.
(3) Draft new and amendment to legislation in accordance with Ministry’s strategic plan and senior managers’ requests and approval.
(4) Undertake and/or lead legal research as required.
(5) Represent the Ministry of Natural Resources and its department at legal proceedings.
(6) Collaborate with advise senior managers’ on strategic approach to legislation reference.
(7) Participate in negotiations and conflict resolution activities on the Ministry’s behalf.
(8) Represent the Ministry of Natural Resources and the Environment and its department at National and International meetings and forums.
(9) Provide training to staff on legal issues.

Salary: NPS 21 OF$32,304 x $1,392 - $58,752

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SAN IGNACIOTOWN, Cayo
Thursday, November 13, 2008:

We respect all those who labor to serve and protect us.
We appreciate all those men and women in uniform, our policemen, our firemen, our soldiers, nurses, doctors, teachers among others.

If these people are to remain ever vigilant in serving and protecting us then it is imperative that they undergo constant training.

For this purpose of bringing across a single point I draw on our Firemen, the job of a fireman is not an easy one and so I salute them for the job they do. And now to bring home my pint:

As part of the September celebrations, our Police, Soldiers and Firemen were to have a military tattoo at the Victor Galvez Stadium.
As part of the display for our Firemen, they were to extinguish fire from 2 burning cars. And for this purpose, two wrecked cars were dumped inside the Victor Galvez Stadium.

The display never materialized and, today almost two months later, the derelict cars are an eyesore to those of us who live around the stadium and also to those of us who exercise in the stadium. Apart from being unsightly, these two old cars are a health hazard to several children who are seen entering and climbing over the sharp edges and rusty metal protruding from these cars.

The acceptable practice in life is to clean up your mess after you have made it. Someone messed up the Victor Galvez Stadium when they placed these two old cars in it. They left and did not clean up their mess. This kind of behavior is not acceptable in life. Our Firemen were to use these cars in their exercise; they therefore knew how these cars got here. We are now calling on them to get this unsightly and hazardous condition removed.
**Outstanding Students In The 2008 CXC Exams**

**BELMOPAN CITY, Wednesday, November 12, 2008:** The Ministry of Education and the CXC National Committee of Belize are pleased to announce that Ian Malcolm Lizarraga of St. John’s College Junior College is the Most Outstanding Candidate in the May/June 2008 Caribbean Advanced Proficiency Examinations (CAPE) and is therefore the recipient of the Belize Scholarship for 2008. IanLizarraga obtained six (6) Grade I’s in CAPE in the following subjects: Caribbean Studies, Communication Studies, Physics Units 1 and 2, and Pure Mathematics Units 1 and 2. Besides being this year’s Most Outstanding CAPE Candidate in Belize, Lizarraga also achieved first place subject award in Caribbean Studies, Physics Units 1 and 2, and Pure Mathematics Units 1 and 2. The Ministry of Education and the CXC National Committee of Belize are also pleased to announce that Christopher Charles Chang and Jordan Ethan Medina both of St.

**Vacancy Notice**

**Petroleum Accountant**

**Geology and Petroleum Department**

Ministry of Natural Resources and the Environment

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of Petroleum Accountant in the Geology and Petroleum Department, Ministry of Natural Resources and the Environment. The Qualifications required for appointment to the post and its associated duties and responsibilities are as follows:

**Position:** Petroleum Accountant

**Qualification:** Bachelor’s Degree in Accounting, Finance, or Economics with a minor in Accounting.

**Skills:**

1. Excellent oral and written communication skills.
2. Proficiency in computer applications.
3. Excellent supervisory and management skills.

**Experiences:**

Three (3) years experience in the Accounting field. Training and experience in Petroleum Accounting would be an asset.

**Duties/Responsibilities:**

1. Auditing the Petroleum Accounts of Contractors
2. Auditing and monitoring of Government Petroleum Revenues including:
   - Royalties, Petroleum Share and Revenues from Government’s participation in commercial fields.
3. Evaluate oil and gas field economics.
4. Other duties relating to petroleum Accounting, Economics and Finance.

