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PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION
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TO

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QUESTION:

Can the Honourable Minister provide an update on the operational management and enhancement plan for the Seven Mile Public Beach, including measures to regulate illegal vending, enforce public safety, and protect the visitor experience?

ANSWER:

Mr. Speaker,

The Ministry through the Public Lands Commission, the Public Lands Inspectorate and the Public Works Department, continues to implement measures to improve the management, safety and overall experience at Seven Mile Public Beach.

Mr. Speaker, the Public Lands Inspectorate conducts daily inspections to ensure compliance with the Public Lands Act and applicable regulations.

I am pleased to report that, based on these inspections, no illegal vending activities are currently being identified at Seven Mile Public Beach.

The Public Lands Commission has also approved a new vendor allocation plan, establishing designated areas for commercial activities to reduce congestion, preserve public access and improve the organization of the beach.

With respect to public safety and the visitor experience, the Public Lands Inspectorate continues to monitor activities that may obstruct public access or compromise safety.

The Public Works Department is progressing infrastructure improvements, including vendor facilities and storage arrangements, while its Park Rangers continue to maintain the beach's restroom facilities, landscaping and general grounds.

Mr. Speaker, the Ministry remains committed to ensuring that Seven Mile Public Beach is safe, clean, accessible and welcoming for residents and visitors alike.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.