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Please find attached a reply sent by The Hon J Netto, Minister for Family, Youth & Community Affairs to The Hon J J Bossano MP in connection with the Minimum Income Guarantee



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The Hon J J Bossano
Gibraltar Socialist Labour Party
Suite 16 Watergardens 3
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Dear Joe

SUBJECT: MINIMUM INCOME GUARANTEE

Surely, if those who have gone to you are seeking an explanation from the DSS, then I trust that once you have presented my letter to them they will take the opportunity to obtain such an explanation even if as you suggest none was offered at the time. Therefore, the sooner those complaining to you come forward, the sooner their concerns can be addressed. No doubt you will welcome and support this initiative.

Rather than extrapolate advance hypothesis of what may or may not be the individual's financial circumstances, you will no doubt agree with me that what is required is to obtain those individual's details in order to see if their grievance is a fair one, or alternatively an adequate explanation be provided to the contrary.

Your help and assistance in hopefully forwarding the names of those seeking an explanation would be greatly appreciated.

Finally, I will also be sending this letter to the Press.

Yours sincerely

Hon J Netto
Minister for Family, Youth & Community Affairs

Signed and Dictated on behalf of the Minister.