

## **Best Practice: National Anti-Terrorism Committee**



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**Description:** The Department of Coastal Affairs established a National Anti-Terrorism Committee to discuss anti-terrorism matters at the nation's ports.

**Discussion:** By involving national cabinet members of key agencies in the National Anti-Terrorism Committee, the Department of Coastal Affairs has emphasized the importance of port security at the national, governmental level. The committee works directly with key stakeholders of the ports to ensure timely exchange of ideas and information.

**Potential Downside:** No potential downside identified.

**Conclusion:** The National Anti-Terrorism Committee discusses all security related information for the nation's ports and works with individual ports to ensure port safety is maintained while limiting the impact on the facilities located within the port.

**Cost:** Costs are limited to the salary and time of the committee members.