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## Saint Lucia and the Republic of China (Taiwan) to Host the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Saint Lucia-Taiwan Partnership Trade Show

*Castries, July 11, 2022;* The Ministry of Commerce, Manufacturing, Business Development, Cooperatives and Consumer Affairs, in partnership with the Embassy of the Republic of China (Taiwan), will be hosting the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Saint Lucia-Taiwan Partnership Trade Show. This grand event will be held at the Harbour Club Hotel, from Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> to Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

A key component of this year's event is the facilitation of Business to Business (B2B) and Business to Government (B2G) interactions, the objectives of which are noted as follows:

- Encourage trade and collaboration between Saint Lucian and Taiwanese companies
- Support the uptake of new products and services within domestic value chains
- Develop domestic market share for Saint Lucian manufacturers/service providers

In this regard, the Ministry of Commerce invites applications from creative and innovative manufacturers who are interested in participating in this year's Trade Show. The deadline for application is August 12th, 2022. The Ministry of Commerce will review all applications and confirm participation on or before September 9, 2022.

For further information on this event, kindly contact the Ministry of Commerce at email <u>candi@govt.lc</u> or telephone 468-4238/468-468-4216. Registration forms can be downloaded from the Ministry's website at <u>www.commerce.gov.lc</u>.

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