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## **Inland Revenue Department Implementing Online Tax System**

**Castries, May 28, 2013;** As part of the mandate to continue to improve the level of service to its customers and to improve the ease of doing business in Saint Lucia the Government of Saint Lucia along with the Inland Revenue Department through the Electronic Government Regional Integration Project (EGRIP) is embarking on a major undertaking.

One such activity that will impact the Inland Revenue Department is the implementation of an **Online Tax Filing System**, which will be implemented in **July 2013**.

Officer In Charge of the Inland Revenue Department, Adria Sonson, explained that this new system will allow businesses and individuals to perform the following tasks:

- E-Registration (individuals and businesses would be able to register online and obtain a Tax identification number)
- E-Filing (e.g. filing of their monthly and annual Tax returns online)
- E-Payments (payments of taxes online through the use of credit/debit cards or direct transfers)

We look forward to providing this 24 hour online Tax System with tax Registration, Declarations and Payments being conducted from any remote location. No longer will taxpayers need to come into any of the Inland Revenue locations to conduct these activities.

**Comptroller Inland Revenue Department**