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<u>NEWLY APPOINTED HONORARY CONSUL OF SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES TO THE</u> <u>COMMONWEALTH OF BAHAMAS – REV. DR. KARI MARCELLE</u>

SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES, April 12, 2024 – The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade is delighted to announce the appointment of Rev. Dr. Kari Xavier Marcelle as the new Honorary Consul of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines to the Commonwealth of the Bahamas. With a wealth of experience and a proven track record of service to his community, Rev. Dr. Marcelle brings a unique blend of skills and expertise to this prestigious role.

Rev. Dr. Kari Xavier Marcelle, during his tenure, will serve the consular interests of Vincentians transiting, visiting and living in the Commonwealth of the Bahamas.

Fr. Marcelle was ordained as an Anglican Priest on 29th September 2011, in the Diocese of the Windward Islands by the Rt. Rev. Calvert Leopold Friday, Diocesan Bishop of the Windward Islands. Presently, and in addition to his role as Honorary Consul, Fr. Marcelle serves as Chaplain and Dean of Students at St. John's College and the Associate Priest at St. Gregory's Anglican Church, in the Commonwealth of the Bahamas. He is a professional and trained educator and lecturer and lectures virtually with the Diocese of the Bahamas and Turks and Caicos Islands Anglican Theological Institute, teaching Church Doctrine / Sacramentology.

To contact the Honorary Consulate of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines in the Commonwealth of the Bahamas, citizens may reach out via e-mail at sygconsul@gmail.com or 1-242-433-2007.

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