PARLIAMENTARY QUESTIONS

MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Questions of which notice has been given
requiring an Oral Answer
Sitting of Tuesday 25 March 2014

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

B/1 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, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the Annual Meeting 2014 of the World Economic Forum, held in Davos, from 22 to 25 January, he will state the composition of the delegation which attended thereto, indicating the duration and total cost thereof, including the amount paid as participation fee, if any?

B/2 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, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the last recruitment exercise in the Mauritius Police Force, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the (a) Disciplined Forces Service Commission, information as to the number of candidates who submitted applications therefor, indicating the number (i) thereof who satisfied the eligibility criteria therefor and (ii) of men and women recruits and (b) Commissioner of Police, the respective posting of the new recruits?
B/3 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, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to Police Officers having committed suicide, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand as to the inquiries carried out into the reported cases thereof (a) since January 2014 to date, indicating in each case, the number of years of service of the Police Officer and (b) since 2005 to 2013, indicating the recommendations, if any, made in relation thereto and if same have been implemented and, if not, why not?

B/4 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, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the case of arson of the gaming house known as L’Amicale de Port Louis, in which several persons died, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police and from the Human Rights Commission respectively, information as to if inquiries are being carried out thereinto and, if not, why not?

B/5 The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floréal (Ms Anquetil)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the Domestic Protection Orders, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the number thereof issued by the courts, over the past three years?
B/6 The Honourable Third Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Mr Roopun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to prescription of land, he will state if the Commission set up to inquire thereinto has submitted its report and, if so (a) give details of the recommendations thereof and (b) indicate if amendments to the relevant legislation will be introduced to allow anew the prescription of land and, if so, when?

B/7 The Honourable Third Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Mr Roopun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the lease of land by the Government of Mozambique to Mauritius, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the (a) names of the selected promoters for the allocation thereof, indicating in each case the (i) extent of land allocated (ii) projects to be implemented, indicating the number of food security and renewable energy projects, if any, implemented as at to date and (b) expenses incurred by Government and/or State-owned agencies/subsidiaries as at to date, in terms of (i) overseas trips (ii) promotional tours (iii) consultancy fees and (iv) salaries and other benefits?

B/8 The Honourable Second Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mr Soodhun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the Mauritius National Identity Scheme Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if a case of theft of a hard disk in relation thereto was reported in October 2013, and, if so, indicate where matters stand as to the inquiry carried out thereinto?
B/9  The Honourable Second Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mr Soodhun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to homicide, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof, since 01 January 2014 to date, indicating in each case, where matters stand as to the inquiry carried out thereinto?

B/10  The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the recent visit of Mrs S. R. to Mauritius, he will state if she was the official guest of the Mauritian Government and, if so, indicate the total cost incurred in relation thereto?

B/11  The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to alleged cases of breach of the Information and Communications Technologies Act, including the misuse of mobile phones, Short Messages Service and internet platforms, threats, defamation and/or insults, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof, since 2005 to date, indicating the remedial measures taken, if any, in relation thereto?
B/12 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, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the non-elucidated cases of homicide committed in Rodrigues over the past twenty-five years, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if inquiries in relation thereto are being reopened and if so, indicate in each case, where matters stand and, if not, if complaints have been received and/or statements recorded against high ranking Police Officers in relation thereto and, if so, where matters stand as to the inquiries carried out thereinto?

B/13 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, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the recent reported cases of violence, especially those committed against women, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if inquiries have been carried out as to the root cause thereof, indicating the measures taken or that will be taken, in relation thereto, if any?

B/14 The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mr Bodha)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the Chagos Archipelagos, he will state if he is aware of the recent visit of a British Minister thereto and that the British Government is carrying out a study for the resettlement of the Chagossian community thereat and, if so, indicate the stand of Mauritius in relation thereto?
Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other than Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues

B/15

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

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

Whether, in regard to the CT Power (Mauritius) Ltd. Project at Albion, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to the (a) value and percentage shareholding thereof or of its related company committed thereinto, indicating the amount disbursed in relation thereto, as at to date (b) total estimated costs thereof, including the cost of the land and of the jetty and the indexation cost (c) coal supply conditions and (d) warranties for the power purchase?

