To: The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping

Private Notice Question

I have to inform you that the Honourable Leader of the Opposition, Mr Paul Raymond Bérenger, G.C.S.K., MP, has given notice of the following Private Notice Question which he proposes to put to the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping at the sitting to be held today, Friday 18 December 2009 at 3.30 p.m.

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

Whether, in regard to the Bus Rapid Transit System, he will state –

(a) on the basis of which reports it has been preferred to the Light Rail Transit System, indicating the comparative advantages of each;

(b) the expected total cost thereof;

(c) when the engineering designs will be ready;

(d) the types of buses which will be used, particularly in reference to pollution; and

(e) if the bus companies and the employees thereof will be taken on board and, if so, how?

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