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# Press Release

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## *Updates from the Department of Statistics Sint Maarten*

### **Website is back up and running**

STAT experienced some technical difficulties with the domain hosting of our website, and it was down for quite some time. We extend sincere apologies to all our stakeholders for any inconvenience caused by this.

Fortunately, the website has now been migrated to the Government website with a new URL - <http://stats.sintmaartengov.org/>.

Visit STAT's website to access all the latest publications on Economic, Social, Price, and Tourism Statistics!

### **Other updates**

Aside from our usual Tourism and Price data collection activities, STAT will be conducting a few household surveys before the end of the year. This socio-economic data is necessary for policy creation and decision making, and publishing sought-after indicators.

STAT is working in collaboration with non-governmental stakeholders as well as other ministries within government, to minimize the survey burden on the population, while maximizing the data collection.

As usual, we ask that everyone cooperates and participates. Data is needed to build a better, stronger Sint Maarten, and to allow the government to provide the population with necessary services.

Look out for further details about our upcoming projects on our website at the new URL, our facebook page – Department of Statistics Sint Maarten, and the Government page in The Daily Herald Newspaper.

As the plans for our upcoming projects progress, we will be needing freelance data collectors, field work assistants, and even senior data analysts to work within the department.

We will be posting any vacancies in the following places:

**Vacancies section of STAT website** - <http://stats.sintmaartengov.org/>

**STAT Facebook page** – [Department of Statistics Sint Maarten](#)

**Government vacancies page** - <http://www.sintmaartengov.org/government/Pages/Employment.aspx>

**Government page in The Daily Herald Newspaper**