Barbados National Day at Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai



Ms. Kay McConney, Minister of Economic Affairs and Investment, giving opening remarks

On September 17, we cerebrated the Barbados National Day at Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai, Kay McConney, Minister of Economic Affairs and Investment, delivered opening remarks, and Barbados Expo Band performed traditional Caribbean music and dance. It brought audience to greatly excite.

During visiting Japan, the delegation led by Kay McConney, Minister of Economic Affairs and Investment, discussed about Barbados' social and industrial development with Masaki Ogushi, Japan's State Vice Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, WOTA CORP, and Nippon Export and Investment Insurance (NEXI).

Also, Ms. Fukushima, former Ambassador to Barbados, guided them in Tokyo's Asakusa temple district, where they experienced Japanese history and culture.

The Barbados Pavilion at Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai, showcases tourism and cultural exchange and will remain open until October 13.



L-R: Ms.Kay McConney, Minister of Economic Affairs and Investment, and Mr. Kazuki HONDO, Senior Direct Maneger at NEXI



L-R: Mr. OGUSHI Masaki, Senior Vice Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, Ms. Kay McConney, Minister of Economic Affairs and Investment, and Mr. Yasushi MISAWA, Permanent Delegation



At WOTA CORP



L-R: Mr. Shitau MIURA, First Secretary, Ms. Kayoko FUKUSHIMA, former Ambassador to Barbados, Ms. Kay McConney, Minister of Economic Affairs and Investment, Ms. Jennifer Hunte, Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Investment, and Ms. Kaye-Anne Greenidge, CEO of Invest Barbados



Mr. Edwin Yearwood, captivating audiences with music