**Salary:**

NPS 16 OF $25,584 x $1,104 - $46,560

**Deadline for Application:**

Interested persons in possession of the requisite qualifications are to submit their applications to the Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of the Public Service, Governance Improvement and Elections and Boundaries, Sir Edney Cain Building, City of Belmopan no later than 28th November, 2008.

**Notice of Public Sessions**

In accordance with Section 8.24 of the Environmental Compliance Plan (ECP) of April 5, 2002, the Belize Electric Company Limited (BECOL) advises that it will host Public Information Sessions on the Macal River Upstream Storage Facility, also known as the Chalillo Hydro Project.

The first session will take place on November 26, 2008 in Cristo Rey Village at the Village Community Center, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. On November 27, 2008, the session will take place in San Ignacio Town at the Convention Center from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

The sessions will focus on the project description; the critical issues identified in the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA), the assessment of their impacts and the mitigation measures outlined in the Environmental Compliance Plan (ECP). Presentations will also be conducted on Mercury Management and the Emergency Preparedness Plan.

For more information please contact BECOL at 824-3016.
You're amazing everyone with your disciplined and hard working attitude. People want to join in with your purposeful efforts. Expect to see the light at the end of the tunnel far quicker than you imagined. Expect luck on: Friday. Lucky Numbers: 2, 51, 84.

Your practical way of looking at things, coupled with a keen sense of intuition will help you make giant strides of progress. A housemate has some good news to share. Lucky day: Saturday. Lucky Numbers: 10, 24, 76.

You're in a great mood as November begins and so you should be when you are able to make a profit out of any business or money deals you are negotiating. Good day for luck: Monday. Lucky Numbers: 14, 35, 63.

With everything going your way, take care not to let this go to your head. A slightly frivolous mood may lead you astray when you could get yourself mixed up in a situation that has embarrassing consequences. Fortunate on: Saturday. Lucky Numbers: 8, 26, 77.

The start of the week is excellent for furthering your important long term goals. Be patient. Far off aims will require effort and stamina before you even catch a glimpse of the success they might bring. Lucky Day: Monday. Lucky Numbers: 48, 57, 61.

A team spirit is very much in evidence as November begins. There will be a few ideas you want to air in a group environment; you won't have any trouble putting these over. Expect luck on: Monday. Lucky Numbers: 32, 54, 78.

With everything going your way, take care not to let this go to your head. A slightly frivolous mood may lead you astray when you could get yourself mixed up in a situation that has embarrassing consequences. Fortunate on: Saturday. Lucky Numbers: 12, 27, 56.

You will benefit through delaying vital choices, so avoid making snap decisions or you may regret it later. Think things through and you are less likely to choose wrongly. Good fortune forecast on: Saturday. Lucky Numbers: 23, 45, 83.

When it comes to enjoying yourself, you'll be willing to cut your coat according to your cloth. A problem may arise if you don't make your financial position clear to any other interested person. Lucky day: Wednesday. Lucky Numbers: 37, 69, 82.

There’s something you’re uncertain about. Be a shade more open and you could see waves of relief going over the faces of others, who may be in a similar position, but not so brave about saying so. Fortunate on: Tuesday. Lucky Numbers: 22, 65, 97.

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Uncle Jimmy was flying home from Los Angeles for his annual Christmas vacation in Belize.

At the check-in counter, he said to the clerk, "I want you to send my black case to Belize and my blue case to San Salvador."

``The clerk replied, "I'm sorry sir, we can't do that!"

"Oh really," said Uncle Jimmy, "that's exactly what you did the last time I flew with you!"

Daddy Consents To The Wedding

Mr. Brown patted his daughter's hand fondly, and told her, "Alice, your boyfriend told me today that he wanted your hand in marriage, I just want you to know that I gave my consent."

Asking The Wrong Question

A new postman on his first round walked up to the fence. There was a large Doberman lying on the grass, and an old man was sitting on the patio.

"Excuse me, sir, but does your dog bite?" the postman asked.

The old man replied, "No, not at all young man."

