

# Barbados

Eastern Caribbean 300,000 residents English Speaking

## Why Competition

- Fosters Enterprise
- **►**Innovation
- Efficiency
- ► Wider Consumer Choices
- ► Higher Quality
- ► Better Prices

### Competition Policies

- ► Promote Competition
- Defined market place
- ► Stimulate private enterprise
- Protect Underprivileged
- ► Clear Laws
- ► Independent Authority
- Penalties
- Cost Effective

### Market Efficiency

- Minimal distortions
- Innovative new Entrants
- ► Technology driven
- ► Global perspective
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- ► May the best man win?

#### **Americas Perspectives**

- ► Not all at same stage of development
- ► Abuse of dominant position
- Politics of Enterprise
- Narrow minded politicians
- ► Financial Influence
- ► Market Size



### Thank You

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