



Parliament of the Cayman Islands

PRIVATE MEMBER'S MOTION NO. 1/2021-2022

Motion on Childhood Obesity

WHEREAS the Government of the Cayman Islands has a duty to protect the health of our Children;

AND WHEREAS Section 17 of the Cayman Islands Constitution Order 2009 specifically affords protection to children and young persons under the age of 18, and the Parliament shall provide children and young persons with such facilities as would aid their growth and development;

AND WHEREAS Childhood obesity continues to be a significant concern amongst our children and young persons;

AND WHEREAS the negative effects of Childhood Obesity are far reaching for our country with long term health problems associated with obesity, as well as the high costs of health care;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Government considers implementing a broad and long term policy and strategy specifically to address and curtail Childhood Obesity and its associated problems.

Moved By: Mr. Dwayne S. Seymour, JP, MP
Elected Member for Bodden Town East

Seconded By: Ms. Barbara Conolly, JP, MP
Elected Member for George Town South

Received in the Office of the Clerk this 11th day of August 2021.

Passed by the Cayman Islands Parliament this 8th day of December, 2021.

Clerk of the Parliament