WHEREAS it is provided by section 5(2) of the *Town and Country Planning Act*, Cap. 240, that the Chief Town Planner shall submit for the approval of the Minister a development plan for the Island;

AND WHEREAS a development plan called the Barbados Physical Development Plan was submitted to the Minister on 8th day of July, 1970 and in accordance with section 10(2) of the *Town and Country Planning Act*, Cap. 240, came into operation on the 15th day of March, 1977;

AND WHEREAS in accordance with section 11 of the *Town and Country Planning Act*, Cap. 240 proposals for alterations to the Barbados Physical Development Plan were submitted to the Minister on 7th day of February, 1985 and in accordance with section 10(2) of the Town and Country Planning Act Cap. 240, the amendments to the development plan came into operation 1st August, 1991;

AND WHEREAS in accordance with section 11 of the *Town and Country Planning Act*, Cap. 240, proposals for alterations to the Barbados Physical Development Plan were submitted to the Minister on the 30th day of April, 1998 and the 29th day of January, 2003 respectively;

AND WHEREAS in accordance with section 9(5) of the *Town and Country Planning Act*, Cap. 240, certain objections and representations with respect to the Barbados Physical Development Plan were made in writing to the Minister who, in accordance with that section, appointed the Commissioners, Mr. Carl Ince and former Chief Justice, Sir Denys Williams, to hold separate public enquires into those objections and representations;

and where AS certain amendments which were proposed as a result of the public enquiry have been approved on the 19th day of October 2006 by the Minister under section 9(1) and notice of the approval has been published in the Official Gazette in accordance with section 10(1) of the Town and Country Planning Act, Cap. 240;

AND WHEREAS it is provided by section 10(2) of the *Town and Country Planning Act*, Cap. 240 that the amendments to a development plan shall be submitted for the approval of both Houses.

BE IT RESOLVED therefore that the House of Assembly and the Senate approve the Barbados Physical Development Plan as amended in 2003.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly this day of 2007.

Speaker

APPROVED by the Senate this day of 2007.