



SECTION 11(5) STATEMENT
Hon. Johany “Jay” Ebanks, JP, MP.
Minister for Planning, Lands, Agriculture, Housing & Infrastructure
REQUEST FOR REALLOCATION OF FUNDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION
11(5) OF THE PUBLIC MANAGEMENT AND FINANCE ACT (2020
REVISION) FOR MAJOR ROAD WORKS.

Mr. Speaker,

I rise in accordance with sections 11(5) and 11(6) of the Public Management and Finance Act (2020 Revision)

At its meeting held on **17 December 2025**, Cabinet approved a reallocation of **CI\$7,000,000** within the Ministry’s capital appropriations as follows:

- **Decrease:** EA 161 – Submarine Cable by – **CI\$7,000,000**
- **Increase:** EA 4 – Lands Purchase by – **CI\$5,500,000**
- **Increase:** EA 148 – Major Road Works by – **CI\$1,500,000**

This transaction was authorised as an **exceptional circumstance** under the Act to support priority land acquisition and major road works.

In accordance with the Public Management and Finance Act, the Government will bring forward a **Supplementary Appropriation Bill** to seek the approval of this Honourable House for the appropriation changes.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.