MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
Questions of which notice has been given
Requiring an Oral Answer
Sitting of Tuesday 6 July 2010

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

1B/219 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 Mauritius Broadcasting
Corporation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain
from the Corporation, information as to (a) the number of
employees who have been (i) suspended or interdicted
since 2005 to-date and (ii) re-instated to their posts and
(b) whether any employee has not been re-instated and,
if so, the number thereof and the reasons therefor?

1B/220 The Honourable Third Member for Belle Rose and
Quatre Bornes (Ms Deerpalsing)

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

Whether, in regard to visiting maulanas, he will, for the
benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of
Police if instead of a 30-day, a 40-day visa could be issued
to them during the period of Ramadan?

1B/221 The Honourable Third Member for Belle Rose and
Quatre Bornes (Ms Deerpalsing)

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

Whether as announced in the Government Programme
2010-2015, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain
from the Commissioner of Police, if consideration will be
given for the installation of Close Circuits Television
Surveillance System (CCTV) at (a) Palm Court, NHDC,
Palma and (b) Residences Beau Sejour, Quatre Bornes?
1B/222 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Mr Dayal)

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

Whether, in regard to post mortem examinations which are presently being carried out at the Victoria and SSRN Hospitals, he will state if Government is envisaging to extend these services to other hospitals?

1B/223 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 active politics, he will state if Ambassadors and Advisers are allowed to engage therein?

1B/224 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 Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Corporation, information as to (a) the number of employees employed on (i) a full time (ii) part time basis (b) their respective posts and their terms and conditions of employment?

1B/225 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 23rd celebration of the World Anti-drug Abuse Day by the Mouvement Anti-Drogue at Cathédrale St Louis Square in Port Louis, on or about Saturday 26 June 2010, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to whether the projection of a film on the Prevention Against Drug Abuse was prohibited by the Police and, if so, the reasons therefor?
1B/226 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Ms Ribot)

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

Whether, in regard to the National Human Rights Commission and the Sex Discrimination Division thereof, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commission, information, in each case, as to (a) the names of the members and (b) their respective date of appointment?

1B/227 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 protection of Prison Officers whilst on duty, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Prisons, information as to the last time ammunitions and equipment were purchased?

1B/228 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 Legal Aid Act, he will state if Government proposes to bring amendments thereto with a view to making provision for employees to benefit from legal assistance in litigations before the Industrial Court?

1B/229 The Honourable Fourth Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mr Issack)

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

Whether, in regard to detainees in the prisons, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Prisons, information as to (a) the number of male and female thereof in each prison and (b) the annual average expenses incurred by the State per detainee?
1B/230 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 Board of Visitors for each of the prison institutions, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Prisons, information as to the number of Boards which have been established as at to-date, indicating in each case (a) their composition (b) the name of the Chairperson (c) the number of meetings held and the number of visits effected by the Board to its respective institution since first January 2010 to-date?

1B/231 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 prison institutions, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Prisons, information, in each case, as to (a) the accommodation capacity (b) the actual number of inmates (c) the number of detainees on remand and (d) the number of Prisons Officers in post?

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

1B/232 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (Mr Seetaram)

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

Whether, in regard to public transport from Trou d’eau Douce to Bel Air, he will state if he is aware of the hardships caused to the students and elderly persons of the region as a result of the absence of bus services thereat and, if so, will he consider the introduction of a bus service to serve that route?
1B/233 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East *(Mr Seetaram)*

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

Whether, in regard to water supply, he will state if he is aware of the irregularity and quality thereof in the region of Caroline, Ecroignard and Bramsthan and, if so, will he for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to the remedial actions that will be taken?

1B/234 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East *(Mr Seetaram)*

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

Whether, in regard to the link road from Glen Park to Curepipe via Pont Malakoff, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to the expected date of completion thereof?

1B/235 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 a swimming pool at Quartier Militaire, he will state where matters stand?

