MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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Requiring an Oral Answer

Sitting of Tuesday 29 March 2011

Questions addressed to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister,
Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications

B/54
The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:­

Whether, in regard to the drug scourge, he will state if Government proposes to set up a Commission of Inquiry to look into all the aspects thereof?

B/55
The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:­

Whether, in regard to larceny, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof perpetrated in the Flic en Flac regions not covered by the Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Street Surveillance System, since May 2009 to-date, indicating in each case the region concerned?

B/56
The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (Mr Seeruttun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:­

Whether, in regard to Mahebourg, including the Mahebourg waterfront, the adjoining areas and the public beaches of the surrounding regions, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if consideration will be given for the installation of Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Street Surveillance System thereat and, if so, when and, if not, why not?
B/57 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:--

Whether, in regard to the live broadcasting of the proceedings of the House on radio and television, he will state the progress achieved as at to date in relation to the proposed introduction of the motion in the House for the setting up of a Select Committee to look thereinto?

B/58 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (Mr Ganoo)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:--

Whether, in regard to the Police Officers in each of the grades from Chief Inspector of Police and above, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number thereof who have left the Police Force or retired therefrom, since April 2008 to-date, indicating when the vacancies will be filled?

B/59 The Honourable Third Member for Rodrigues (Mr François)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:--

Whether, in regard to the Pointe La Gueule Prison in Rodrigues, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Prisons, information as to the (a) present number of female and male inmates thereat (b) conditions prevailing thereat in relation to (i) custody (ii) rehabilitation of the detainees (iii) security and (iv) welfare of the personnel and (c) if any reform and actions are being envisaged in relation thereto and, if so, when?

B/60 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Baloomoody)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:--

Whether, in regard to the Police Prosecutors, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if they are no longer eligible to draw mileage allowance and, if so, the reasons therefor, indicating if consideration will be given for the re-introduction thereof?
B/61

The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Baloomoody)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-

Whether, in regard to the amendments to be brought to the Protection of Human Rights Act, with a view to restructuring the National Human Rights Commission, he will state where matters stand?

B/62

The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mrs Navarre-Marie)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-

Whether, in regard to the representation of women in politics, he will state the measures Government proposes to take for the uplifting thereof?

B/63

The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mrs Navarre-Marie)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-

Whether, in regard to the introduction of proposed amendments to the Equal Opportunities Act, he will state where matters stand?

B/64

The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-

Whether, in regard to the Police Officers, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number thereof who are presently interdicted, indicating in each case (a) their grade (b) the reasons therefor and (c) since when?
B/65 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-

Whether, in regard to the recent alleged case of assault against Trade Unionist R. V. and T. M., in the port area, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if the case has been reported to the Police and, if so, if an inquiry has been carried thereinto, indicating (a) the outcome thereof and (b) if any arrest has been effected in connection therewith?

Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other than Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications

B/66 The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Ms Anquetil)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment:-

Whether, in regard to child poverty, he will state if a study has been carried out to assess the number of children living in (a) absolute poverty and (b) households with no income earnings and, if so, indicate the measures Government proposes to take to assist them?

B/67 The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Ms Anquetil)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life:-

Whether, in regard to diabetes, she will state the number of children suffering therefrom, indicating (a) if screening and early detection of diabetes are carried out on children (b) the number of hospital admissions of children for diabetic conditions and (c) the measures and policies she proposes to take, together with all the stakeholders, to provide additional assistance to pupils with Type 1 diabetes in schools?
B/68  The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Ms Anquetil)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to social housing for the region of Vacoas-Floréal, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Housing Development Company Ltd., information as to the (a) number of units thereof which have been completed over the last five years (b) number thereof under construction (c) the number of applications received for the acquisition thereof, since 2007 to-date and (d) when the housing units will be delivered?

B/69  The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Ms Anquetil)

To ask the Honourable Attorney General:-

Whether, in regard to the Court Ushers, he will state if it is proposed to bring changes to the profession thereof and, if so, give details thereof?

B/70  The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Dayal)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether, in regard to the construction of the Moka by-pass, he will state where matters stand?

B/71  The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Dayal)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether, in regard to the construction of drains at l'Agrément, St Pierre, he will state when works thereat will start?

B/72  The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Dayal)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the lighting facilities to be extended to the Providence Quartier Militaire football ground, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Moka/Flacq District Council, information as to where matters stand?
B/73 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Dayal)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether he is aware of the occurrence of over flooding on the main road at Verdun, near the bridge and, if so, will he state the measures Government proposes to take in relation thereto?

