## **MESSAGE**

## From

## THE HONOURABLE THE SENATE

To

## THE HONOURABLE THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

The Honourable the Senate has the honour to inform the Honourable the House of Assembly that at its sitting on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 the Barbados Blue Green Bank Bill, 2024 was amended in the following terms:

In **Clause 2** the definitions of "blue economy" and "green economy" were deleted respectively and the following substituted therefor:

""blue economy" means the sustainable use of ocean resources to benefit economies, livelihoods and the preservation or regeneration of ocean eco-system health;"

""green economy" means the kind of economy that reduces environmental risks and ecological threats or dangers by encouraging economic activity that preserves or regenerates the environment;"

In **Clause 28.** the words "\$100 million" were deleted and words "**\$500** million" substituted therefor;

In **Clause 31.(2)**(*d*) the words "*section 23*" were deleted and the words "**section 7**" substituted therefor;

**AND** the Honourable the Senate transmits the amended Bill to the Honourable the House of Assembly inviting concurrence in the amendments to the Bill.

Dated the 26th day of June, 2024.

PRESIDENT