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Salt Cay Marina and Shore Club at Long Bay approved

Two major tourism driven projects were given the green light by Government this week.

Deputy Premier Hon. Floyd Hall said the Salt Cay Marina and Spa and the Shore Club in Long Bay have been approved.

"This project is expected to bring quality development to Salt Cay and is expected to attract a brand of the calibre of the St Regis Hotel to the island of Salt Cay, and approval was granted to the Shore Club for its development agreement for a resort on Long Bay," Hon. Hall said at Government's weekly press conference.

"This resort development is expected to be one of the very high end developments being attracted to the island of Providenciales and we wish the developer much success."

The Minister announced to the delight of many residents that several sub-divisions were approved by Cabinet, these include Richmond Hills, Cheshire Hall, Kew Rural and Bottle Creek in North Caicos.

Hon. Hall went on say that restriction was placed on parcel number 60503/73 to reserve this property for the further expansion of the Oseta Jolly Primary School in Providenciales. "We expect to expand all our schools in the property that is in the immediate location and we are trying to reserve and ensure that it is utilized for the further benefit of our students.

An Ex Gratia payment would be made to the widow of the later former Speaker of the House of Assembly, Winston Rudith Outten, who died earlier this year.

The Deputy Premier ended his address by praising all students who sat the Grade Six Achievement Test (GSAT) and congratulated the students of the Ona Glington Primary School for capturing nine out of the 10 ten top students achieving the highest scores in the country.

The Hon. Deputy Premier then congratulated the Iris Stubbs Primary School in South Caicos for having the best national average. To all students passing the examinations, Hon. Hall said: "Congratulations are in order; we expect the most out of you, continue to strive for excellence."