B/74 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (Mr Seeruttun)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the Casting of Slabs Scheme, he will state if he has received representations for an increase in the income ceiling from Rs 8,500 to about Rs 14,000 for eligibility thereto and, if so, will he state if consideration will be given thereto?

B/75 The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mrs Labelle)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment:-

Whether, in regard to the Trust Fund for the Social Integration of Vulnerable Groups unit of the National Empowerment Foundation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Foundation, information as to (a) the number of Non-Governmental Organisations/Forces Vives which have received funds therefrom, for the distribution of school materials for the year 2011, indicating the dates on which the materials were distributed and (b) if he will table a list of the said NGO’s/Forces Vives, indicating the number of children who have benefitted therefrom?

B/76 The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mrs Labelle)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Security, National Solidarity and Reform Institutions:-

Whether, in regard to the Training Programme on care for the elderly, run by her Ministry in collaboration with the Mauritius Institute of Health, since November 2009 to July 2010, she will state the (a) number of trainees who have completed the course (b) profile of the target group in terms of gender, age, academic background and (c) number of those who have found a job or have been on job placement after completion of the course?
B/77 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (Mr Ganoo)

To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities:-

Whether, in regard to the Land Based Oceanic Industry, he will state (a) the phases of the project completed as at to date and (b) if he is aware that any of the promoters thereof is the subject of any police inquiry?

B/78 The Honourable Third Member for Rodrigues (Mr François)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment:-

Whether, in regard to the projects carried out by the Trust Fund for the Social Integration of Vulnerable Groups in Rodrigues, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Fund (a) information as to (i) if any immediate improvement is envisaged to the design of social houses for a more adaptive one and, if not, why not (ii) who recommends the approval thereof and (b) and table an updated list of the contracts awarded as at to-date, indicating, in each case (i) the amount of money earmarked and disbursed and (ii) the names of the bidders and that of the successful bidder?

B/79 The Honourable Third Member for Rodrigues (Mr François)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Fisheries and Rodrigues

Whether, in regard to the fishers community, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Fisherman Investment Trust, information as to the (i) capital active shares held by the Rodriguan fishers, since 2006 to date and (ii) total amount of dividend paid to the Rodriguan fishers over the past five years and (b) state (i) the number of registered fishers who have lost their lives during their fishing activities over the past five years and (ii) if Government proposes to amend the Fisherman Welfare Fund Act and the Fisherman Investment Trust Act with a view to improving the fate thereof?
B/80 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry and Commerce:-

Whether he will state if Government proposes to increase the number of goods which will be subject to price control either by price fixing or maximum mark up, and if so, when and, if not, why not?

B/81 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources:-

Whether, in regard to the Scheme for the distribution of free laptops to the students of Lower VI, he will state if any tender has been launched and awarded for the supply thereof and, if so (a) give details thereof and (b) indicate when same will be distributed?

B/82 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Ms Ribot)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources:-

Whether, in regard to the Report of the Form III National Examinations 2010, he will state (a) if same has been published and made available to the colleges involved and (b) the outcome thereof?

B/83 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Ms Ribot)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Security, National Solidarity and Reform Institutions:-

Whether, in regard to the nurseries, she will state the (a) number of registered and non-registered ones as at to-date and (b) criteria for the registration thereof, indicating the actions taken in case of non-compliance therewith?
B/84  The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:

Whether, in regard to Infinity BPO Ltd. and its related entities, he will state and, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to, the amount of money disbursed by Government, public bodies, state-owned enterprises and state-sponsored institutions thereto as at to-date, indicating (a) the purpose, source and terms and conditions of the disbursements (b) if the funds disbursed have helped improve the financial situation of the beneficiaries and (c) the steps taken to ensure that the beneficiaries are not in breach of contract for not paying their employees?

B/85  The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry and Food Security:

Whether, in regard to pet animals, more specifically cats and dogs, imported in Mauritius, he will state if he is aware of cases of such animals not being subject to quarantine, temporarily or otherwise and, if so, state under what conditions?

B/86  The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare:

Whether, in regard to child abuse and neglect in the kindergartens and other pre-primary set-ups, he will state if Government will consider introducing (a) pre-primary schools health service which would provide regular medical screening and physical abuse detection in the sector and (b) basic compulsory nursing training programmes for child carers and baby minders?
B/87  The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Quirin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to sports infrastructures, he will give a list thereof falling under the control of his Ministry and state (a) if there is any policy concerning the maintenance thereof and (b) how same are managed?

B/88  The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Quirin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the Mauritian athletes living abroad who have expressed their intention to participate in the 8th Indian Ocean Games, he will state the (a) number thereof, indicating their respective discipline and (b) stand of each respective federation in regard to the participation of these athletes?

B/89  The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether, in regard to the regions of Bel Ombre, St Martin and Baie du Cap, he will, following the heavy rainfalls on the 12 February 2011 (a) state if he has received representations from the inhabitants thereof who have suffered inconveniences and losses of property and and (b) obtain from the Black River District Council, information as to if (i) a study has been carried out to ascertain the causes thereof and, if not, why not and, if so, give details thereof and (ii) the works that are being carried out thereat to avoid any recurrence?

B/90  The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether, in regard to the workers who have been transferred from the Tourism Authority to his Ministry, he will state the number thereof, indicating (a) their respective (i) scheme of duties (ii) salaries and other emoluments drawn and (iii) duration of contract and (b) the relevant fund from which their emoluments and salaries are derived?
B/91 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Information and Communication Technology:-

Whether, in regard to the “Antenne Relais”, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the number of applications by the telecommunications operators for the installation thereof being processed, indicating the respective sites (b) state if his Ministry has carried out any study to assess the (i) health implications and (ii) electrical and electronic interference caused to the surrounding, following the installation thereof, especially in residential and commercial areas and (c) has received any complaint in relation thereto?

B/92 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry and Commerce:-

Whether in regard to Mr Y. S., he will state if he has been appointed as Adviser or Senior Adviser at his Ministry and, if so, indicate (a) when and (b) his terms and conditions of appointment (c) the boards/committees on which he represents him or his Ministry, indicating the fees paid out to him in each case and (d) if he has effected any overseas mission and, if so, the country/countries visited and the cost thereof?

B/93 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mr Nagalingum)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether, in regard to the hawkers who have been moved from the Place Margéot, Rose Hill, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Beau Bassin/Rose Hill, information as to if they will be relocated and, if so, where and, if not, why not?
B/94 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mr Nagalingum)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether, in regard to the Land Drainage Programme, he will give a list of the projects undertaken constituency-wise, since 2010 to-date, indicating, in each case the (a) nature thereof and (b) cost thereof and (c) starting and completion dates?

B/95 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life:-

Whether, in regard to medical equipment, she will state if it is the practice for Government to acquire used and second hand ones and, if so, will she give a list thereof acquired by Government, since 2005 to date, indicating in each case the (a) date of acquisition and (b) warranties secured thereon for proper running and maintenance?

B/96 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

To ask the Honourable Attorney General:-

Whether he will state if Government proposes to introduce a Freedom of Information Bill and, if so, when and, if not, why not?

B/97 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the implementation of the Land Administration and Valuation Information Management System (L.A.V.I.M.S) project, he will state where matters stand, indicating the cost incurred as at to date?
B/98 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life:-

Whether she will state if her Ministry is organizing a conference in collaboration with the Société Odontologique de Paris, the 10th Edition of the Journée de La Chirurgie Dentaire from 30 April to 4 May 2011 in Mauritius?

B/99 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether, in regard to the municipal halls and centres put at the disposal of the associations and individuals for the holding of private functions, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to the new procedures laid down for the granting thereof, indicating (a) when they have come into force and (b) the respective fees payable?

B/100 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Obeegadoo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment:-

Whether, in regard to the employees of Infinity BPO Ltd. who were protesting and undergoing hunger strikes, he will state if he has recently had meetings with the representatives thereof and, if so, indicate the outcome thereof?

B/101 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Obeegadoo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources:-

Whether, in regard to the pre-primary schools, he will state if Government proposes to extend the opening hours thereof up to 6.00 p.m and, if so, give details thereof?
B/102  The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-

Whether, in regard to the Mauritius Jin Fei Riche Terre Economic and Trade Cooperation Zone Company Ltd. Project, he will (a) give details of the amount disbursed by Government as at to date, indicating the purpose therefor in each case and (b) state the initial date of completion thereof, indicating the reasons for delays, if any?

B/103  The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms:-

Whether he is aware of cases of civil servants who are involved in active politics or are active members of any political party or openly write press articles on political issues and, if so, the actions he proposes to take?

B/104  The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life:-

Whether she is aware that in the early 1990’s, an application was made by Dr. F. K., for the construction of a clinic in the region of Phoenix/Paillotte, in the vicinity of the Med Point Clinic, and that same was rejected and, if so, indicate the reasons therefor?