So the postman opened the gate and walked into the garden. The dog ran over snarling and growling and bit him on his arms and legs.

As the old man dragged the dog off, the postman yelled, "I thought you said your dog didn't bite!"

The old man replied, "He's not my dog!"

Making Diamonds From Tequila

BY: Greg Morsbach, BBC News

A method of producing synthetic diamonds using tequila - Mexico's favorite alcoholic drink - has been discovered, scientists there say. The amazing discovery was made by physicists from the National Autonomous University of Mexico, and could have many industrial uses. There is one catch however. The synthetic diamond crystals are too small to be turned into jewelry. Mexico produces hundreds of millions of liters of tequila every year. Annual sales to the US alone are worth about $500m. The head of the scientific team, Miguel Apatica explained to the BBC how they came up with their discovery.

"First of all we turn the liquid tequila into vapor by using a lot of heat. The gas molecules are then broken up into tiny particles. Then we increase the heat even further - to around 800 degrees Celsius. The end result is that we get carbon atoms which are then deposited in the shape of a very thin diamond film," he said. The synthetic diamond crystals can only be seen under an electronic microscope. Although they cannot be used for jewelry, there are plenty of practical applications for them. They can be used as an alternative to silicone in computer chips or as ultra fine cutting instruments in medical procedures. One advantage of making diamond film from tequila is that it is extremely cheap. The scientists found that even the cheapest of tequila brands, averaging at $3 a bottle, are good enough to make diamonds.
BY: Inspector Claudio Mai

BENQUE VIEJO TOWN, Cayo District, Thursday, November 13, 2008:

On Wednesday, 12th November, 2008, about 11:00 am Border Patrol Unit (BPU) Police Constable #54 Wayne Cadle was travelling in a Belize Bus Owners Cooperative (BBBC) Bus when his attention was drawn to a male person Ervin Monroy, 20, laborer, naturalized Belizean from Guatemala, of a George Price Avenue, Santa Elena Town address sitting on the second to the last seat with a black sling bag on his lap.

The aroma of marijuana prompted PC Cadle’s interest and when he conducted a search of the bag, he came upon a bag containing suspected marijuana which when weighed, tipped the scale at exactly 530.2 grams.

Monroy was formally arrested and charged for drug trafficking. He was arraigned in Benque Viejo Magistrate Court later that day where he pleaded guilty to the charge. He was fined $10,000.00 plus $5.00 cost of court and confined to spend the next three years in jail. In default of paying the fine he will spend an additional three years in jail.

Canada Frees Man Too Big For Jail

BBC News, Thursday, November 13, 2008:

Canadian authorities have released a prisoner known as Big Mike who was found to be too fat to fit in his cell. Michel Lapointe is a convicted drug gang member arrested in 2006 who weighs 450lb (205kg).

He could not fit on the chair in his Montreal prison cell and his body protruded six inches on either side of his bed, press reports said. Officials ruled that Lapointe’s prison conditions were “difficult” because of his health.

The Journal de Montreal newspaper quoted a letter from the authorities to Mr. Lapointe saying: “You have been detained for more than 25 months and your prison conditions are difficult because of your health.” They also cited the refusal of two other facilities to accept the 37-year-old, who was handed a five-year sentence in May this year.

Mr. Lapointe was freed late on Tuesday. “I’m going to have a proper bed and finally have a chair I can sit in,” he told the paper outside the prison.

“I want a normal life. I’ve done some stupid things and I’ve paid for them,” he added.

In its justification for the early release, the Quebec Parole Board also cited Mr. Lapointe’s good behavior, his non-violent crime and the support of his wife and mother.

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ORDER made by the Public Utilities Commission (hereinafter referred to as “the Commission”) in exercise of the powers conferred upon the Commission by Section 13 and Section 21 of the Electricity Act, Chapter 221 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2006, and all other powers thereunto the Commission enacting.