1B/236 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka *(Mr Dayal)*

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

Whether, in regard to the project for the putting up of a football playground at Mahatma Gandhi State Secondary School at Moka, he will state where matters stand, indicating the estimated cost and the expected dates of commencement and completion of the works?
1B/237 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 project for the construction of the Moka bypass, from Réduit to Verdun, he will state where matters stand?

1B/238 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

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

Whether, in regard to the Jean Lebrun Government School, he will state (a) the cost of the phase I extension work (b) when the phase II construction works are expected to start, indicating (i) its duration (ii) the cost thereof and (c) where matters stand in relation to the upgrading of its football ground, indicating if money has already been earmarked?

1B/239 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry and Commerce:-

Whether he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the State Trading Corporation, information as to (a) whether the Corporation has recently proceeded with the destruction of forty-five tonnes of milk powder, brand name, Oasis at Mare Chicose and, if so, the reasons therefor and (b) whether appropriate clearances were obtained from the authorities prior to its importation?

1B/240 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Leisure:-

Whether he will state if, for the period 2005 to December 2009, his Ministry has given any allowances, grants or other financial assistance to any religious, social, cultural or other organization and, if so, give in each case, the details of the amounts and the reasons therefor?
1B/241 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Fakeemeeah)

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

Whether, in regard to construction works carried out by his Ministry, he will, for each of the past five years, give a list thereof, indicating in each case (a) the cost and (b) if tendering procedures were followed?

1B/242 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 relocation of gambling activities as announced in the Government Programme 2010-2015, he will state if (a) the designated areas have already been identified and (b) a timeframe has been set for the closure of gaming houses in residential and commercial areas?

1B/243 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

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

Whether, in regard to land at Ebène Cybercity, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Business Park of Mauritius Limited (BPML), information as to (a) the names and addresses of the beneficiaries thereof, indicating in each case (i) the extent of land leased (ii) rent payable (iii) the amount of deposit made and the date (b) the description of the project, indicating, when the approval of the Board was obtained and (c) the list of cases where construction has not yet started?

1B/244 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (Mr Seeruttun)

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

Whether he is aware of the difficulties encountered by the road users in the region of Ferney and Quatre Soeurs due to flooding and, if so, will he state the actions that will be taken to address the issue, indicating the timeframe?
1B/245 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (Mr Seeruttun)  

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

Whether, in regard to the National Parks and Conservation Fund, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Fund, information as to (a) the amount of money held in that Fund as at to-date (b) its objectives and (c) the amount of money spent for each of the last four years, indicating in each case, the projects?

1B/246 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (Mr Seeruttun)  

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture:-

Whether, in regard to the celebrations marking the Bicentenary of the Battle of Vieux Grand Port, he will state whether (a) the inhabitants of Vieux Grand Port will be involved therein and, if so, how and (b) the activities will benefit the region, indicating how?

1B/247 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (Mr Seeruttun)  

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

Whether, in regard to the Solar Water Heater Financing Scheme, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Development Bank of Mauritius, information as to (a) whether the Scheme is still operational and, if so, indicate (i) the eligibility criteria (ii) the amount of the grant per beneficiary and (b) the duration of the Scheme?

1B/248 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 Municipal Councilors, he will state the number thereof who have resigned or lost their seats since October 2005 to-date?
1B/249 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Dr Boolell)

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

Whether she will state if cerebral angiography as a major investigative procedure for person suffering from cerebral haemorrhage, is performed in our hospitals?

1B/250 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 pharmaceutical products, especially for non-communicable diseases such as hypertension and neurological disorders, she will state if regular inventories are carried out to ascertain the availability and to avoid any possible shortage thereof?

1B/251 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

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

Whether, in regard to the Land Duties and Taxes Act, he will state if Government proposes to bring amendments thereto with a view to (a) re-introducing the exemption for first time buyers of bare land and built up land (b) re-introducing the exemption for first time borrowers for completion of construction or loan for the purchase of built up land or apartment (c) exempting Land Transfer Tax for first time sellers or maintaining a flat rate of 5% of the value of the transfer and (d) exempting from Land Transfer Tax the sale of properties acquired by inheritance?

