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## **OFFICIAL STATEMENT #2**

### **BROAD AND ELONGATED ATLANTIC LOW PRESSURE SYSTEM**

The Trinidad and Tobago Meteorological Service (TTMS) has been closely monitoring a low-pressure system in the Atlantic which has a 90% (high) chance of development into a Tropical Depression over the next 48 hours.

The system is located approximately 1400 km east of the Lesser Antilles, centred near 12.5N 46.0W and is moving westward near 30 km/hr.

Current analyses suggest that on its projected track, the centre of the system is forecast to reach the Leeward Islands by Saturday morning.

**At this time, the system poses no direct threat to Trinidad and Tobago or Grenada and its dependencies.**

The TTMS will continue to closely monitor this system and will issue an update at 6:00 am tomorrow or earlier if the situation warrants. As always, pay close attention to information being issued by the TTMS by visiting [www.metoffice.gov.tt](http://www.metoffice.gov.tt), downloading our mobile app (search: TT Met Office) and following us on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram.

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