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Mrs. Jacqui Sampson-Meiguel
Clerk of the House
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Dear Madam,

**Re: Fourteenth Report of the Public Accounts Committee on the Examination of the Report
of the Auditor General on the Public Accounts of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago for
the Financial Year 2016 with specific reference to the Ministry of Energy and Energy
Industries.**

At page 17 of the subject Report, the Public Accounts Committee recommended that the Auditor General expand his audit scope of the Ministry of Energy and Energy Industries to include the calculation of revenue and cited the current shortcoming as a lack of collaboration between the Measurement Unit (MU) and the Contract Management Division (CMD).

As regards this issue and also based on the subject Report, the Ministry has indicated that the process for collaboration between the MU and the CMD was under review and upon completion the process would be documented, approved and implemented accordingly.

The Auditor General notes the above undertaking on the part of the Ministry and upon implementation of the outcome of the said review, the Auditor General will pursue audit of the methods and processes used in the calculation of revenue.

Yours faithfully,

**MAJEED ALI
AUDITOR GENERAL**