

MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**Questions of which notice has been given****Requiring an Oral Answer****Sitting of Tuesday 30 October 2012****Questions addressed to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister,
Minister of Defence, Home Affairs
and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues**

B/608 The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal
(Mrs Labelle)

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

Whether, in regard to the Police Band Fund, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the (a) balance of the Fund as at June 2001 and 30 June 2012 respectively (b) expenses incurred during the last financial year and (c) fees paid to the Band Personnel for work performed outside working hours?

B/609 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and
Plaine Magnien (Mr Jhugroo)

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

Whether, in regard to Mr N. A., Mayor of the Municipal Council of Vacoas/Phoenix, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if a charge of threatening with bodily harms on one Mr V. M. on 29 September 2012 in Solferino has been preferred against him and, if so, indicate if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto and the outcome thereof?

B/610 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill
(Mr Nagalingum)

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

Whether, in regard to prostitution/aggressions and drug related offences in the Rose Hill town centre, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof, over the past five years, indicating if any increase thereof has been noted and, if so, the additional measures taken in relation thereto?

B/611 The Honourable First Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre D'or
(Mr Gungah)

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

Whether, in regard to the regions which have been earmarked for the setting up of new Police Stations, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, a list thereof, indicating in each case (a) where matters stand and (b) when construction works are expected to start?

B/612 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien
(Mr Jhugroo)

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

Whether, in regard to the two Police Constables who died at Sept Cascades on Saturday 29 September 2012, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) when they joined the Police Force, indicating when they were posted at the *Groupe d'Intervention de la Police Mauricienne* and (b) where matters stand as to the inquiry carried out thereinto?

B/613 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 Municipal Elections, he will state if Government will consider amending the legislation to provide for the holding thereof to be enshrined in the Constitution?

B/614 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 late Mr L. A., he will state if he will consider setting up an independent inquiry to be presided by a Senior Magistrate to investigate into his death, in view of the circumstances in which his dead body was found?

B/615 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun**)

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

Whether, in regard to cases of larceny and other offences committed in the hotels or other tourist sites and against the tourists, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number thereof, over the past five years?

B/616 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 inquiries carried out by the Commissioner of Police, the Financial Intelligence Unit, the Financial Services Commission and the Independent Commission Against Corruption, into the alleged case of arms trafficking, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to where matters stand?

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

B/617 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 an alleged case of sexual assault by an employee of the Training and Employment of Disabled Persons Board, in 2008, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Board, information as to if the internal inquiry carried out thereinto has been finalized and if so, indicate (a) when (b) the findings thereof and (c) if the matter has already been referred to the Police?

B/618 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mrs Radegonde)

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

Whether, in regard to road safety and security, he will state if he has received any correspondence dated 24 July 2012, from the Manager of the St Esprit College, Rivière Noire, expressing his deep concerns of risks of accident within the vicinity thereof and if so, indicate the measures taken in relation thereto, if any?

B/619 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mrs Radegonde)

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

Whether, in regard to the rate of unemployment in Constituency No.14, Savanne and Black River, he will state if a survey has been carried out to identify the nature and root causes thereof, indicating the remedial measures that his Ministry proposes to take, if any, and if so, give details thereof?

B/620 The Honourable Fourth Member for Vacoas and Floreal
(Ms Anquetil)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Leisure:-

Whether, in regard to the proposed implementation of a national hotel rating system, he will state where matters stand?

B/621 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, he will state the latest available statistics in relation thereto, indicating if his Ministry proposes to set up a strong action plan for the prevention and control thereof?

B/622 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East
(Mr Ameer Meea)

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

Whether, in regard to the slaughter house in Roche Bois, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Meat Authority, information as to (a) the safety and security measures taken in relation to the employees thereof for the slaughtering of animals and (b) if Occupational Health and Safety Officers carried out visits thereat over the past year, and if so, indicate the frequency and outcome thereof?

B/623 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

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

Whether, in regard to Saudi Arabia, he will state if consideration will be given for the advisability of (a) setting up an Embassy thereat and (b) establishing direct air flights between Mauritius and Saudi Arabia?

