



SENATOR NOVELLE E. FRANCIS, JR.
36TH LEGISLATURE OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
Chairman, Committee on Budget, Appropriations and Finance

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Memorandum No. 25-017

To: Committee on Budget, Appropriations and Finance Members
The Honorable Marvin A. Blyden, Vice-Chairman
The Honorable Dwayne M. DeGraff
The Honorable Ray Fonseca
The Honorable Hubert L. Frederick
The Honorable Marise C. James
The Honorable Kurt A. Vialet

From: The Honorable Novelle E. Francis, Jr. 
Chairman, Committee on Budget, Appropriations and Finance

Date: June 9, 2026

Re: June 17, 2026 Committee on Budget, Appropriations and Finance Meeting

The Committee on Budget and Finance will meet on **Wednesday, June 17, 2026, 10:00 A.M.** in the Earle B. Ottley Legislative Hall on St. Thomas to receive testimony on the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget.

10:00 A.M.

Office of the Adjutant General

Invited Testifier:

Major General Kodjo S. Knox-Limbacker, Adjutant General

1:00 P.M.

Office of Veterans Affairs

Invited Testifier:

Mr. Patrick Farrell, Director

Bill No. 36-0274 An act requiring the Virgin Islands Housing Finance Authority to pay compensation to the homeowners within the LBJ Gardens community who have been required to vacate their homes as a result of the actions related to the demolition of properties owned by the Virgin Islands Housing Finance Authority and associated with the operations of the Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority and the Virgin Islands Waste Management Authority
Sponsored by Senators Clifford A. Joseph, Sr., Marsie C. James, Novelle E. Francis, Jr., and Hubert L. Frederick; Co-Sponsored by Senators Angel L. Bolques, Jr., and Ray Fonseca