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11th February, 2026

To:
The Honorable Dr. Terrance Drew
Prime Minister of Saint Kitts and Nevis
Prime Minister's Office
Government Headquarters
Basseterre, Saint Kitts

Cc:
The Honorable Mark A.G. Brantley
Premier of Nevis
Nevis Island Administration
Charlestown, Nevis

The Honorable Garth Wilkin
Attorney General
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RE: Formal Request for Destiny Special Sustainability Zones Development Agreement

Dear Prime Minister Drew,

On behalf of the Nevis Civil Society Coalition, we formally request an official copy of the proposed Destiny Special Sustainability Zones Development Agreement that the Nevis Island Administration (NIA) approved and forwarded to your office on December 23, 2025.

During his January 27, 2026 monthly press conference, Premier Mark Brantley confirmed that the NIA had conducted exhaustive town halls and stakeholder engagements on the above proposal before forwarding its formal approval and the final draft agreement to your office. He stated that while the agreement has not yet been signed, the NIA has signaled its comfort with the terms and expects Federal Cabinet review in short order, followed by parliamentary debate. The Premier also indicated that the agreement will ultimately be made public.

As representatives of the Nevis Civil Society and citizens of the Federation, we believe informed democratic participation requires transparent access to this agreement, which will profoundly affect land use and sovereignty in Nevis, economic and environmental policy, constitutional governance, parliamentary process, and the rights and livelihoods of Nevis residents.

Pursuant to section 23 of the Nevis Freedom of Information Ordinance, 2018 (No. 3 of 2018), which establishes the right of citizens to access documents held by public authorities, we specifically request:

- A complete, unredacted copy of the proposed agreement between Destiny Development Ltd. represented by Mr. Olivier Janssens, Premier Brantley, and the Nevis Island Administration, forwarded to your office by Premier Brantley on or about December 23, 2025.
- The timeline for Federal Cabinet review and parliamentary presentation.
- Any amendments or supplementary documents.

This request is grounded in the constitutional right of citizens to examine agreements affecting their governance before parliamentary ratification, as well as the precedent set by Premier Brantley's public acknowledgment that the agreement will be made public and submitted to Parliament. Transparent governance demands public access to agreements funded by and affecting public lands and resources.

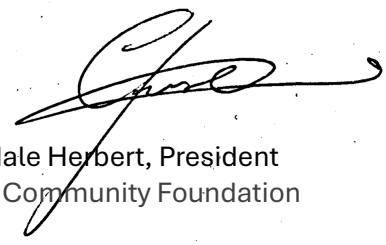
We respectfully request that you provide a written response within 7 days confirming receipt and providing either the agreement or a specific date for its public release.

Please note, NCS will issue a public statement with regards to this request to keep the general public abreast of lobbying efforts with regard to the SSZ

We look forward to constructive engagement on behalf of Nevis citizens.

Respectfully,
The Nevis Civil Society Coalition

Represented by:



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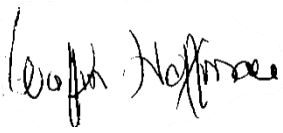

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