


HURRICANE SEASON 2025

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The Government of Sint Maarten invites you to

EMANCIPATION DAY JULY 1ST 2025

162nd Anniversary of the Abolition of Slavery

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THE AFRICAN CONTINUUM

MORNING PROGRAM

“Conscious Mass” Parade

6:30 am to 7:00 am

Walter J. Nisbeth Road

Official Ceremony

7:00 am to 8:30 am

Venue: Corner of Zout Steeg & Cannegieter Street, Philipsburg
(Chamber of Commerce Building)

EVENING PROGRAM

Lecture by Dr. Jay Haviser - SIMARC

“Remember Africa’s Children

the Power of 3”



6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Documentary Film by


Mr. Roland Roi Colastica

7:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Venue: University of St. Martin
Room 202, Philipsburg



SMALL CLAIMS INFORMATION SESSION



Date: Monday, June 30th, 2025

Time: 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Location: Government Building, Conference Room 1 & 2

FACILITATOR:
CAROLINE VAN HEES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AT HBN LAW & TAX

Join us for an interactive session on small claims hosted by Caroline Van Hees, Attorney at Law. This session is designed to provide general information about resolving minor disputes for monetary claims.

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MINISTRY OF GENERAL AFFAIRS



PUBLIC TENDER

The Minister of General Affairs, Dr. Luc F. E. Mercelina, hereby invites prospective bidders to the public tender bidding to:

Upgrading the Marriage Hall for Sint Maarten for the Government of Sint Maarten, this project includes the enhancement of interior furnishings, decorative elements, lighting, and audio systems for the Civil Registry Department.

Principal:
The Minister of General Affairs, Dr. Luc F.E. Mercelina, on behalf of the Government of Sint Maarten with coordination by the Civil Registry Department.

Financed by:
The Government of St. Maarten

Description of works:
Bidders must submit an offer in accordance with the Terms of Reference for the upgrading of the Marriage Hall for Sint Maarten, including the supply and installation of new elements, as well as the removal of the existing system. The project scope includes:

- Upgraded interior with contemporary decor elements.
- Upgrading of floors, and painting walls.
- Elegant seating arrangements and improved guest accommodations.
- Installation of high-quality lighting to create a warm and inviting atmosphere.
- A well-designed stage for ceremonies with a luxurious backdrop.
- Sound and multimedia system enhancements.
- Improved entrance aesthetics, setting the tone for a grand celebration.

Terms of Reference Acquisition:
The Terms of Reference document will be available for collection at the Civil Registry Department (Front Office) in Philipsburg starting **Tuesday, June 24th, 2025**.

An information meeting:

- Venue:** Government Building Meeting Room (St. Maarten Meeting Room)
- Address:** Soualiga Road #1, Philipsburg, Sint Maarten
- Date:** Monday, July 14th, 2025
- Time:** 2:00 PM

Bid Submission Details
Bids must be submitted in duplicate, sealed in an envelope, and delivered to the Civil Registry Department no later than **12:00 PM on Monday, July 28th, 2025**. The envelope must be clearly labeled: **“Upgrading of the Marriage Hall for Sint Maarten.”**

Bid envelopes will be opened in the presence of bidders by the Project Steering Committee at the St. Maarten Meeting Room in the Government Building on **Monday, July 28th, 2025, at 2:00 PM**.

Eligibility and Submission Requirements:
To qualify, bidders must submit all required documentation as specified in the Terms of Reference.

Further information
Further information concerning the Tender procedure can be obtained from Ms. Rosemary Lejuez at rosemary.lejuez@sintmaartengov.org or Kathy Snijders at kathy.snijders@sintmaartengov.org