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We the Rastafari Progressive Inity of the Virgin Islands greet you in the name of the Most High, HIM Haile Selassie and Empress Menen.

We are writing this letter to link ones within the Rastafari communities both regionally and internationally as so to keep them abreast with what's going on with InI here in the BVI. As communication is vital among us, we are aiming to tighten the inity so as to be a strength to each other. Our means and ways of doing this are via the Internet and email. So we are hoping to share what ever information we have that would be a help to ones, with the strength of it being returned.

Rastafari brethrens and sistrens here in the BVI have become tired of the stagnant state within Rastafari and have taken several steps and initiatives to eradicate these problems.

As of May/June 2009, we adopted the name Rastafari Progressive Inity of the Virgin Islands which consists of about fifteen to twenty members. We also established membership for ones and created goals, aims and objectives which are outlined below:

Goals

- The unification of Rastafari physically, spiritually and economically within the region.
- To fulfill the Rastafari creed, "May the hungry be fed, naked clothed, sick nourished, aged protected and infants cared for."
- Providing education for the youths.
- Promoting agriculture as a means of getting food for consumption and economical reasons.

Aims and Objectives

- Building an ibernacle, an outside shed, a bathroom and a dawtas quarters.
- To establish, maintain and promote a food grounds.
- Providing workshops for ones that will give them knowledge and skills to gain economic self-sufficiency.
- Building a spiritual foundation through Ible study, His Majesty's teachings and Ises.

We meet every Friday for Nyahbinghi Ises and Ible study and have General Meetings on Saturday evenings. Presently we have a Treasurer, a Secretary and we all take turns in being the Chairman/Facilitator of the meetings. We have also formed three committees, which are; (1) The Farming Committee (2) The Finance Committee and (3) The Fundraising an Events committee.

Currently we are having Food Sales twice a month to help raise funds to build the Treasury for present and future projects. The two projects that we are currently focusing on are the maintenance of the farm and the piloting our first Rastafari Summer Camp for the youths (July 4th – 6th 2009).

We humbly welcome any advice or comments that would be beneficial to us as a strength from your Organization or group. And we in turn will do the same.

P.S. Please save our contact information for future references.

ONE GOD, ONE AIM, ONE DESTINTY

Blessed Love,

Sis Sarai Ikembe
Secretary