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The Statements of Revenue and Expenditure for the month of June 2021 are published with and form part of this issue of the *Official Gazette*.

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Senior Accounts Clerk

28th July, 2021

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS IN PUBLIC LIFE*

FILING OF DECLARATIONS OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
BY PERSONS IN PUBLIC LIFE FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2021

INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC OFFICE (IPO) ACT 2003, No.6 OF 2003
CAP 23:04 OF THE 2017 REVISED LAWS OF THE
COMMONWEALTH OF DOMINICA

According to the IPO Act, a person in public life (list of offices below) is required to file a declaration in Form 2, with the Integrity Commission within three (3) months after the end of the calendar year. For the 2021 calendar year just ended, all financial declarations must be filed with the Commission by Thursday, March 31st 2022. The Commission may, on application by a person in public life, extend the period within which a declaration may be filed (section 16 (2A)).

The Form 2 declaration made by the person in public life (the declarant) shall set out:

- (a) office or offices;
- (b) income, assets and liabilities;
- (c) assets of the spouse, children or relative acquired through or traceable to the declarant's income; and
- (d) gifts made by the declarant in value exceeding one thousand dollars.

Where the declarant holds money or property in trust for another, (s)he is required to state this in the declaration.

The Act requires the Commission to examine every declaration and, where that may be necessary for the conduct of the examination, to request from the declarant any information or explanation (section 15).

Failure to file or any other breach of the requirements of the Act constitutes an offence punishable by a fine of up to twenty thousand dollars and/or to imprisonment for up to two years (section 27).

Form 2 and 'Guidelines for Filling out Form 2' are sent to each person in public life and available at the Office of the Integrity Commission, Commissions Building, Cross Street, Roseau. For additional information or clarification, the Office may be contacted at: 266-3436/3391/3494 or at integritycommission@dominica.gov.dm or amboh@dominica.gov.dm.