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**PRESS RELEASE**

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*Kingstown, St. Vincent and the Grenadines*

**TWELVE (12) NEW CASES**

**ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR (104) RECOVERIES**

St. Vincent and the Grenadines registered seven (7) new COVID-19 cases from 212 samples taken on February 16<sup>th</sup>, representing a positivity rate of 3.3%. Five (5) new COVID-19 cases have been reported so far for February 17<sup>th</sup>. The positivity rate for February 14<sup>th</sup> remains at 5% and February 15<sup>th</sup> at 2.4%.

One hundred and four (104) persons were cleared bringing the number of total recoveries to seven hundred and thirty-six (736). Seven hundred and thirty-two (732) cases remain active and six (6) persons with COVID-19 have died. One thousand, four hundred and seventy-four (1474) cases of COVID-19 have been reported in St. Vincent and the Grenadines since March 2020.

The public is reminded to wear a facial covering, physically distance, sanitize hands and vaccinate to reduce the spread of COVID-19 in St. Vincent and the Grenadines.

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