PRESS RELEASE.

FUEL PRICE INCREASE: THURSDAY, MIDNIGHT, 7th NOVEMBER, 2019 (EFFECTIVE FRIDAY, 8th NOVEMBER, 2019).

The Ministry of Natural Resources and Energy cordially informs the public that petrol and diesel product prices will increase by 85 cents/litre. The new fuel prices will come into effect from Midnight, Thursday, 7th November, 2019 (effective on Friday, 8th November, 2019).

The 85 c/l increase is as a result of the fuel tax increase from E3.00/litre to E3.85/litre in line with Legal Notice No. 190 of 2019 (the Finance Act, 2019 commencement dates notice) read in conjunction with the Finance Act, 2019.

The increase in the fuel prices will be as follows:-

- The Unleaded Petrol (ULP 95) price will increase from E12.80/litre to E13.65/litre,
- The Diesel (0.05%S) price will increase from E12.80/litre to E13.65/litre,
- The Diesel (0.005%S) price will increase from E12.85/litre to E13.70/litre and;
- The paraffin price will remain unchanged at E9.15/litre as it does not attract any taxes.
The Ministry encourages the Public to use fuel efficiently.

Yours Faithfully,

WINNIE T. STEWART (MRS).
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY.