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Fair Trading Commission Warns Public About Fake AI-generated Video That Is Being Used for Fraudulently Soliciting Funds

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The Fair Trading Commission, (“the Commission,”) wishes to alert the public to the circulation of a **fraudulent, AI-generated video** that falsely uses the Commission’s logo and identity in an attempt to **solicit funds under false pretences**.

The fake video is titled “**Government Investment Platform Guarantees Income of 3500 TTD per week**”. Accompanying the video is a **fabricated online** article purporting to be from the Trinidad and Tobago Newsday titled “**Ronald Ramkissoon’s new project has already made more than 10,000 Trinidadians happy! The platform promises a guaranteed income of 80,000 TTD per week with minimum investments. Is this really true?**”

The Commission wishes to categorically state that it **has no affiliation** with this video, the purported investment platform, or the accompanying online article. The video, which bears hallmarks of AI manipulation was not created, authorized or endorsed by the Commission and it represents an attempt to deceive and defraud the public.

Members of the public are therefore strongly advised to:

- **Disregard the video and any related content.**
- **Avoid sharing personal or financial information in response to its claims.**
- **Report any suspicious links or solicitations to the appropriate authorities.**

The Commission wishes to emphasise that it **will never seek to solicit funds** from members of the public under any circumstances, nor does it operate any investment platform or income guarantee scheme. For clarification, the Fair Trading Commission is an **independent Statutory Agency** established pursuant to the Fair-Trading Act 2006. It is the third competition agency established in the CARICOM region and forms part of a global network of over one hundred competition agencies.

The core objectives of the Commission are to:

- Ensure that all legitimate business enterprises have an equal opportunity to participate in the economy.
- Prevent Anti-competitive conduct while at the same time complementing other policies that promote competition.
- Maintain and encourage free and fair competition.
- Raise awareness of the benefits of competition through advocacy.
- Provide guidance on how to comply with the law.

For more information or to report suspicious material, please contact:



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