



DOMINICAN REPUBLIC MINISTRY OF TOURISM WEEKLY UPDATE
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What's New in Dominican Republic:

- **Las Terrenas Highlighted as Affordable Destination** | *Forbes*, a leading U.S. lifestyle outlet, recently highlighted Las Terrenas as an affordable, dream Caribbean getaway. According to *International Living*, a couple can live comfortably in Las Terrenas for \$2,000 per month and purchase a sizable home for under \$100,000. Las Terrenas is a town located on the Samaná Peninsula in the northeastern part of Dominican Republic. www.Forbes.com
- **Puerto Plata Pop-Up Museum to Visit Chicago** | The free Puerto Plata-inspired installation, POP Funhouse, will visit Chicago June 15th-17th, featuring a trip giveaway to experience Puerto Plata in person. The pop-up features eight instagrammable rooms created to reflect the unique activities and sights of Puerto Plata. The pop-up previously visited New York City, Boston and Miami. www.GoDominicanRepublic.com
- **Global Hotel Brand Planning Major Dominican Expansion** | Wyndham's La Quinta brand is planning a major expansion in Dominican Republic which will include eight new properties in the next five years, four of which are slated to open by 2021. The hotel group noted Dominican Republic's leading position in Caribbean hospitality and booming economy were strong factors in this decision. www.CaribJournal.com
- **News releases, images and the press kit also can be accessed from the official DR Ministry of Tourism website:** www.GoDominicanRepublic.com. For additional photos, b-roll and more specific needs, please contact Annie Holschuh (annie.holschuh@bvk.com) or Callie Murphy (callie.murphy@bvk.com), BVK Word for the Dominican Republic Ministry of Tourism.