

## Press Release



Chairman Justice Christopher Blackman

### **Submissions Closed for the Inaugural CARICOM Competition Commission (CCC) Secondary School Essay Writing Competition**

The CCC wishes to announce that the deadline for the submission of essays for its inaugural regional secondary school essay competition was **31 March 2020**. The competition is now closed. At this time, the CCC would like to thank the sponsors of the competition who made it possible for us to sensitise students across the region on competition law and consumer protection – UNICEF (Suriname), the Caribbean Examinations Council, and the Barbados Fair Trading Commission.

The CCC also thanks all national competition authorities in the CSME, Ministries of Education in each participating Member State and the teachers for their support in ensuring that as many students as possible participated in this inaugural competition.

We wish to express our appreciation to all the students who submitted their essays and made this competition a success. We specially congratulate them for showing an interest as well as making the effort to explore new frontiers and expand their knowledge base.

The public is advised that the winners of the age categories will be announced on the CCC website on **30 April 2020**.

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