



## Regional Caribbean Parliamentary Workshop

*Promoting Engagement of Women Parliamentarians in  
Addressing the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons*



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## PROGRAM

Hyatt Regency Hotel

Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago

26-27 September 2019



9:45am

***Opening Remarks***

Senator Khadijah Ameen, Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago

Ambassador Aad Biesebroeck, Head of Delegation of European Union

Ms. Marina Walter, United Nations Resident Coordinator

10:45am

*Group Photograph and Coffee Break*

11:15am

*Overview of Goal and Purpose of Workshop*

Mr. Peter Barcroft, Senior Director, Parliamentarians for Global Action

*Interactive Dialogue*

12:15pm

*Lunch*

1:30pm

***Perspectives and Insights from the Region***

Senator Jeannine Michele Giraudy-McIntyre, President, Senate of St. Lucia

Senator Mauricia Thomas-Francis, Deputy President, Senate of St. Lucia

Dr. Angela Brown Burke, MP, Parliament of Jamaica

Senator Deborah Charles, Senate of St. Vincent and the Grenadines

*Interactive Dialogue*

3:00pm

*Coffee Break*

3:15pm

**Perspectives and Insights from the Region**

Mr. Patrick Kensenhuis, MP, Member of National Assembly of Suriname

Ms. Ingrid Bink, MP, Member of National Assembly of Suriname

Senator Kim George, Senate of Grenada

Senator Cathisha Williams, Senate of Grenada

Dr. Sonia Browne, MP, Parliament of Barbados

*Interactive Dialogue*

4:45pm

Conclusion of First Day

**DAY 2**

9:45am

**Analysis and Observations from Civil Society**

Ms. Folade Mutota, Women's Institute for Alternative Development and the Caribbean Coalition for Development and the Reduction of Armed Violence

*Interactive Dialogue*

10:30am

*Coffee Break*

10:45am

**Introduction, Discussion and Adoption of Port of Spain Plan of Action**

11:45am

*Closing Remarks* by Hon. Vidya Goopeesingh, MP, Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago

*Brief Final Remarks* by Participants

12:30pm

*Lunch*