B/16

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 the bilateral foreign relations between the Republic of Mauritius and Malaysia, he will state if (a) an agreement has been signed between the two countries for an exchange of information and (b) a Memorandum of Understanding has been signed between the Financial Services Commission, Mauritius, and the Labuan Financial Services Authority, Malaysia, to enable a detailed due diligence exercise on the CT Power Holdings Ltd., indicating if a request for inquiry has been made to the Malaysian authorities on the financial credentials of the CT Group Malaysia, its related companies and of the funders of the CT Power Project?

B/17

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

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the Camp Levieux Housing Estate, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Housing Development Company Ltd., information as to if it has been informed of the irregular water supply thereat and, if so, indicate (a) the measures, if any, taken in relation thereto and (b) if all the water pumps thereat are operational and, if not, why not?
B/18 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Hanoomanjee)

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

Whether, in regard to the Cascavelle to Flic en Flac route, he will state if the construction of a second access road therefor has started and, if so, indicate where matters stand?

B/19 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Hanoomanjee)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry and Food Security, Attorney-General –

Whether he will state if his Ministry had received an application for land conversion from Société de la Reserve last year at Anna in Flic-en-Flac and, if so, indicate (a) the date of receipt thereof (b) the extent of land involved and (c) if same has been approved and the company informed accordingly?

B/20 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde-Haines)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the White Paper on Arts and Culture, he will state if he has received representations from the public and stakeholders in relation thereto and, if so (a) give details thereof and (b) indicate the actions taken in relation thereto?

B/21 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde-Haines)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the White Paper on Arts and Culture, he will state if funds have been earmarked therefor and, if not, why not?
B/22  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 Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement between the Government of India and the Government of Mauritius, he will state where matters stand as to the negotiations in relation thereto?

B/23  The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (Mr Jhugroo)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Tertiary Education, Science, Research and Technology –

Whether, in regard to the D.Y. Patil Medical College, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Tertiary Education Commission, information as to if it was issued with a permit to operate in Mauritius and, if so, indicate (a) the date of issue thereof and (b) if all the conditions for the registration thereof were met?

B/24  The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (Mr Jhugroo)

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

Whether, in regard to the Altima and the Ebene Heights Buildings, she will state (a) if any advertisement was made before the renting thereof (b) if her Ministry carried out renovation works in respect thereof and, if so, indicate the cost thereof and (c) the names of the tenants, indicating in each case, the (i) floor space occupied and (ii) rental per square foot?

B/25  The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

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

Whether, in regard to the Wooton Footbridge Project, he will state (a) when tender therefor was launched, indicating the names of the (i) bidders and (ii) successful bidder and (b) if the contractual date thereof was respected and, if not, why not?
B/26 The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floréal (Ms Anquetil)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the project to allow low income and vulnerable families to become owners of houses on State land, he will state the number of applications received in relation thereto, as at to date, indicating the timeframe and procedures laid down therefor?

B/27 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

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

Whether, in regard to the Ring Road Phase I, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to the actions taken against the contractor in relation to the fissures which have appeared thereat as at to date, indicating (a) if the contractor has been paid therefor and, if so, on whose recommendations and (b) the remedial measures taken for the repairs thereof as at to date, indicating the guarantees, if any, against risks of future cracks and undermining thereof?

B/28 The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floréal (Ms Anquetil)

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

Whether, in regard to the proposed holding of Les Assises de la Famille, she will state where matters stand?

