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#### **COURTESY CALL BY T&T'S USA AMBASSADOR**



**Port of Spain, Trinidad – August 08, 2016:** The recently appointed Trinidad and Tobago's Ambassador to the United States of America and Permanent Representative to the Organisation of American States (OAS), His Excellency Brigadier General Anthony WJ Phillip, paid a courtesy call on the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Tourism, Mrs. Vidiah Ramkhelawan, on **Thursday August 04, 2016.**

Preliminary talks focused on the close bilateral relations between Trinidad and Tobago and the USA, and on areas to further expand cooperation. In the meeting, both sides discussed and exchanged views on different issues including the identification of some priority areas for further collaboration such as effective leveraging of Diaspora communities, joint marketing and investment promotion, tourism safety and security and increased airlift from the US.

Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Tourism, Mrs. Vidiah Ramkhelawan, congratulated His Excellency Anthony Phillip on his appointment and expressed confidence that the relationship between Trinidad and Tobago and the USA will strengthen even further during his tenure.



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