

PERMANENT MISSION OF JAMAICA

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The Permanent Mission of Jamaica to the Office of the United Nations and its Specialized Agencies at Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and has the honour to inform that the Government of Jamaica has nominated Mrs. Andrea Miller-Stennett, Director of Manpower Services at the Ministry of Labour and Social Security, for membership to the Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Their Families. A copy of the biographical data form in respect of Mrs. Miller-Stennett is attached.

The Permanent Mission of Jamaica to the Office of the United Nations and its Specialized Agencies at Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) the assurances of its highest consideration.



Geneva, 10 August 2009

Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights Palais des Nations Geneva

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Recipients : . C. M. W.

Annex III

Biographical data form of candidates to human rights treaty bodies (Please respect the specified amount of lines when completing this form)

Name and first name: MILLER-STENNETT Andrea

Date and place of birth: 3 July 1967, St. James, JAMAICA

Working languages: English

Current position/function:

(5 lines maximum)

Director, Manpower Services

Functions: to direct and control activities to facilitate the placement of Jamaicans in employment opportunities overseas, and to monitor the activities of private employment agencies

Main professional activities:

(10 lines maximum)

- Contribute to the development of the policies governing the operations of the overseas employment programme
- Supervise activities to recruit and prepare migrant workers for overseas employment
- Liaise with overseas liaison services to ensure the welfare of overseas workers and to address problems
- Direct activities which are implemented to provide support to migrant workers and their families

Educational background:

(5 lines maximum)

- Master of Arts in Development Studies- Employment and Labour Studies, Institute of Social Studies, The Hague
- Bachelor of Science in Geography with the Social Sciences, University of the West Indies, Jamaica

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned: (10 lines maximum)

- Ensure that matters concerning wages, health, accommodation and other factors which impact on worker welfare are addressed by the relevant liaison service overseas
- Undertake interventions to give necessary assistance to the families of migrant workers
- Respond to complaints and conduct investigations with respect to issues affecting migrant workers
- Ensure that workers receive injury benefits, gratuity payments and other entitlements when necessary

List of most recent publications in the field: (5 lines)

N/A