

Mr. Kenneth Noel, Mr. Terrence Clarke (GM) & Mr. Lennox Findlay at the launch



THE TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION



Presenter Duane Gonzales-Friends of Blood Bank Association

CELEBRATES NATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY WEEK



Defensive driving course with Mr. Peter Granado



Disaster Tips with Donna Pierre (ODPM)



Health Screening- NWRHA



Healthy Lifestyles-Mrs. Batson (nutritionist)

The Trinidad and Tobago Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) moved into its new offices at 57-59 Dundonald Street on Thursday April 6th, 2006. At the formal ceremony to mark the commissioning of the building, the Chairman Mr. Osborne Nurse stated that "We have worked with our architects and designers to make this facility into one in which our staff members and visitors can be comfortable and productive." At the 17th World Congress on Safety and Health at Work, the International Labour Organisation (ILO) announced that some 2.2 million people die of work-related accidents and diseases. Mindful of this and in celebration of World Health and Safety Day the Commission recently hosted one week of activities geared to engendering good Health and Safety practices amongst its staff members. The week of activities began on April 30th and ended on May 4th 2007.

In addressing the employees at the start of the week of activities Mr. Terrence Clarke General Manager, reinforced the fact that the Commission views a strong occupational safety and health culture as an essential component to good corporate governance and social responsibility. The Commission has embodied the philosophy that employees are the organization's most important asset and so the Commission's management team made the decision to implement in-house HSE systems to ensure that all Health and Safety concerns were addressed.

The week of activities was officially launched with two members of the National Safety Council Mr. Lennox Findlay and Mr. Kenneth Noel giving remarks. Members of staff began the week with a healthy breakfast. Lecturers over the week spoke on Mental Health, Defensive driving, the benefits of becoming a blood donor, preventing oneself from becoming a victim of crime and the link between nutrition and chronic disease. Members of staff also benefited from health screenings from the North West Regional Health Authority. The week of activities ended with a walk around the Savannah. Some of the Health and Safety banner achievements at the Commission since its occupation of the building a little over a year ago include the following:

- Risk and hazard analysis completed for building & compound and implementation of recommendations of H&S Consultants
- Health and Safety Committee inaugurated
- 80% of Staff members trained in First Aid & CPR
- All Staff trained in Emergency evacuation procedures
- Successful fire drill
- Emergency response plan developed



Presenter- Dr. Rajeev Khaja (NWRHA)



Self-defense with Police Service



Staff warms up for Savannah walk



SEC Staff after Savannah walk