1B/252 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

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

Whether, in regard to the Sugar Industry Efficiency Act, he will state if Government proposes to bring amendments thereto to make provision for exemption of taxes on the transfer of land under sugarcane cultivation?
1B/253  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 field workers of the Trust Fund for the Integration of Vulnerable Groups, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Trust, information as to the number thereof attached to the Citizens Advice Bureau of Vacoas, indicating their names and the date of posting thereat?

1B/254  The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal (Mrs Labelle)

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

Whether, in regard to drains/pavements under construction at the Abbé Laval Street, Eau Coulée, he will state if his Ministry has received a complaint from the inhabitants of the region to the effect that rain water is being made to run from these drains into a cave and, if so, the remedial measures that are envisaged?

1B/255  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 Federations registered with his Ministry, he will state if they are complying with the Sports Act and, if not, why not, indicating the actions he proposes to take?

1B/256  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 Directeur Technique National de Natation, he will (a) give the terms and conditions of his contract, indicating whether he is complying with same and (b) table a copy of the contract agreement?
1B/257 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 Duty Free Island Project, he will state whether any impact assessment study has been carried out thereinto and, if so, state (a) the estimated annual revenue losses in customs, excise and other duties as a result thereof (b) estimates of other costs to Government (c) the impact on the local manufacturing industry and (d) if a timeframe for its implementation has been set?

1B/258 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 National Savings Rate, he will state (a) its evolution over the years 2005 to 2010 (b) the measures being taken to encourage national savings and (c) whether tax reliefs will be re-instated on pension contributions?

1B/259 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (Mr Ganoo)

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

Whether he is aware of the complaint made by the Confédération des Travailleurs du Secteur Privé (CTSP) to the International Labour Organisation (ILO) in relation to the provision of the Employment Rights Act which makes of Sunday a normal working day and state whether Government has received any recommendations from the International Labour Organisation in relation thereto and, if so, the measures Government proposes to take?

1B/260 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 national examinations at Form III level, he will state (a) the purpose thereof (b) when they will be introduced and (c) the options that will be offered to students who fail thereat?
1B/261 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

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

Whether, in regard to the project for the replacement of existing vehicles registration plates by yellow ones, he will state (a) if any tender has been launched for the supply thereof, indicating the date and (b) if it has been awarded and, if so, the name of the successful bidder and details of the contract?

1B/262 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

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

Whether she will state the number of disabled persons who have applied for the allocation of wheelchairs since last year and who are still on the waiting list and say (a) when the last order for wheelchairs was made (b) the number received to-date and (c) whether any tender has been launched for the supply thereof and, if so, when?

1B/263 The Honourable Fourth Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mr Issack)

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

Whether, in regard to the Port Louis Municipal Theatre, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to (a) if the renovation works thereof have started and, if not, why not and (b) the expected date of its re-opening?

1B/264 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the State Lands, he will state if Article 18 of the Industrial Lease Agreement for the lease thereof has been amended and, if so, why and, if not, whether Government intends to amend it?
1B/265 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to State Lands in Balaclava, he will state if Kohinoor Investment Holdings Ltd has been granted a lease of a plot of land thereat and, if so, state (a) when the reservation letter was granted (b) the letter of intent was issued (c) the extent thereof, indicating the annual rental value (d) the terms and conditions, indicating the purpose of the lease (e) the amount of taxes and levy paid to Government (f) the nature of the project and (g) if the lease has been transferred?

R. R. Dowlutta
Clerk of the National Assembly

Parliament House
Port Louis

02 July 2010
MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Questions of which notice has been given

Not Requiring an Oral Answer

Sitting of Tuesday 06 July 2010

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

1A/1 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:-

Whether, in regard to persons suffering from temporary
and permanent disabilities, he will, for the benefit
of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police,
information as to whether there is any special condition
attached to the issue of a driving licence?

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

1A/2 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite
Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

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

Whether, in regard to the burning of sugarcane fields
during the crop season, he will, for the benefit of the
House, obtain from the Mauritius Sugar Producers
Association, information as to (a) whether a Protocol in
relation thereto has been discussed and agreed to and
(b) if it is proposed to stop the practice in line with the
Maurice Ile Durable project?

