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**RE: Committee on Homeland Security, Justice and Public Safety Hearing**

Dear Senator Gittens,

Thank you for your invitation to appear at the Committee on Homeland Security, Justice and Public Safety hearing scheduled for Wednesday, March 15, 2023, 10:00 a.m. at the Earle B. Ottley Legislative Chambers on St. Thomas. I have been asked to provide testimony on an overview of the department.

I am unable to attend and request a rescheduled date. I have previously scheduled commitments, therefore unable to attend. As this is the first meeting with you as Committee Chair, it is pertinent I provide testimony in person.

Regards,

Ray A. Martinez  
Police Commissioner

pc: Mario M. Brooks, Assistant Commissioner – St. Thomas-St. John District  
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