Chairman and members of the Committee on Health, Welfare and Sport, Interior and Kingdom Relations,

No idea which ministry is responsible for this but I would like to draw your attention to the following. <u>Note</u>: I think the Ministry of the Interior (and Kingdom Relations), but the reason for the thought below is the Corona Check App which can be used to see whether you have been vaccinated, or not. And then it seems to me that the Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport is involved again.

For some time now I have been drawing attention to the possibility of obtaining a BSN for Dutch residents of the Dutch Caribbean. The question still seems opportune to me, but a follow-up point to the BSN is the DigiD.

After all, in principle, first a BSN, then a DigiD and then other NL facilities (such as a NL bank account).

But just as - at least, that is how I understand it - the BSN is linked to the DigiD through a so-called 'link register', so I can imagine that a DigiD can also be linked to those who do not have a BSN (such as most residents of the Caribbean Netherlands, insofar as they have never been registered in the European Netherlands) but who are a resident of one of the islands of the Caribbean Netherlands with an ID card of the island.

After all, if the DigiD is linked to the island ID, then it seems to me that the linkage is "round". And with a DigiD, the local Statian, Saban and Bonarian, can do business with the central government. Similarly, the QR code can be linked to show the existence of a vaccination certificate. The DigiD also makes life easier for students in the Dutch Caribbean.

In short, my request is "*link the DigiD to the island ID-card*" so that the Dutch Caribbean people can also use the DigiD. *Of course, take into account those inhabitants of the Caribbean Netherlands who obviously have an island ID-card, but who also already have a BSN and a Digid. So that these Dutch people will not have to deal with two DigiD's.* 

With kind regards,

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