Short title. 1. This Order may be cited as the:

BELIZE ELECTRICITY LIMITED LICENCE COMPLIANCE ORDER, 2008

Directives. 2. The Belize Electricity Limited (hereinafter referred to as “BEL”) is hereby directed to adhere to all Conditions of its Licence granted by the Commission under Section 14 of the Electricity Act, Chapter 221 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2006 (hereinafter referred to as “the Licence”).

3. Pursuant to Condition 2 and subject to Condition 20 of the Licence, BEL is directed to take all reasonable steps to supply electricity to such persons who shall request supply of the same to the extent necessary to satisfy all reasonable demands for such supply by such persons, and where the Commission has approved any rates, fees, charges or tariffs in relation to such electricity services, BEL is directed to supply only such approved rates, fees, charges or tariffs.

4. Subject to Condition 20 of the Licence, BEL is directed to take all reasonable and necessary steps to expedite the application process for such persons who shall request the supply of electricity services.

5. Pursuant to Condition 6 of the Licence, BEL is directed to continue to apply the established Codes of Practice relating to New Connections and the provision of any electricity services requiring the installation or upgrading of service lines or other accessories or equipment for the provision of such services, or requiring the extension or upgrading of any distribution or supply line or the expansion or upgrading of the distribution system.

6. For the avoidance of doubt, the Codes of Practice referred to in Section 5 above include:

(a) The One Pole – Two Pole Policy for the provision of electricity services requiring at the minimum the installation of the supply line and meter, and at the maximum the installation of two (2) poles with accompanying distribution lines, accessories, supply line and meter, as submitted by BEL in its rate review submission in relation to the First Full Tariff Review Proceeding conducted in 2005.

(b) The Customer Capital Contribution Policy for the provision of electricity services requiring distribution line extension of more than two (2) poles and/or the installation, upgrading and construction of other accessories or equipment, including those for voltage transformation, required to provide such services, as employed by BEL on or before June 26, 2008, and which provides for customer capital contributions based on economic analysis of the net present value of the expected cost of and expected reverse flow from the provision of such service.

7. Pursuant to Section 5 and Section 6 above, BEL is directed to immediately reimburse any unapproved or inappropriate tariffs, fees or charges levied against such persons who requested electricity services on or after July 1, 2008, upon the request for reimbursement of such tariffs, fees or charges by such persons.

Provisions to secure compliance to Order. 8. To secure the compliance of BEL to the provisions of this Order where it relates to the supply of electricity to such persons who shall request supply of the same, and subject to Condition 20 of the Licence, all reasonable requests for the supply of electricity services are required to be satisfied according to the following:

(a) All electricity services requiring no installation of poles but requiring the extension of the distribution line, including for the purpose of crossing a public right of way, or the installation of the supply line, meter or other accessories necessary to satisfy all reasonable demands for electricity supply by such persons who may request same, are required to be completed within five (5) working days of the receipt of the application and approved service fee for such service.

(b) All electricity services requiring the installation of up to two (2) poles and associated extension of the distribution line, including for the purpose of crossing a public right of way, and the installation of the supply line, meter or other accessories necessary to satisfy all reasonable demands for electricity supply by such persons who may request same, are required to be completed within ten (10) working days of the receipt of the application and approved service fee for such service.

(c) All electricity services requiring the installation of more than two (2) poles and associated extension of the distribution line(s), including for the purpose of crossing of public rights of way, and the supply line, meter or other accessories, or the upgrading of distribution line(s) or the installation or upgrading of voltage transformation equipment and accessories, necessary to satisfy all reasonable demands for electricity supply by such persons who may request same, are required to be completed according to any agreement entered into between BEL and such persons who may request such services, provided that BEL shall take all reasonable steps to provide such services in a timely and expeditious manner, or to satisfy any target date that may be agreed to by BEL and such persons who may request such services.

9. To secure the compliance of BEL to the provisions of this Order where it relates to satisfying all reasonable demands for electricity supply as requested, and subject to Condition 20 of the Licence, BEL shall take all reasonable and necessary steps to secure the supply of electricity from all persons or companies with whom BEL has entered into approved Power Purchase Agreements for such supply of electricity.

