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## **NOTICE TO ALL STAKEHOLDERS**

### **Subject: Consultation on the Removal of GST from Food Items**



Dear Stakeholders,

The Government of Anguilla invites you to a pivotal consultation on the pending removal of Goods and Services Tax (GST) from food items. This session offers a valuable opportunity for all stakeholders—merchants, suppliers, and other industry representatives—to engage in discussions about this upcoming policy change, which is anticipated to take effect on December 18<sup>th</sup> 2024.

### **Details of the Consultation:**

- **Date:** Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup> 2024
- **Time:** 10:00 am
- **Location:** Ministry of Finance 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Representatives from the **Consumer Affairs Unit, Customs Department, and Inland Revenue Department** will also be in attendance to provide insights, answer questions, and discuss the potential impacts on businesses and consumers.

Your participation is crucial to ensuring a thorough and inclusive discussion on this significant initiative. The Government of Anguilla aims to remove GST from food items to alleviate financial burdens on households and enhance affordability for all residents. We encourage all stakeholders to attend, share their perspectives, and collaborate on developing practical solutions that support the community, ensure smooth implementation, and uphold the sustainability of Anguilla's economy.

We look forward to your valuable contributions to this important dialogue.

Yours sincerely,

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