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DEMOCRACY DIGEST FOR JOURNALISTS

Over the last few years we have witnessed a steady rise in the demands for Government resources, brought about by the increasing developments in the international regulatory and legal regimes of financial services and cross border crime and the growing sophistication of our society.

This has resulted in the growth of the Attorney General's Chambers from an institution of a few legal staff up to the late 1990s to one now comprising a total of 17 legal staff.

This past year the Attorney General's Chambers has embarked on a process of restructuring from which novel changes are expected. One such notable change has been the appointment of ~~the~~ ever Director of Public Prosecutions in September 2004, a position held by Mr. Terrence Williams (the Chairman of this opening session). Although the constitutional amendments necessary to ~~entrust~~ ^{entrust}

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