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Question addressed to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister,
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A/30 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-

Whether, in regard to the installation of Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Surveillance System in the region of Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the location of the Closed Circuit Televisions, indicating if they are operational and, if not, why not?

Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other than Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications

A/31 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Information and Communication Technology:-

Whether, in regard to the Business Parks of Mauritius Ltd., he will state if there has been an inquiry into the operations of the company, and if so (a) if same has revealed any malpractice, indicating the remedial actions that have been taken and (b) will he table a copy of the report?
A/32 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:--

Whether he is aware of the absence of drains at the Morcellement Montréal Phase II, Coromandel, thereby causing water accumulation on the roads during heavy rainfalls and if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Beau Bassin/ Rose Hill, information as to if consideration will be given for the construction of drains thereat?

A/33 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:--

Whether he is aware that trees have grown up to the level of the street lanterns and thereby depriving visibility at night on the main road from Bambous leading to Flic en Flac, in the vicinity of the road leading to the Medine Sugar Estate, and if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Black River District Council, information as to if consideration will be given for the cutting and trimming thereof?

A/34 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources:--

Whether he is aware that there is no pre-primary school in Chamarel and, if so, will he state if consideration will be given for the construction thereof?

A/35 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:--

Whether, in regard to the road linking the end of the Couvent de Lorette Road, near the Millennium monument, Curepipe, to the M1 Motorway roundabout, at Wooton, he will state if Government will consider the widening thereof, in view of the heavy traffic, including buses and heavy goods vehicles, leaving and entering the Curepipe area through that stretch?
A/36 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether, in regard to the Curepipe Botanical Garden, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Curepipe, information as to the steps that are being taken by the Council for the maintenance thereof?

A/37 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mr Nagalingum)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether he is aware of the derelict state of the Port Louis Fire Station and that the fire lorries encounter difficulties when moving therefrom when there are emergencies, during working days, due to traffic congestion on the surrounding roads and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Government Fire Services, information as to if it is proposing to have it relocated and if so, if land has been earmarked, indicating the location thereof and, if not, why not?

A/38 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether, in regard to the street lighting system found on the M1 Motorway, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to if consideration will be given for the extension thereof from (a) Pailles to Mount Ory and (b) Mount Ory to the Réduit roundabout?
A/39 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities:-

Whether he is aware of the presence of large amounts of waste and dead animals in the reservoirs and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to (a) the remedial measures that will be taken and (b) if security will be tightened thereat?

A/40 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-

Whether he is aware that one abandoned plot of land situated at Corner Saint Martin and Adelaide Streets, in Port Louis, is being used as dumping site and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to the remedial measures that will be taken to have it (a) cleaned and (b) fenced?

A/41 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether he is aware that the drain and canal works at the Noor-E-Islam Street, Port Louis, in front of the Margarette Hall, started two years ago have not yet been completed and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to the remedial measures that will be taken?
A/42 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry and Commerce:-

Whether, in regard to the Binani Cement Project in the Port area, he will state where matters stand as to the implementation thereof, following approval by Government?

A/43 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the Neotown Project at Les Salines, he will state if works have started on site and, if so (a) since when and (b) submit a progress report on implementation, as per the original project approved by Government?

A/44 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-

Whether, in regard to the renewal of the gambling licence of the Senator Club in Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Gambling Regulatory Authority, information as to if it has received complaints from the inhabitants residing in the vicinity thereof against the Senator Club and, if so (a) the remedial actions that have been initiated, if any, and (b) if the licence of the Senator Club has been renewed in spite of such complaints?

A/45 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Quirin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-

Whether he is aware of the bad state of the Raymond Rivet Street, Mont Roches and, if so, will he state if consideration will be given for the resurfacing thereof, indicating when?
A/46 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Quirin)

To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities:-

Whether, in regard to the main water pipe along the Dumat Street, Beau Bassin, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to if consideration will be given for the upgrading thereof with a view to alleviating the hardships of the inhabitants of the said region with regard to water supply?

A/47 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Obeegadoo)

To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities:-

Whether, in regard to the inhabitants of Curepipe, he will, (a) state if he has received representations in regard to the water supply in the evening and, if so (b) will he for the benefit of the House, obtain from Central Water Authority, information as to the remedial measures that are being taken?

A/48 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Obeegadoo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources:-

Whether, in regard to the Forest Side State Secondary School (Boys), he will state if measures are being taken during the present financial year for the provision of a football pitch thereat and, if not, why not?

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Clerk of the National Assembly

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