GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

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BVI Port Authority Board Member Vacancy Notice

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The Government’s vision is to transform the Virgin Islands into a leading economy through entrepreneurship, innovation and local and foreign investment. This means creating a thriving, vibrant, diversified and innovative, knowledge-based economy with an attractive business environment that ensures full employment and full participation in global trade. BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS PORTS AUTHORITY The BVI Ports Authority is of critical value to the Virgin Islands Economy. It helps to facilitate business continuity through ports and shipping, which are an essential part of the socio-economic environment of this Territory. The Government of the Virgin Islands is seeking qualified persons to fill the following positions: BOARD MEMBERS Persons applying to serve on the Board should have the professional competencies that exemplify integrity, respect and a balance of skills and experience that match the purpose, mission and values of the Authority. THE IDEAL CANDIDATE SHOULD EMBODY THE FOLLOWING QUALITIES: Since most of the work of the Board will be done during regularly scheduled meetings, the competencies required for an effective Board include the ability to: a) Possess the requisite leadership skills and experience in sectors directly relevant to the Authority’s functions and responsibilities. Clearly understand the industry, Authority and the needs of its stakeholders. b) Capable and willing to attend scheduled Board meetings, and actively contribute to the discussion. c) Attend meetings and make a substantial active contribution to Board deliberations. Share recommendations on how the Board can enhance the effective performance of its functions and mandates. d) Partner with Chair to ensure that all Board resolutions are carried out and that actions to achieve the Authority’s strategic goals are successfully undertaken. e) Develop a good working relationship with other Board members and contribute to the Bard’s working relationship with the senior management of the Authority. f) Demonstrate a commitment to confidentiality and good corporate governance. g) Think strategically, manage complexity and act decisively. h) Demonstrate ability and willingness to work effectively and collaboratively in a group. i) Possess an innovative spirit and the ability to think outside the box. TRAINING/SKILL/EXPERIENCE/REQUIREMENTS: Board Members must have commercial experience and acumen within a substantial private sector business or past public sector experience ideally from a relevant environment in the field of expertise which may include: maritime, property, regeneration, leisure and tourism, finance, law, economics, management, among other related business

sector leadership. HOW TO APPLY: Interested persons are asked to submit a cover letter, resume/curriculum Vitae, police report electronically by the closing date. Agency: Permanent Secretary Ministry of Communications and Works Government of the Virgin Islands Manuel Reef, Tortola VG1130

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Agency:

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Simmonds Building
Manuel Reef, Tortola VG1130
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CLOSING DATE: 19th June, 2026

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