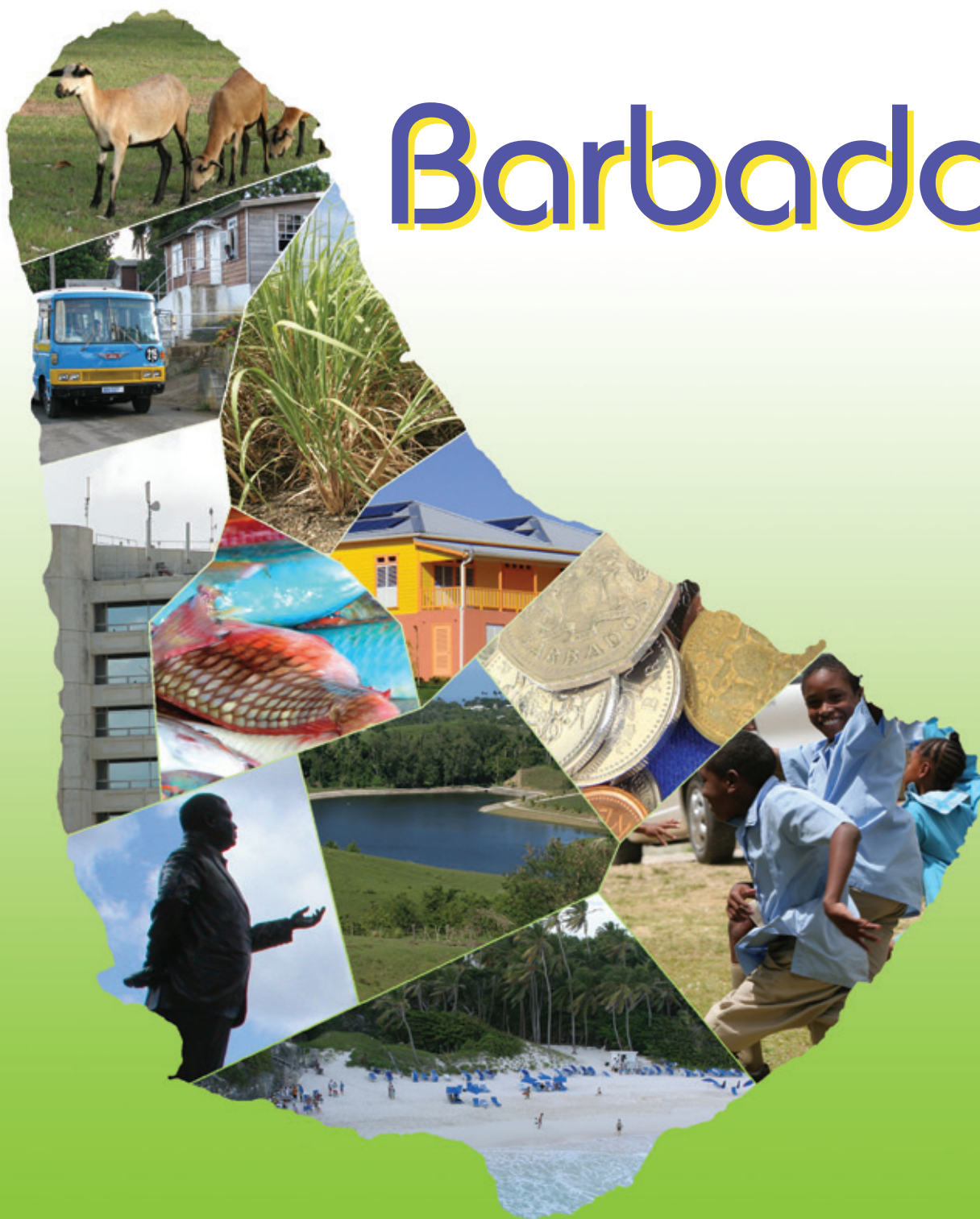




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## List of acronyms

|         |   |            |  |
|---------|---|------------|--|
| ACS     | Association of Caribbean States                             | IPCC       | Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change   |
| BCCI    | The Barbados Chamber of Commerce and Industry               | LEED       | Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design  |
| BNSI    | Barbados National Standards Institution                     | MBSS       | Modernisation of Barbados Statistical Systems  |
| BPOA    | Barbados Programme of Action                                | MEA        | Multilateral Environmental Agreement   |
| BRT     | Bus Rapid Transit   | MIF        | Multilateral Investment Fund   |
| BTA     | Barbados Tourism Authority                                  | MOT        | Ministry of Tourism  |
| BWA     | Barbados Water Authority                                    | NCSA       | National Capacity Self Assessment Project  |
| CARICOM | Caribbean Community   | NETSC      | National Trade and Environment Sub-Committee   |
| CCRIF   | Caribbean Catastrophe Risk Insurance Facility               | NGO        | Non-Governmental Organization  |
| CFL     | Compact Fluorescent Lamp                                    | OAS        | Organization of American States  |
| CPS     | Country Programme Strategy                                  | OECD       | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development   |
| CSI     | Collaborative Standards Initiative                          | PV         | Photovoltaic   |
| CSME    | CARICOM Single Market and Economy                           | RETIC      | The Resource Efficiency and Technology Innovation Centre                                       |
| CTO     | Caribbean Tourism Organisation                              | SCORE      | Strengths-Challenges-Opportunities-Responses-Effectiveness                                     |
| DFID    | Department for International Development of UK              | SIAP       | Sustainability Policy Impact Assessment Framework  |
| EAF     | Ecosystem Approach to Fisheries                             | SIDS       | Small Island Developing States   |
| ECLAC   | The Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean | SIDS-TAP   | SIDS Technical Assistance Programme  |
| EMAS    | Eco-Management and Audit Scheme                             | SMEs       | Small and Medium Enterprises   |
| EMLUP   | Environmental Management and Land Use Project               | SWH        | Solar Water Heaters  |
| EU      | European Union  | TBBA       | The Barbados Banker's Association inc.   |
| FAC     | Fisheries Advisory Committee                                | TCDPO      | Town and Country Development Planning Office TEEB The Economics of Ecosystems and Biodiversity |
| FDI     | Foreign Direct Investment                                   | UDC        | Urban Development Commission   |
| GBI     | Green Building Initiative                                   | UNEP       | United Nations Environment Program   |
| GDP     | Gross Domestic Product                                      | UNEP-FI    | UNEP Finance Initiative  |
| GEF     | Global Environment Facility                                 | UNEP ROLAC | UNEP Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean                                       |
| GEF SGP | Global Environment Facility Small Grants Program            | UNWTO      | United Nations World Tourism Organization  |
| GESS    | Green Economy Scoping Study                                 | WTO        | World Trade Organization   |
| GETSC   | Green Economy Technical Steering Committee                  | WTO TRIPS  | WTO's Agreement on Trade-related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights                       |
| GIS     | Geographical Information System                             |            |  |
| GISS    | Geographic Information Services and Solutions               |            |  |
| GOB     | Government of Barbados                                      |            |  |
| ICT     | Information and Communication Technologies                  |            |  |
| IDB     | Inter-American Development Bank                             |            |  |
| ILAC    | Initiative for Latin America and the Caribbean              |            |  |

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