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MEDIA RELEASE

CPO leads continuation talks with CGWTU

February 26, 2026 – Further to the Contractors and General Workers Trade Union (CGWTU) signing of revised terms and conditions for the periods 2014–2016 and 2017–2019 on April 24, 2025, the Chief Personnel Officer (CPO), Commander Dr. Daryl Dindial, today met with the Union’s Executive.

The CPO noted that the meeting provided a valuable platform for open and constructive dialogue on matters arising under the agreement that directly affect daily-rated workers of the San Fernando City Corporation, as well as other existing terms and conditions beyond wage negotiations.

In concluding the session, Commander Dindial reaffirmed the Unions commitment to its daily-rated workforce, emphasising that their welfare, benefits and working conditions remain a central focus. He highlighted that ongoing engagement with the Union ensures that the needs of daily-rated workers are addressed promptly and fairly.

The CPO thanked the Union’s President General, Mrs. De Bique-Meade, for her leadership and the Executive for its professionalism throughout the discussions.

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