



CABINET OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS – POST MEETING SUMMARY

A meeting of the Cabinet was convened on Thursday, 19th February 2026 in the Cabinet Conference Room, Government Administration Building.

The Hon Minister Johany Ebanks acted for the Hon Minister Nickolas DaCosta, Ministry of District Administration and Home Affairs. All other Members of Cabinet were present.

At this meeting Cabinet:

- a) Confirmed the approval granted on 14th February, 2026 for the Health Insurance (Amendment) Bill, 2026, the Health Insurance Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2026, and the Health Insurance (Amendment) Regulations, 2026 to be tabled in Parliament;
- b) Approved pursuant to Schedule 3 of the Health Practice Act (2021 Revision) the appointment of the following persons to the Nursing and Midwifery Council: Nurse Annie Price, Co-opted Member; and Nurse Jessica Ebanks, Co-opted Member;
- c) Approved the update of the 2023 Outline Business Case for the General Aviation Terminal Project;
- d) Approved the renewal of a lease of office space for the Royal Cayman Islands Police Service;
- e) Noted the review of the National Heroes Act (1998 Revision), the Operational Framework for National Heroes Day and the development of a Cayman Islands Government National Heroes Day website; also Approved the theme for National Heroes Day 2027;
- f) Reviewed and noted the Children and Youth Services (CAYS) Foundation 2024 Annual Report and authorised the Hon Minister to table at the next meeting of Parliament;
- g) Approved pursuant to Section 159 of the Companies Act (2025 Revision) for seven companies to apply to Grand Court for restoration to the Cayman Islands Register of Companies;
- h) Approved in accordance with Section 37 of the Exempted Limited Partnership Act (2025 Revision) for two companies to apply to Grand Court for restoration to the Cayman Islands Register of Exempted Limited Partnerships;
- i) Approved pursuant to Section 52 of the Customs and Border Control Act (2024 Revision) for a waiver of import duty on the importation of school buses;
- j) Approved the Health Practice (Amendment) Regulations, 2026;
- k) Approved a coastal works permit for beach renourishment, the construction of two shore-perpendicular low-crested rock groynes and the relocation of reef balls;
- l) Approved the Immigration (Transition) (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2026 to be tabled in Parliament; and
- m) Noted the Reallocation of funding for additional resources.

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