10. To secure the compliance of BEL to the provisions of this Order, BEL shall, as required by the Commission, facilitate the review, by the Commission or its agents, of any or all of its records as such may relate to or provide evidence of BEL’s compliance to any Condition of the Licence or to the provisions of this Order.

MADE by the Public Utilities Commission this 11th Day of November, 2008.

[Signature]
Chairman, Public Utilities Commission
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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 ROSITA FERNANDEZ is applying for the renewal of her PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate MALT & CIDER LIQUOR LICENSE located in the Manzanero Complex, Savannah 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 ANN SUTTON is applying for the renewal of her MALT & CIDER LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate CLUB VIETNAM located in the village of Untedville 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 BETTY TORRES REQUEJIA is applying for the renewal of her PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate HILL TOP BAR located in the village of Untedville 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 MARCELA BULLomo is applying for the renewal of her PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate ROOF TOP BAR located at #35 Wyatt Street, Benque Viejo 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 JOSEPHINE CANTO is applying for the renewal of her PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate THE CABBIN located on the Western Highway 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 MALCOLM MCCORMICK is applying for the renewal of their PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE located on the Western Highway between San Ignacio and Benque Viejo 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 BENJAMIN VELA is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate ROOF TOP BAR located in 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 FENG YING TANG is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate THREE FLAGS located in the village of Untedville 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 ROBERTO VALDEZ is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located on the Mountain Pine Ridge Road 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 NICHOLAS GARCIA is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located in 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 BERTILIA SANDOVAL is applying for the renewal of her PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment 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 CESAR HERRARD is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located on the Mountain Pine Ridge Road 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 MICHAEL CANTO is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located on the Mountain Pine Ridge Road 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 ROBERT HALE is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate WINDY HILL located between miles 68 & 69 on the Western Highway, 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 TERENCE ROSALES is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment in the village of Cristo Rey 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 CRAIG MILNER is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located on the Mountain Pine Ridge Road 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 JOHN D'ILLO is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate BULL FROG INNN located on the Ring Road, City of Belmopan 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 GEOVANNI DAWSON is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate LA PASADITA BAR located on La Loma Luz Blvd. 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 FRANCIS DELVALLE is applying for the renewal of her PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate CALADIUM located in the Market Square, area of Belmopan 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 CELINA GUERRA is applying for the renewal of her MALT & CIDER LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located in the village of Teakettlein 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 THOMAS ROBERTS is applying for the renewal of his PUBLICAN SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE for the year 2009 to operate his establishment located in Santa Elena Town in the Cayo District.
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BY: Arthur Usher
Youth Officer
Belize Family Life Association
BELIZE CITY, Wednesday, November 12, 2008:

The Belize Family Life Association (BFLA), as a not-for-profit family oriented organization, has become increasingly aware of and concerned about the decline of the impact of men in the family and by extension the society. As a part of our mandate the Belize Family Life Association has successfully planned and hosted two Male Talk Forums in 2007; July 3 and December 5.

The purpose of those talks was to gather information on the general feeling and level of concern that the men in our society feel about specific issues and situations.

It was a success as we gained a wealth of knowledge from the three generations of Belizean men ranging from in-school to out-of-school, from jobless to executive, from grandfathers to teenager who participated in the forums and voiced their opinions, concerns and suggestions.

BFLA has now decided to embark on the third stage of this process by hosting Male Talk 3 at The Bliss Center for the Performing Arts on November 29th, 2008 from 9am to 3pm. This conference will focus on the effects of non-communicable chronic diseases on male sexual health and will include presentations from doctors/professionals in respective fields. We also wish to identify ways in which health and family service providers can increase access to services and participation of men.

Lunch and snacks will be provided for the day’s event. Your input in this conference is greatly appreciated.

The success of this conference is dependent on your honesty and diligence to bring about change on some of the country’s core issues and promises to be informative and dynamic. We hereby take this opportunity to invite you to participate in this experience. Please confirm participation by contacting the BFLA center in your area or BFLA Head Quarters on Mercy Lane, Belize City, by November 21, 2008.
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