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NEWS RELEASE

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**Virgin Islands Economic Development Authority
office on St. Croix closes early this afternoon**

CHARLOTTE AMALIE, U.S. Virgin Islands – August 2, 2024 — Due to a power outage in the area, the Virgin Islands Economic Development Authority (VIEDA) office in the District of St. Croix at No. 116 King St. in Frederiksted is closed this afternoon.

The VIEDA anticipates the St. Croix office will resume regular office hours on Monday, August, 5, 2024.

For assistance, the community and VIEDA clients may contact the VIEDA office in both districts through the respective email address of the individual(s) to be contacted directly; or contact the VIEDA office on St. Thomas at **340-714-1700**.

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About the U.S. Virgin Islands Economic Development Authority. The U.S. Virgin Islands Economic Development Authority (USVIEDA) is a semi-autonomous governmental instrumentality [of the Government of the Virgin Islands] that was created on February 1, 2001. It is responsible for the promotion and enhancement of economic development of the United States Virgin Islands. The USVIEDA assumes, integrates and unifies the functions of these four entities: Economic Development Commission, Virgin Islands Economic Development Park Corporation, Economic Development Bank and the Enterprise Zone Commission. The USVIEDA accomplishes its mission by attracting multi-national investors to the Territory to establish or relocate their business in the U.S. Virgin Islands. It also provides financial assistance for new and existing small to medium-sized businesses in the Territory and assists V.I. residents and business owners with rehabilitating their properties located in blighted and distressed areas that were once vibrant economic centers of activity in the Territory. Learn more about the USVIEDA at www.usvieda.org; or send an email to info@usvieda.org.

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