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**Energy Minister Kevin Ramnarine Visits Tringen I and II**

On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August, Energy Minister Kevin Ramnarine accompanied by a technical team from the Ministry of Energy and Energy Affairs, led by the Ministry's Acting Permanent Secretary Mr. Richard Jeremie met with Senior Officials of Tringen followed by a tour of Tringen I and II. This was the first visit by a Minister of Energy to Tringen since the late 1980's. At the meeting Tringen Chairman Mr. Carl Chatoor, Tringen President Khemram Jokhoo and Yara Trinidad and Tobago Limited President Mr. Richard De La Bastide briefed the Ministry's team on the outlook for international Ammonia markets, supply and demand.

They further indicated that presently, Trinidad is the largest exporter of Ammonia in the world and accounts for 25% of the Global Ammonia Trade of 20 million metric tonnes. The Minister also got a first-hand account of the recently completed energy efficiency project that was done to improve the efficiency of Tringen I.

Ammonia is used mainly for the production of fertilizer's such as urea, mono-ammonium phosphate, ammonium nitrate and UAN.

**Photo:**



**Caption:**

**Energy Minister Kevin Ramnarine (centre) with (l-r) Richard Jeremie, Ag. Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Energy and Energy Affairs, Mr. Khemram Jekhoo President Tringen, Mr. Richard De La Bastide, President YARA Trinidad Limited and Mr Carl Chatoor, Chairman Tringen following a meeting at Tringen's offices,**

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