

Twenty-Eight (28th) Anniversary of the
Caribbean-American Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Inc. (CACCI)

Statement by the Rt. Hon. Sir Dennis Byron

I have great pleasure in congratulating the Caribbean-American Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Inc. (CACCI) on its 28th Anniversary on Thursday, 22nd August, 2013. The attainment of this important landmark is indeed worthy of great admiration.

This organization has contributed enormously to the welfare of the Caribbean businessmen who live and reside in the United States of America as well as forged links with businessmen in the Caribbean Region. When one has reviewed the great accomplishments that CACCI has made over the years, it is undoubted that it has been invaluable in developing Caribbean businessmen in America and strengthening the development of the Caribbean Community in terms of trading with the United States.

I want to pay a special tribute to the vision, commitment and hard work of its innovative President and founder Dr. Roy A. Hastick Sr. He has put together and led an outstanding team of professionals, and I need only mention Mr. Edmund A. Sadio, the Chairman of the Board. I trust that the activities of the Anniversary are pleasant, entertaining and informative and your organization continues to win the respect of the public and commercial businesses of New York.

I am aware of the enormous outreach of CACCI because of its approach to Regional institutions like the Caribbean Court of Justice. I take this opportunity to reiterate my appreciation on the messages of congratulations and support on my appointment as President of the Court, and for the Reception hosted on my behalf in New York which allowed me an opportunity to make a presentation explaining to the Caribbean businessmen of the establishment and work of the Court.

As you celebrate yet another milestone I pray that your organization grows from strength to strength and continues to leave its imprint on the Caribbean diaspora both nationally and internationally.