CAYMAN ISLANDS

The Economics and Statistics Office (ESO) will lead the observance of Caribbean Statistics Day in the Cayman Islands on Monday, 15 October, with a slew of activities. To mark the occasion and promote greater awareness of statistics, CARICOM Secretary General, Ambassador Irwin Larocque, will issue a message.

The following activities will be undertaken to commemorate this day:

On Sunday, 14 October, a church service will be held at the Agape Family Worship Centre. This will be followed by a potluck lunch for ESO staff and their families at the South Sound Community Centre, ESO Senior Statistician, Mr. Crispin Boney outlined.

On Monday, ESO staff will make presentations on the Census data to students of John Gray and Clifton Hunter High schools during the day and a similar presentation to the statistics students at the University College of the Cayman Islands in the evening.

In addition, radio personality Mr. Sterling Dwayne Ebanks will host a group discussion on Radio Cayman's Talk Today in the afternoon, featuring ESO Acting Director Ms Elizabeth Talbert and Senior Statistician Ms Julietta Beaupierre, Customs Training Manager Mr. Langlie Powery and Chamber of Commerce CEO Mr. Wil Pineau.

The Government Information Services Spotlight (*GIS Spotlight*) will feature a segment on Statistics Day in its weekly show aired on local television and Radio Cayman as well as seen on the Government Information Services website www.gis.ky and on the *GIS Spotlight* You Tube Channel at www.youtube.com.