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PORT AUTHORITY ANNOUNCES TEMPORARY RED HOOK OPERATIONS SCHEDULE FOR 2009 ST. JOHN CARNIVAL

The Virgin Islands Port Authority has temporarily adjusted its Red Hook operations schedule to accommodate travelers between St. Thomas and St. John for the 2009 Carnival festivities, announced Kenn Hobson, VIPA Executive Director. Hobson said that the Urman V. Fredericks Marine Terminal and parking lot at Red Hook will be open to accommodate the last ferry departure - which leaves as late as 2 a.m. - from St. John on June 30th through July 2nd. Additionally, the terminal and parking lot will be open 24-hours from July 3rd through July 5th.

Paid parking will be available at the Port Authority's parking lot at the ferry terminal. Hobson said that VIPA will allow overflow paid parking in the barge ramp area after 7 p.m. from June 30th through July 5th.

On behalf of the Port Authority, Hobson wishes the V.I. community a safe and enjoyable St. John Carnival celebration.

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