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PROGRAM AGENDA

DAY I, FRIDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER: ANALYSIS AND CRITIQUE OF THE CBI

7:30-9:15 am  Registration

9:15-10:00  Welcome and Introductions
The Honorable Geo. W. Crockett, Jr.
Chair, Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs, U.S. House of Representatives
The Honorable Don Boulter,
Chair, Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, U.S. House of Representatives
Mr. Atherton Martin
Director, Caribbean Development Program, The Development GAP
His Excellency, Paul A. Russel
U.S. Ambassador to Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean
Sir James Tudor, K.C.M.G.
Minister of Foreign Affairs, Barbados

10:00-10:40  Presentations
Mr. William Demas
President, Caribbean Development Bank
Ms. Peggy Antrobus
Tutor-Coordinator, Women and Development Unit (WAND), University of the West Indies, Barbados
The Honourable Marcus DeFreitas
Minister of Trade, Industry and Agriculture, St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Dr. Richard Bernal
Professor, Department of Economics, University of the West Indies, Jamaica

10:40-11:00  Break

11:00-11:45  Questions from Members of Congress

11:45-12:30 pm  Discussion among Panelists

12:30-2:00  Luncheon sponsored by
Agricultural Missions, Inc., Inter-Pares, Oxfam-America, Oxfam-Canada, The Development GAP
Address by The Honourable L. Erskine Sandiford
Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Barbados

2:00-2:20  Presentation
Mr. Allan Fields
Caribbean Association of Industry and Commerce (CAIC)

2:20-3:30  Open Discussion (Panelists & Audience)
3:30-3:40  Break
3:40-4:50  Open Discussion (cont'd)
4:50-5:00  Summary of DAY I and Adjournment
6:30-8:00  Reception hosted by
The Hon. L. Erskine Sandiford, M.P., Prime Minister of Barbados, and Mrs. Sandiford
Residence of the Prime Minister, Harro Court

DAY II, SATURDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER: ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

9:00-9:20 am  Opening Remarks and Review of DAY I

9:20-10:00  Presentations
The Honourable George Mallet
Minister of Trade, Industry and Commerce, Government of St. Lucia
Ms. Earlene Horne
President, National Farmers' Union, St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Mr. Calvin Alexander
Chairman, Grace, Kennedy & Co., Ltd., Jamaica
Mr. Tim Hector
Editor, OUTLET, Antigua

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Caribbean Development Bank (CDB)
Caribbean People's Development Agency (CARIPEDA)
Women and Development Unit (WAND)
Address by Dr. Vaughn Lewis
Director, General, Organization of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS)

2:00-2:20  Presentation
Dr. Rex Nettleford
Director, Trade Union Institute of Jamaica

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3:30-3:40  Break
3:40-4:30  Open Discussion (cont'd)
4:30-5:00  Summary of DAY II, Recommendations for Follow-Up, Concluding Comments and Adjournment
5:00-5:30  Congressional Press Conference
5:30-6:00  Caribbean Participants Press Conference

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