

2nd June, 2018

The Rt. Hon. Mia Mottley
The Prime Minister's Office
Government Headquarters
Bay Street,
St. Michael

Re: "Ideas 4 Barbados"

Please find enclosed a letter from my daughter Sahara Vaughn who is six (6) years old She wrote this after hearing an advertisement on radio media for the initiative, "Ideas 4 Barbados".

She has expressed an incredulous interest in making Barbados a better country and wishes to make this known to the Prime Minister. Sahara has written her opinion on the clean-up of the sargassum seaweed which is currently plaguing our beaches using a catchment net. She has also given ideas for other uses for the net.

Please find these ideas outlined below:

1. Enabling night-time swimming-Allaying fears of large fish swimming close to the shore as they are unable to pass through the net.
2. Beach & Rescue- In case of drownings, the net serves as a catchment area for search and rescue.



Shanell Ellis-Vaughn (Ms.)

cc. The Rt. Hon. Kirk Humphrey
Minister of Maritime Affairs & The Blue Economy