

STAKEHOLDER FEEDBACK FORM- 2ND PUBLIC CONSULTATION

The Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago (GORTT), through the Ministry of Works and Transport (MOWT) has proposed the construction of an Offshore Fishing Port at Gran Chemin, Moruga on the south coast of Trinidad. This Offshore Fishing Port will work in tandem and offer support to the Onshore Fishing Facility which is currently being constructed under a separate CEC. To this day, fishing remains a vibrant economic activity in Moruga. However, the existing fishing facilities at Gran Chemin have deteriorated and presently in a state of disrepair.

The Offshore Fishing Port has the following objectives:

- To create a modern, functional fishing facility which satisfies the demands of the fishing industry in Moruga. The current facility is practically non – functional and very dilapidated.
- To create a facility for the Trinidad and Tobago Coast Guard at Gran Chemin, Moruga.
- To encourage economic development in Moruga which will provide tangible benefits to the residents of Moruga.

The MOWT engaged the National Infrastructure Development Company Limited (NIDCO) to oversee the implementation of the project including the acquisition of a Certificate of Environmental Clearance (CEC) from the Environmental Management Authority (EMA). The EMA has indicated that an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) is required before a determination can be made on the issuance of a CEC (CEC 5601/2018) and has issued a Terms of Reference (TOR) for the preparation of the EIA.

The first public consultation was held on 29th July 2021. NIDCO welcomes the public again to submit comments/ feedback on the proposed project/ EIA results. Given the limitations that the Covid-19 pandemic has imposed, we will be hosting the second event virtually as we aim to ensure safety of all. Please join us for the 2nd VIRTUAL public consultation event on **Wednesday 26th January, 2022, 5:30 pm** on the Zoom online platform by registering using the link: : <https://tinyurl.com/moruga2022pc> OR Join on the listed date and time via NIDCO's Facebook page: <facebook.com/nidcoltd> or NIDCO's YouTube page: <tinyurl.com/NIDCOyoutube> (recording will be available for viewing 1 week after the event).

Comments/ Feedback (please use additional overleaf or pages as needed):

I have viewed the live event or the post-recording of the video provided (circle one): **Yes** **No**

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