B/29 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 project for the semi-professionalization of football in Mauritius, he will state where matters stand?
B/30 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 proposal for the Health and Sports Company of Reunion Island to organize annually football matches between prestigious European Clubs in Mauritius, including the holding of a first match between the Liverpool Football Club and either the Manchester City Football Club, the Newcastle United Football Club, the Tottenham Hotspur Football Club or the Chelsea Football Club later this year, he will state where matters stand?

B/31 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development –

Whether, in regard to the CT Power (Mauritius) Ltd. Project at Albion, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Environment Impact Assessment Committee, information as to (a) the mechanisms put in place to ensure that all the conditions laid down in the Environment Impact Assessment Licence be adhered to, prior to the commencement of the works in relation thereto and (b) if the concerns of the inhabitants of Albion, Pointe aux Sables and of the vicinity thereof have been taken into consideration and, if so, give details thereof?

B/32 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Tertiary Education, Science, Research and Technology –

Whether, in regard to the D.Y. Patil Medical College, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Tertiary Education Commission, information as to if any operation permit was granted thereto and, if so, indicate if needful was done to ascertain that the courses and training facilities offered thereat meet international standards, prior to allowing the enlistment of students thereat?
B/33  The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mrs Dookun-Luchoo mun)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –

Whether, in regard to the D.Y. Patil Medical College, he will state if his Ministry or any institution falling under the aegis thereof has received any payment as rental fee in respect of office space occupied by the said college within the premises of the Jawaharlall Nehru Hospital?

B/34  The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mrs Labelle)

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

Whether, in regard to the Community Centres, she will state the (a) activities scheduled to be carried out thereat for the year 2014, indicating the respective scheduled time and (b) number of officers thereof who are following courses at (i) the University of Mauritius (ii) the University of Technology and (iii) any other tertiary education institution, together with the time and number of days per week?

B/35  The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mrs Labelle)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Tertiary Education, Science, Research and Technology –

Whether, in regard to the MBBS courses at the University of Mauritius, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the University, information as to (a) the number of students enrolled therefor, if any, who have not been allowed to resit in the third Professional MBBS Programme for the years 2011, 2012 and 2013 respectively (b) the maximum number of attempts provided for each programme and (c) if any exit point is provided in such cases?

B/36  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 clubs and federations, he will state if funds from the Corporate Social Responsibility are available therefor and, if so, indicate (a) since when and (b) the eligibility criteria therefor?
B/37 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –

Whether, in regard to the alleged case of medical negligence in respect of one Mrs S. D., in February 2014, he will state if his Ministry has carried out an inquiry thereinto and, if so, indicate the outcome thereof?

B/38 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –

Whether, in regard to the public hospitals, he will state the protocol applied for the rotation of the consultants/specialists?

B/39 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mrs Navarre-Marie)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the show staged at the Anjalay Coopen Stadium for the celebration of Independence Day, on 12 March 2014, he will state the total cost thereof, giving details of each item paid for and indicating (a) the source of funding thereof and (b) if tenders were launched therefor?

B/40 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mrs Navarre-Marie)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade –

Whether, in regard to the working session organized by the Board of Investment at the Grand’ Baie Conference Centre, on 12 March 2014, he will state if he is aware that the Mauritian Ambassador based at Kuala Lumpur effected a walk out in the course thereof and, if so, indicate the incidence thereof, if any?
B/41 The Honourable First Member for Grand’ Baie and Poudre d’Or (Mr Gungah)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the Anse La Raie Village, he will state if his Ministry has approved any application for hotel development thereat and, if so, indicate where matters stand?

B/42 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mrs Ribot)

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

Whether, in regard to the 2007 National Action Plan to Combat Domestic Violence, she will state if, to ensure its effective implementation, an evaluation exercise has been carried out and, if so, indicate the findings thereof?

B/43 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mrs Ribot)

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

Whether, in regard to the Specific Objective 7 of the 2007 National Action Plan to Combat Domestic Violence, she will state where matters stand as to the proposed setting up of additional shelters with rehabilitative support services for the victims of domestic violence?

