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## **Mock Disaster Drill Scheduled for Friday at King Airport**

The Virgin Islands Port Authority is alerting the public that a full-scale emergency drill will be conducted at the Cyril E. King Airport on St. Thomas on **Friday, February 27**. The drill is scheduled to begin at 8 am and will conclude by 12 noon, said VIPA's Executive Director, Carlton Dowe.

The exercise is tailored to test first responders and stakeholders who play a key role in disaster response and recovery, as per the airport's emergency plan. The drill will cover emergency response procedures in the event of a major commercial carrier accident. The media is invited to attend the drill.

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