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Press Release

Co-op Bank continues its support of Public Awareness

For the 7th consecutive year the Grenada Co-operative Bank has sponsored the Grenada Bar Association's (GBA) Annual Sir Archibald Nedd Memorial Lecture. It was held on July 26, 2007 at the Bell Lecture Hall, under the theme "*Development at what cost? A critical analysis of the law relating to land use and foreign investment in small island states*". The guest speaker, Hon. Justin Simon Q.C. the Attorney-General of Antigua and Barbuda, delivered a lively and thought provoking discourse to the crowded auditorium.

One member of the audience said "It was stimulating, highly interactive and enlightening and broadened my knowledge on the pros and cons of land development transactions with foreign investors. This issue is a touchy subject in the country now and I could have identified with a lot of things in the lecture. I am already looking forward to the topic that will be selected next year."

Through the Bank's support over the years, the GBA has been able to attract high-powered and distinguished speakers from the sub-region. Past guest speakers include Senator Dana Seethahal S.C. (2006), Hon. Mia Mottley Q.C., Deputy Prime Minister and Attorney-General of Barbados (2005), Ms. Bernice Lake Q.C. (2004), Dr. Kenny Anthony, Prime Minister of St. Lucia (2003), and Dr. Ralph Gonsalves, Prime Minister of St. Vincent & the Grenadines (2002).

The involvement of the bank this year was of even greater meaning as the bank marks its 75th anniversary under the theme "**Celebrating a Proud Heritage, a Major Milestone, 75 years**".

Co-op Bank has sponsored this prestigious event for the last seven years and continues to be pleased with its involvement with the Bar Association, especially this endeavor aimed at

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enlightening the public on topical issues. The bank continuously seeks ways to give back to the community, which it serves, and educational development is one of the main areas of focus that has had strong support over the years.

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