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## **Gender Affairs Division Commemorates International Women's Day**

The Gender Affairs Division, operating under the Ministry of National Mobilisation, Social Development, Family, Gender Affairs, Youth, Housing and Informal Human Settlement has launched a week of training activities in recognition of International Women's Day, March 4<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

The theme for this year's commemoration is "Invest in Women: Accelerate Progress."

The training sessions aim to facilitate discussions on effective strategies for promoting women's advancement and fostering a more inclusive and equitable society. By providing a platform for dialogue and collaboration, the activities are geared to encourage networking among participants and establish a robust community of support for women's empowerment.

As part of the commemoration of International Women's Day, an opening ceremony was held on March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at Frenches House, Kingstown.

The ceremony was occasioned with empowering messages, and a commitment to advancing the cause of women's rights and equality. The week of training would revolve around the importance of "Investing in Women to Accelerate Progress".

The week-long program will include insightful discussions, workshops, and presentations focusing on various aspects of women's empowerment, from professional development to fostering an environment of inclusivity.