

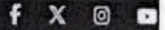
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PRESS STATEMENT

MARCO RUBIO, SECRETARY OF STATE

OCTOBER 27, 2025

On behalf of the United States of America, I extend my congratulations to the people of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines as you celebrate your 46th Independence Day.

The United States values our enduring partnership with Saint Vincent and the Grenadines in advancing regional security through initiatives such as the Caribbean Basin Security Initiative. Together we are working to combat transnational crime, disrupt narcotics trafficking, and strengthen border security to ensure safety and stability across our region.

The United States welcomes continued collaboration with Saint Vincent and the Grenadines to promote private sector investment and work together on infrastructure projects that enhance connectivity. Saint Vincent and the Grenadines' continued strong partnership with Taiwan further reflect its commitment to fostering international partnerships that support economic security and national sovereignty.

As you mark this special day, I reaffirm the United States' commitment to our partnership and to building a more secure and prosperous hemisphere together.

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