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Certification Mark Stakeholders Workshop

The Belize Trade & Investment Development Service (BELTRAIDE) in collaboration with the Belize Bureau of Standards, with funding from the Commonwealth Secretariat and technical assistance from British Standards Institution executed a feasibility study for a Certification Mark for Belizean products.

Since February 2010, Dr. Anton Stelling from the British Standard Institution has been liaising and meeting with various Small & Medium Enterprises (SMEs), governmental agencies and private sector organizations to execute this task. The purpose of the feasibility study was to determine the following:

1. Feasibility of local food producers to benefit from the certification mark
2. The initial basket of goods to benefit from the Certification Mark and
3. A relevant Belizean model for a national certification system

Dr. Stelling will be sharing his report findings at a Stakeholders' meeting on Wednesday April 14, 2010 commencing at 9:00 a.m. at the George Price Center for Peace & Development, City of Belmopan.

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