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ABSSB Introduces E-Cheque Cards

The Antigua & Barbuda Social Security Board (ABSSB), continues its mandate to fulfill its vision to be customer oriented, strategy focused, and a technology driven institution with a commitment to excellence; by meeting customer demands. As such, the ABSSB will be phasing out the issuance of cheques for its walk-in pensioners throughout 2021.

The ABSSB in collaboration with CIBC-FirstCaribbean International Bank will be issuing e-cheque cards also known as ATM cards to all of our walk in pensioners. This means, that those walk-in pensioners will no longer have to travel to our office to collect a monthly cheque. Funds, however, will be credited to their e-cheque card every pay cycle.

The benefits of having an e-cheque card includes, not having to stand in line twice, once to collect a cheque and then to cash it at the bank, funds will be credited directly to the e-cheque card, the ability to withdraw funds, and no additional bank charges.

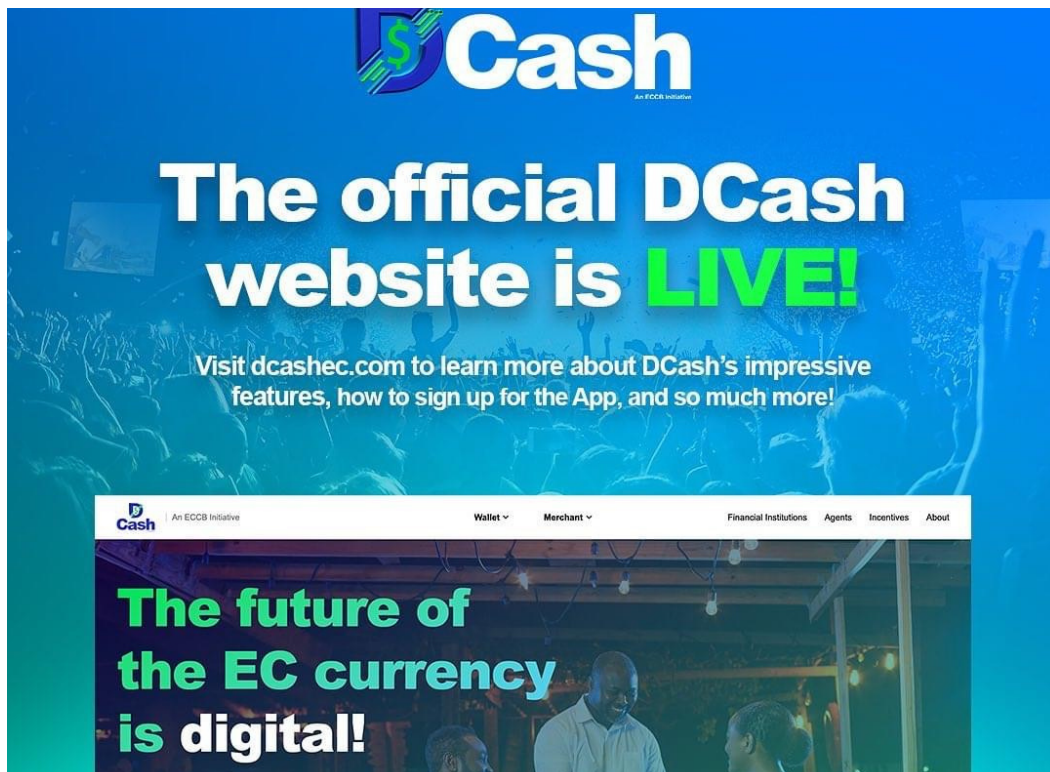
All walk-in pensioners can expect our Office to get in contact with them as we go through the necessary steps of completing this transition.



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assures that my family will be financially supported upon my death.

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DCASH IS HERE



Important

Cash should not be placed in the Drop Boxes located at London House and Royal Palm Branches.

The Antigua & Barbuda Social Security Board is happy to announce that, we are now a DCash merchant, and we are proud to be the first ever statutory entity in the ECCU region to be accepting DCash transactions.

DCash is the digital version of the Eastern Caribbean (EC) currency our legal tender in digital form. The ECCB is using the latest technology to provide a new payment option to advance financial services in the region.

DCash transactions can be made at our locations in English Harbour and the London House Branch on Long Street. We will be providing this service in the near future, so stay tuned.

For more information about Dcash visit their web site at www.dcashec.com.

Did you know?...

as an employee you can verify that your employer is making contributions on your behalf?

REMINDERS

- As of January 1, 2021 the current pension age is 63 years.
- **Remittance payments for April 2021 are due by 14th May 2021.** Rates are 13% for public sector employees and 14% for private sector employees; Self-employed rate remains at 10%.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

PENSION PAYMENT ADVISORY

Please be advised that pension payments for April 2021, will commence on May 10th, 2021 according to surnames in alphabetical order. Please see payment schedule below:

A-F	Mon 10 May	Q-T	Thurs 13 May
G-K	Tues 11 May	U-Z	Friday 14 May
L-P	Wed 12 May		

DISCONTINUATION OF BANK DRAFTS

The Antigua & Barbuda Social Security Board (ABSSB) wishes to advise all our overseas beneficiaries who receive their pension by bank draft that this process has been discontinued as of April 1, 2021. CIBC FirstCaribbean International Bank has advised that only Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) payments or wires will be available after this date.

Pension payments will be made either to a local bank or by wire. All banking details to support payment should have been forwarded to the social security office by April 23, 2021. If you have not supplied the ABSSB with the necessary banking details please do so immediately.

Our payment option form is available on our web site: www.socialsecurity.gov.ag. Payment forms can also be emailed upon request through customerserv@socialsecurity.gov.ag.

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