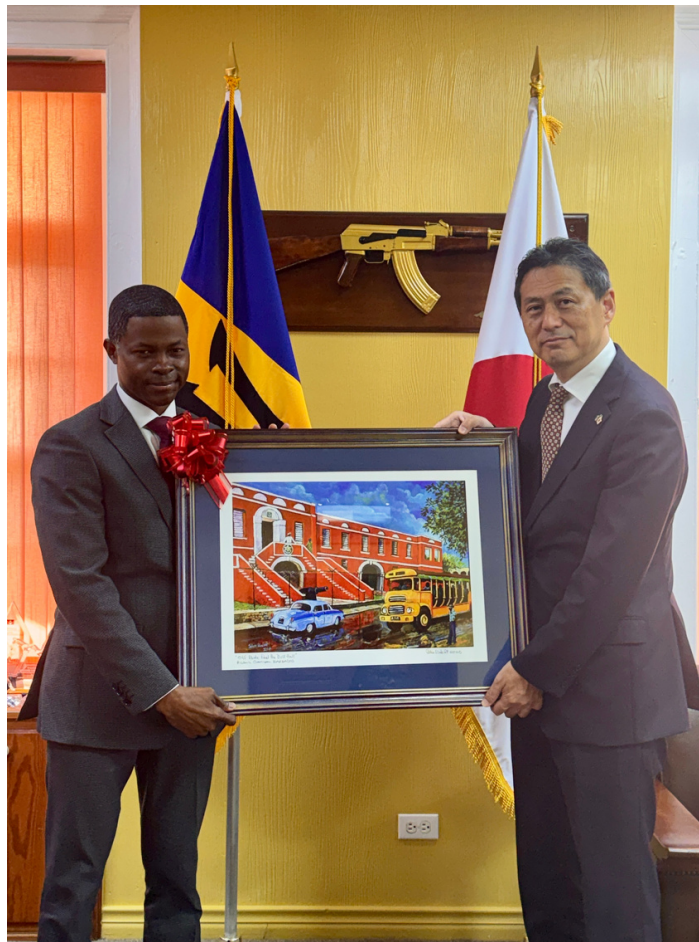


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Ambassador Miyasaka Pays a Courtesy Call on Brigadier the Honourable Carlos Lovell, Chief of Staff of the Barbados Defence Force



On August 20th, Ambassador Miyasaka visited the Barbados Defence Force Headquarters and paid a courtesy call on Brigadier the Honourable Carlos Lovell, Chief of Staff of the Barbados Defence Force.

During the meeting, Brigadier Lovell expressed his appreciation for Japan's support to date, particularly for its assistance in the area of disaster recovery. The two sides also reaffirmed their commitment to further strengthening the friendly and cooperative relations between Japan and Barbados through collaboration in a wide range of areas, including disaster response, efforts to address the Sargassum issue, and cultural exchanges, such as karate.

Ambassador Miyasaka received a painting depicting the historic St. Ann's Fort from Brigadier Lovell. St. Ann's Fort serves as the headquarters of the Barbados Defence Force and is one of the key landmarks comprising the UNESCO World Heritage Site "Historic Bridgetown and its Garrison." Through this artwork, the Embassy of Japan reflected on Barbados's rich history and was reminded of the importance of further strengthening the friendly relations between Japan and Barbados.



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