

CARIBBEAN GROWTH FORUM SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES CHAPTER

LAUNCH OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR ORGANIZATIONS CIVIC OBSERVATORY

KINGSTOWN
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WHAT

- Provide under the coordination of the PSO SVG an independent monitoring of the CGF Action Plan
- Engage constructively to propose corrective measures in the reforms implementation process
- Report every six months, in conjunction with the Government CGF Accountability Workshops, on reforms progresses and impact



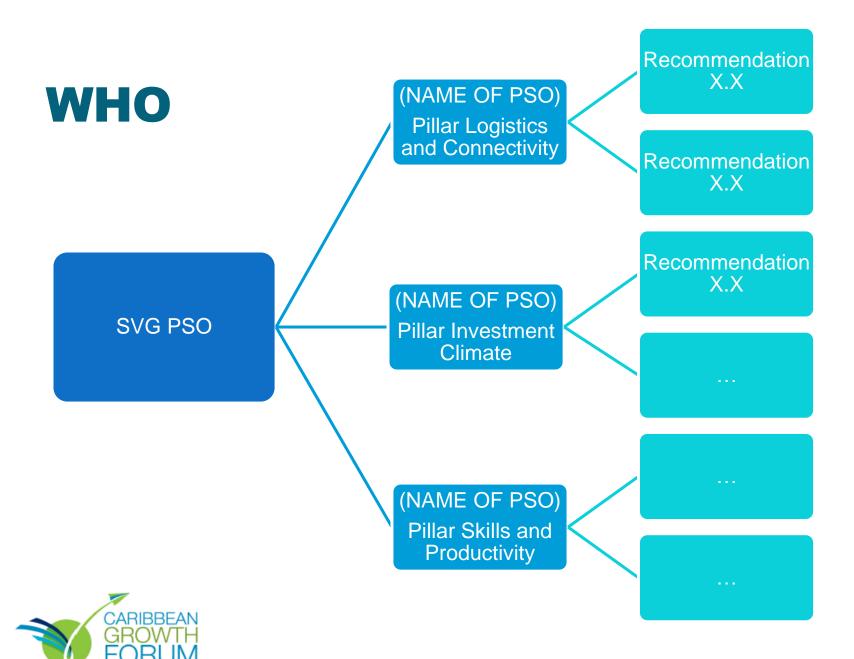
HOW

- Inclusion of CGF monitoring in the Business Council Work Program
- ❖ Participate to the technical training on reforms delivery and accountability together with the OECS Government's CGF Focal Points and PSOs in SKN on June 5-6, 2014
- Appoint three PSOs to coordinate the monitoring of the three pillars of the CGF Action Plan:
 - Logistics and Connectivity (NAME OF POTENTIAL ORGANIZ)
 - Investment Climate
 - Skills and Productivity
- Collect of evidence through the use of social accountability techniques to monitor reforms
- Provide continuous feedback to Government on reforms implementation



WHEN

- ❖ Launch of the PSOs CGF Civic Observatory on April 30, 2014 with signature of a MoU among interested parties
- ❖ Publish by June 15th a Work Program for the following 6 months, indicating which reforms will be monitored and which techniques will be used
- ❖ Organize regular meetings with specific CGF point persons responsible for the implementation of the Action Plan
- Present First Report on implementation in November 2014 (in conjunction with the Government Report)





WHY

- ❖ The PSOs Observatory seeks in this way to engage the Government of SVG in a constructive dialogue
- Increase the PSOs voice and inclusion in decision making
- Contribute to foster a culture of accountability, dialogue and inclusive public policy making