1A/3 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite
Rivière (Mr Quirin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether he will give a list of the staff of his Ministry who
have proceeded on overseas mission since 01 January
2009 to-date, indicating in each case the (a) purpose
(b) duration and (c) the per diem allowances?
1A/4 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Business, Enterprise, Cooperatives and Consumer Protection:-

Whether, in regard to packed frozen foods, he will state the measures being taken to prevent overweight of the ice content therein, indicating if there are any regulations to control any abusive practice in relation thereto and, if not, the measures he proposes to take?

1A/5 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Li Kwong Wing)

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

Whether, in regard to traffic flow to and from Port-Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to, if consideration will be given for the construction of a flyover or an interchange at the junctions of the M1 Road and (a) the road leading to Pointe Aux Sables and (b) the road leading to Petite Rivière?

1A/6 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

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

Whether he will state if he is aware of the traffic congestion occurring at the Cité Martial Market Fair at Military Road, Port Louis and along roads in the vicinity during fairs and, if so, will he state the remedial measures that will be taken?

1A/7 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 he will state if consideration will be given for the putting up of public toilets at the Curepipe Road Taxi Stand for the convenience of the public?
1A/8  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 private school buses and vans, he will, for the period 2005 to-date, state (a) the number of registered vehicles and (b) the number involved in road accidents, indicating the number of casualties?

1A/9  The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (Mr Bhagwan)

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

Whether, in regard to the project for the covering of the irrigation canal at Petite Rivière from the Princess Margaret Street to the Nundoll Lane, he will state where matters stand?

1A/10 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Baloomoody)

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

Whether, in regard to the Employment Rights Act, he will state the number of workers (a) who have been laid off and (b) whose contract has been terminated since the proclamation of the Act?

1A/11 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 Les Salines public beach in the village of Rivière Noire, he will state if he is aware that private land owners have blocked access thereto and, if so, will he state the remedial actions that will be taken?

1A/12 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Radegonde)

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

Whether he is aware that the inhabitants in the region of Case Noyale do not have an adequate water supply and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to the remedial measures that will be taken?
1A/13 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Obeegadoo)

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

Whether, in regard to Secondary Schools, he will (a) give the number of inspectors in post for State Secondary Schools and (b) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Private Secondary Schools Authority, information as to the number of inspectors for Private Secondary Schools?

1A/14 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Obeegadoo)

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

Whether, in regard to Primary Education, he will give, in each case, for the last ten years (a) the Primary Completion Rate and (b) the Net Enrolment ratio?

1A/15 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry and Commerce:-

Whether, in regard to STCM Limited, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the State Trading Corporation, information as to (a) the names of the suppliers and the value of commodities imported by the Company since its incorporation and (b) if any tender exercise was effected and, if not, why not?

1A/16 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Leisure:-

Whether, in regard to the decision to allow tourists visiting Mauritius without a passport, he will (a) give the number of such visitors who have entered Mauritius since the implementation thereof, indicating the category and nationality of the visitors and (b) state whether (i) any study has been carried out to assess its impact on the Tourism Industry (ii) it will be maintained and, if so, for how long and (iii) consideration will be given to extending same to tourists from China and India?
1A/17 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Mr Ramano)

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

Whether consideration will be given to the opening of an access road for pedestrians or vehicles from Robert Edward Hart Avenue to Ollier Avenue in Quatre Bornes for the convenience of the inhabitants of Residence Beau Sejour and Robert Edward Hart Avenue?

1A/18 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture:-

Whether, in regard to the forthcoming Hajj pilgrimage, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Islamic Cultural Centre, information as to (a) the total amount of money spent on (i) air tickets (ii) per diem allowances in respect of each member of the pre-hajj mission (b) the names of the organizers and officers who will be attending the training on the new transport system in Saudi Arabia and (c) whether the Centre has requested the Saudi Authorities that the quota per organizer be restricted to a maximum of 200 pilgrims?

R. R. Dowlutta
Clerk of the National Assembly

Parliament House
Port Louis

02 July 2010