

### Role Card

#### To the Directors of Holidays Inc.

The Press Release explains the proposals that you have made. You have been actively encouraged to make these proposals by Evelyn Talbot, the Minister for Development, and you know that Sam Wells, the Prime Minister, is sympathetic to them also.

They have explained to you that they need to get the St Philip Parliament to agree to the proposals. At the moment, Prime Minister Wells's party, the SPNIP, holds a slim majority in the Parliament with six seats to the Opposition Party's four seats. There is one Independent member who supports neither party. The Independent member, Hilary Willett, sits for the constituency in which you are planning to site your hotel complex.

You would certainly expect to make some long-term profit from the Anchorage Bay complex, but there will be extensive start-up costs. You can offer jobs (though not in the top management positions) to St Philip islanders. Many of them could be trained to be waiters, chambermaids, kitchen workers, gardeners, etc. You can also offer an infrastructure of services to the northern part of the island, since mains water, electricity, broadband telephone connections, etc are essential installations for the hotel.

The Anchorage Bay development will be a large one, and so it is essential that the island's airport gets a bigger runway. The extension of the runway is necessary so that larger planes can fly in, bringing large numbers of 'package holidaymakers' to St Philip.

Speak with those members of the Parliament you think are most influential (or who might need most persuading) and present your views vigorously. The Independent Member for North Bay, Hilary Willett, is perhaps the single most important person you have to convince.

*NB* You need to work speedily, because you will want to have completed your talks with MPs before the debate in the St Philip Parliament begins.

See if you can persuade the Speaker of the House to let you address the House at some time in the debate.

- Q** How many restrictions would you allow the Government to put on your plans, before you decided to pull out of the deal? *NB* If you are pressed too far, you can always take your hotel complex plans to another island, since there are many other possible sites in the Caribbean for a holiday development such as yours.