



FIFTH YOUTH PARLIAMENT

Private Member's Motion No. 1 Prohibition on Importation, Possession and Use of Paraquat

WHEREAS the community is concerned as to the safety and general well-being of the people and wildlife of the Cayman Islands;

AND WHEREAS the chemical Paraquat (bipyridinium dichloride) is known to have adverse effects on humans;

AND WHEREAS in the past several years there have been numerous deaths of canines attributed to poisoning by Paraquat

BE IT NOW THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Government considers banning the importation, possession and use of Paraquat (bipyridinium dichloride) and either amending or implementing relevant legislation so that the importation, possession or use of Paraquat is deemed a criminal offence.

Moved by: Hon Sydonie Barrett
Leader of the Opposition
1st Elected Member for George Town

Seconded by: Hon Ann-Alecia Moore
Deputy Leader of the Opposition
4th Elected Member for Bodden Town

Received in the Office of the Clerk this 14th day of February 2012.

Passed/Rejected by the CPA Fifth Youth Parliament of the Cayman Islands this 12th day of March 2012.