



Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago

Ministry of Social Development and Family Services



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MINOR DELAY IN SOCIAL WELFARE CHEQUES

Port of Spain--- The Ministry of Social Development and Family Services (MSDFS), wishes to advise all recipients of Social Welfare Grants (Senior Citizens' Pension, Disability and Public Assistance Grants) that there will be a minor delay in payments **via cheques ONLY** for the month of **April**. This has resulted following changes in working arrangements amongst our stakeholders and as a consequence cheques will be delivered by TTPOST from **April 1, 2020**.

Persons on **Direct Deposit** are not affected by this arrangement and so will be able to receive their funding directly in their bank accounts, as is customary

The Ministry wishes to apologize for any inconvenience caused as a result of this minor change in delivery.

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