



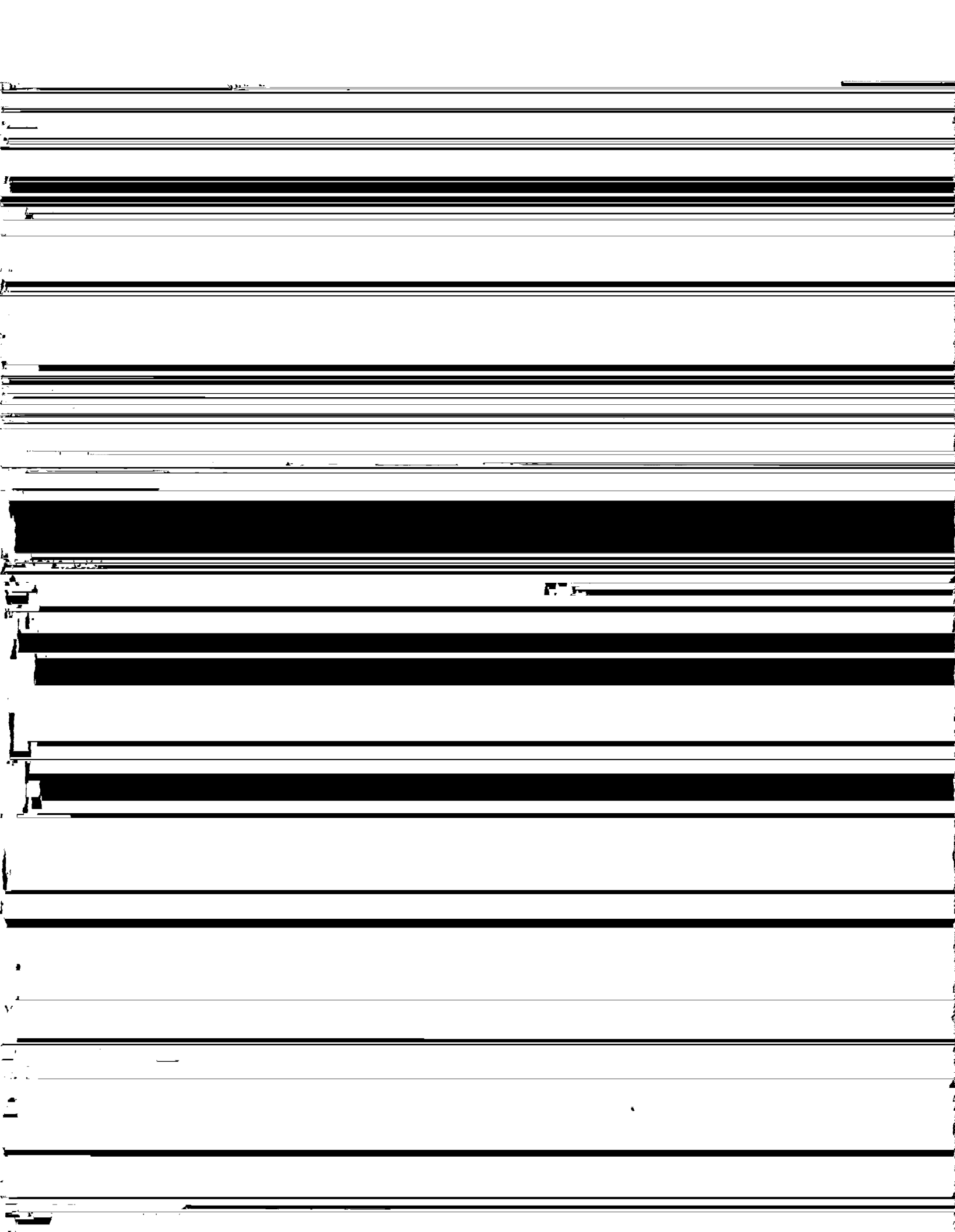
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for the Eradication of Colonialism: challenges and opportunities in the process of



developed in the area of poverty reduction and social sector development particularly on poverty and MDG monitoring.

UNDP funding allocated to Montserrat for poverty reduction is integrated into regional initiatives such as the SPARC in order to benefit from linkages and to greater leverage the funds received to support the country in key areas of interest. Another avenue for indirect support to Montserrat is regional (OECS) efforts to define a social policy framework and from the conclusions and recommendations of the 2<sup>nd</sup> OECS HDR on Youth. The UNDP will continue to provide support to poverty and MDG monitoring as well as social policy reform and is keen to particularly

support the analysis of the Country Poverty Assessments (CPA) and the follow-up policy formulation process.

Through the GEF Small Grants Programme the overseas territories are designated Associated Countries and even though they do not qualify for direct GEF funding they still remain part of the sub-regional knowledge network and possess webcams which allow them to participate in online training.

Following the volcanic eruptions in the 1990s disaster recovery support was provided through the initiative "Disaster Mitigation, Capacity-building and Institutional Strengthening in Support of Montserrat's Post-Emergency Resettlement Programme" to build capacity for recovery with a

BVI has also participated in the CRMI and will also benefit from the R3I which is funded by the European Commission for the Dutch and UK Overseas Countries in the Caribbean.

**Anguilla**

Anguilla has benefited mainly through SPARC and the OECS Poverty Reduction and Social Sector Development programme with support in capacity building in data collection and analysis; MDC and HDP reporting; and in 2007 support to some of the field work associated with their

Country Poverty Assessment. In 2009, it will receive support through the UNDP funded OECS Localisation initiative on MDC Localisation and action planning. The 2009-2011