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Statement

HON JIM CHOWN (Agricultural — Parliamentary Secretary) [10.02 pm]: Briefly, I would like to endorse the comments of Hon Ken Travers on this matter. As members of Parliament, we have a responsibility to represent communities at large, especially in charity work. Branding them under a political banner for political reasons detracts from the reasons we contribute to and participate in a lot of community work. Once again, well said.