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Office of the White House Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President met this afternoon with Prime Minister Eric Williams of Trinidad and Tobago for about 40 minutes. The Prime Minister was accompanied by the Minister of Finance, George Chambers, and of course Secretary Kissinger was present, as well as the respective Ambassadors and General Scowcroft. The meeting was a frank and friendly one. The President expressed his pleasure at the opportunity to meet with the senior head of government in the Commonwealth Caribbean and a man who is not only a distinguished political leader but a teacher and author of renown.

The Prime Minister described his plans for the continued development of his country through new investments from oil revenues. President Ford noted the mutually advantageous growth in trade between our two countries and investment by U. S. business in Trinidad and Tobago.

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