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FOREIGN MINISTER SINCKLER AND GERMAN ENVOY HOLD TALKS

Barbados and Germany are aiming to strengthen and expand relations at the bilateral level and in the context of the European Union.

The new German Ambassador to Barbados, H.E. Dr. Ernst Martens discussed these issues on Friday, February 01, during a courtesy call on Minister of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and International Business, the Hon. Christopher Sinckler. Also in attendance were Minister of State in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and International Business, the Hon. Donville Inniss and Permanent Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Teresa Marshall.

Both parties agreed that there was considerable scope for increased cooperation between the two countries in the areas of tourism, education, financial services, science and technology, the protection of the environment and in the search for renewable energy resources.

Barbados established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Germany on March 14, 1967. The German Ambassador is resident in Trinidad and Tobago. (END)