B/44 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Barbier)

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

Whether, in regard to the proposed development in the harbour area at Les Salines and in the vicinity thereof, he will state if same is liable to affect the normal activities of the fishers of the region and, if so, indicate if an alternative plan is being envisaged to allow the said fishers earn a decent living?
B/45  The Honourable First Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Jugnauth)

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

Whether, in regard to the flash floods of 30 March 2013, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to if works have been carried out in respect of the Ring Road, at the feet of the mountain, in the vicinity of the Swami Vivekananda International Convention Centre and along the third lane on the M1 Highway from Sorèze to Le Caudan and, if so, indicate the cost thereof?

B/46  The Honourable First Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Jugnauth)

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

Whether, in regard to the renting of two floors of the Altima Building at Ebene to the D. Y. Patil Medical College, she will state if (a) tenders were launched therefor and (b) her Ministry carried out renovation works in respect thereof and, if so, indicate the (i) cost thereof and (ii) date the contract was signed, giving details thereof, including the rental and other fees due?

B/47  The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mr Bodha)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Tertiary Education, Science, Research and Technology –

Whether, in regard to the notice issued by the Tertiary Education Commission, dated 16 September 2013, requiring compliance of the local institutions with their overseas regulatory authorities, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commission, information as to if the local authorities have complied therewith?
B/48  The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

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

Whether, in regard to the Public Service Vehicle (Taxi) Licence, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Authority, a list of the applicants who have been issued therewith, since July 2005 to date, indicating in each case, the (a) base of operation and (b) date of issue thereof?

B/49  The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the NHDC Housing Estate at Military Road, Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Housing Development Company Ltd. information as to (a) the number of housing units which have been constructed, indicating the (i) total project cost thereof (ii) selling price per housing unit and (iii) names and addresses of the beneficiaries thereof and (b) if land on which stand the housing units are being leased and, if so, indicate the annual rental and duration thereof?

B. S. Lotun (Mrs)
Acting Clerk of the National Assembly

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A/1 The Honourable Third Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Mr Roopun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the Willoughby Avenue, at its junction with the Labourdonnaux and the Stevenson Streets, in Quatre Bornes, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases of road accident thereat, since 2010 to date, indicating the measures taken to reinforce security thereat, if any?

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

A/2 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development –

Whether, in regard to the CT Power (Mauritius) Ltd. Project at Albion, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Environment Impact Assessment Committee, information as to if an analysis has been carried out on the impact of the inward wind during the months of November to February on the surrounding thereof through the activities and the semi-open coal yard thereof?
A/3 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

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

Whether, in regard to the CT Power (Mauritius) Ltd. Project at Albion, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to (a) if any of its Board Members is also member of any company having an interest in an electricity undertaking related to the project (b) if the fact that the Board is production owner, buyer and seller of electricity prejudice the interests of the consumers and (c) when the Regulator of Electricity will be nominated?

A/4 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (Mr Jhugroo)

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

Whether, in regard to the State Insurance Companies of Mauritius Limited, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the name of the Chairperson thereof, indicating (a) his terms and conditions of appointment, including the salary drawn (b) the make and model of the car put at his disposal and (c) the number of overseas missions he has undertaken, if any, indicating the amount of per diem paid out to him?

A/5 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (Mr Jhugroo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –

Whether, in regard to the Medical and Health Officers/Senior Medical & Health Officers, he will (a) give a list of the latest recruits, indicating their respective posting (b) state the present number thereof employed on contract and (c) when will the next recruitment exercise therefor be carried out, indicating the number of vacancies to be filled?
A/6 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Sorefan)

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

Whether, in regard to the advisers posted in his Ministry, he will state their respective (a) qualifications (b) terms and conditions of appointment and (c) respective address?

