



BARBADOS
PORT INC.

Ports and Customs Collaboration

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- An award-winning, full service, international trade seaport.
- Small port with a diverse portfolio.
- Major point of entry for 90% of goods.
- 1,151 vessel calls in 2020 in comparison to 1,398 vessel calls in 2019.
- Vision to be the most innovative green maritime hub in the world by 2030.

General Information

Barbados Port Inc.



- Established in 1852.
- Offices in Bridgetown Port, Grantley Adams International Airport (Terminals 1 and 2 and IAM Jet Centre), Port St. Charles, Warrens, and others.
- ASYCUDA 2.7 in 1993, ASYCUDA++ in 2006 and ASYCUDA World in 2019.
- Vision to be a world class Customs Administration recognized for our administrative and operational efficiency.

General Information

Barbados Customs and Excise Department





The key aspects are grounded in
Three Pillars

which can shape the successes and challenges faced when fostering sustainable relationships between Customs and ports.



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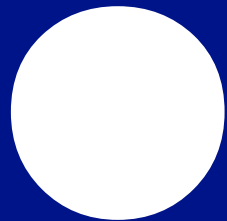
Legislation

Data Protection Act

Electronic Transaction Act

Customs Act

Port Act





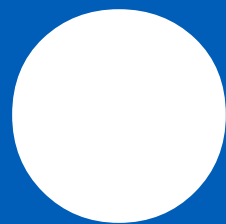
Technology

|MSW, PCS, TSW|

Blockchain, IoT,

Big Data, Analytics, A.I,

Cloud Computing





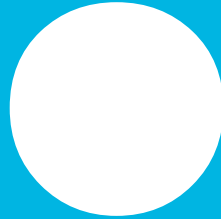
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Paradigm Shift

Change Management

Inter-agency Collaboration

Responsible Data Sharing



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Technology and Innovation Report

- Highlights great opportunities for those ready to catch the technological wave by naming 11 frontier technologies.
- These technologies already represent a \$350 billion market, which could grow to \$3.2 trillion by 2025.
- Low-and middle-income developing countries and the least developing countries cannot afford to miss the new wave of rapid technological change.



Unity is strength...when there is teamwork and collaboration, wonderful things can be achieved.

~ Mattie Stepnak

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Best Practices

To improve communication, efficiency and how ports and customs can support the role and responsibilities between agencies the following such be explored:



CREATE:

- Cybersecurity Framework
- Constant Constructive Review
- Create MOU's
- Bi-directional Flow of Communication



AGREE TO:

- Establish Point of Contact
- Clearly Define Roles and Responsibilities
- Support Initiatives
- Continuous Collaboration



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Thank You!

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