A/7 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

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

Whether, in regard to Cité Marcel Cabon, Albion, Cité Betel, Petite Rivière, Coromandel/Belle Etoile, Chebel Branch Road, Cité Chebel and Mont Roches, in Constituency No. 20, Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière, he will state the remedial measures his Ministry proposes to take in relation to the flooding problems which recur thereat?

A/8 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

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

Whether, in regard to Constituency No. 20, Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière, he will give a list of the ongoing projects initiated by his Ministry in respect of (a) football grounds (b) construction of drains (c) road resurfacing and construction of new roads (d) children playground equipment and (e) street lanterns?

A/9 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –

Whether, in regard to the Methadone Distribution Centres in Constituency No. 2, Port Louis South and Port Louis Central, he will state if he has received complaints in relation thereto and, if so, indicate if consideration will be given for the relocation thereof and, if not, why not?
A/10 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the organization of the Hajj pilgrimage, he will state if he has taken cognizance of a report prepared by the Sunni Ulama and the Aimmah Council in relation thereto and, if so, indicate if same contains recommendations and, if so, if consideration will be given for the implementation thereof and, if not, why not?

A/11 The Honourable Third Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Mr Roopun)

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

Whether, in regard to the Speed Limit Zones, he will state if the committee set up for the review thereof has completed its exercise and, if so, give details thereof, indicating if the recommendations contained therein will be implemented and, if so, when?

A/12 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde-Haines)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry and Food Security, Attorney-General –

Whether he is aware of the problems caused by stray dogs on the Flic-en-Flac public beach and, if so, indicate if remedial measures will be taken in relation thereto?

A/13 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde-Haines)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands –

Whether, in regard to the Flic-en-Flac public beach, he will state if his Ministry is proposing to delimit a camping zone thereat for the campers during weekends or public holidays and, if so, give details thereof?
A/14 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mrs Navarre-Marie)

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

Whether, in regard to the pedestrians crossing found near the Hindu House, at Cassis, in Port Louis, he state if consideration will be given for the advisability of putting up a fly over in replacement thereof and, if so, when and, if not, why not?

A/15 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mrs Navarre-Marie)

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

Whether, in regard to the Centre Fraternité Mauricienne des Malades et Handicapés at Canal Dayot, Grand River North West, where a retaining wall will be erected, he will state if he will ensure that the extent of land on which the centre is built is not negatively affected and reduced?

A/16 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mrs Ribot)

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

Whether, in regard to domestic violence, she will state the number of reported victims thereof, since 2005 to date, indicating if they have been provided, if required, with (a) assistance to find employment and (b) financial assistance and, if so, indicate the quantum and duration thereof?

A/17 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mrs Ribot)

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

Whether, in regard to the Child Day Care Centres, she will (a) give an updated list thereof to which a licence to operate has been issued and (b) state the number of (i) qualified carers and (ii) applications received therefor, indicating the names of those who are on the waiting list?
A/18 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Baloomoody)

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

Whether, in regard to the Centre Polyvalent recently inaugurated at Debarcadère, Pointe aux Sables, she will state the (a) amount of public funds injected therein and (b) names of the Officer-in-Charge of the management and maintenance thereof?

A/19 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Baloomoody)

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

Whether, in regard to Kensington, in Pointe aux Sables, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Waste Water Management Authority, information as to if they are in presence of complaints emanating from the inhabitants thereof in relation to the waste water management thereof and, if so, indicate if remedial measures will be taken in relation thereto and, if so, when?

A/20 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 proposed construction of a new Fire Station, Head Office and Training Centre at Riche Terre, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Fire and Rescue Service, information as to where matters stand, indicating when works are expected to start?

A/21 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

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

Whether, in regard to the proposed construction of a new and modern Divisional Police Headquarters at Abercrombie, he will state where matters stand?
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The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

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

Whether, in regard to the proposed sewerage network project for the sewerage connection of house number 20 to 26, at the Alfred Gellé Street, in Cité Martial, in Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Waste Water Management Authority, information as to where matters stand?

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