B/624 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 damaged vehicles declared as total loss by insurance companies, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Authority, information as to if such vehicles, after having been sold and repaired, have been examined by the Vehicle Fitness Centre and issued with fitness certificates, over the past five years, and, if so, indicate the number thereof?

B/625 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 construction of an additional lane along M1 from Ruisseau Creole to the Place d'Armes, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to (a) the reasons why during the preliminary examination of the bids, the Authority advised for the non-evaluation and disqualification of two bidders and (b) if there has been a review by the Independent Review Panel and, if so, the outcome thereof?

B/626 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière **(Mr Bhagwan)**

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

Whether, in regard to the Central Electricity Board, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the (a) total amount of outstanding loan due to Government (b) amount of loan taken with foreign agencies as at to date (c) amount of overdraft held with banks as at to date (d) if the Board has approved the purchase of a building in Ebène, and if so, indicate the estimated cost thereof and (e) amount approved by the Board for the celebration of the 50th anniversary thereof?

B/627 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill **(Ms Ribot)**

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

Whether, in regard to the Confidential Medical Reports having been seen in the street in front of the Terre Rouge Health Centre in June 2012, he will state if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto and if so, indicate the outcome thereof?

B/628 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill **(Ms Ribot)**

To ask the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Leisure:-

Whether, in regard to sexual tourism, he will (a) state if a survey has been carried out to assess the extent thereof, if any, and (b) indicate the measures taken by his Ministry in relation thereto?

B/629 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes **(Mr Ramano)**

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the LAVIMS project, he will state (a) the number of properties to which (i) a pin code has been ascribed (ii) a value has been allotted by the Valuation Office (b) if State Lands and buildings thereon are included therein and (c) when it will be mandatory for the Registrar General to authorize the transfer of only properties to which a pin code has been ascribed?

B/630 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 meeting held on 19 September 2012 between his Ministry, the National Olympic Committee and Mr J. P. of the International Olympic Committee, he will state the outcome thereof?

B/631 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 *Projet de Reinsertion Professionnel des Athletes de Haut Niveau*, indicated as a major service provided by his Ministry in the 2012 budget, he will state where matters stand?

B/632 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River **(Mrs Hanoomanjee)**

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

Whether, in regard to the Mauritius Institute of Training and Development, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to if one Mrs Y. M. was employed thereat as Instructor in Information Technology, from June 2010 to in or about May 2012, and if so, indicate the salary drawn during her period of employment?

B/633 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River **(Mrs Hanoomanjee)**

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

Whether, in regard to women, she will state the actions that have been taken by her Ministry for the empowerment thereof in politics, since the coming into operation of the Local Government Act 2011?

B/634 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 Project, he will state if (a) the Environment Impact Assessment Certificate has already been issued, indicating the conditions attached thereto and (b) his Ministry has received petitions from the inhabitants of Albion and of the surroundings thereof objecting to the implementation thereof and if so, indicate the measures taken, if any?

B/635 The Honourable First Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Jugnauth**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Amusement Machines with Prizes, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the (a) Gaming Regulatory Authority, information as to the (i) names of the licensees thereof, giving a list of the outlets where same are operated and the name of the operator thereof (ii) number thereof in operation (iii) amount of money collected in terms of licence fees as at to date, on a yearly basis and (iv) if any decision has been taken regarding the issue of new licences therefor and (b) Mauritius Revenue Authority, information as to the amount of taxes collected as at to date?

B/636 The Honourable First Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Jugnauth**)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the Jin Fei Project in Riche Terre, he will state if the Lease Agreement signed between the State of Mauritius and Mauritius Jin Fei Economic Trade and Cooperation Zone Co. Ltd., on 14 September 2009 is still in force and, if so, indicate the measures that will be taken, if any, to ensure that the land is being developed in conformity with the purpose and conditions laid down in the lease document?

B/637 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 Business Growth Fund, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Fund, information as to the amount of funds disbursed as at to date to the small and medium enterprises, indicating in each case the (a) name of the beneficiaries thereof (b) schemes under which the funds were disbursed (c) sector involved and the (d) amount of money paid to consultants as fees?

B/638 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 Mr S. D. and Mr A. K., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Board of Investment, information as to if any due diligence exercise was undertaken before the issue thereto of (a) occupational permits (b) trade or aviation licences and (c) investment permits to buy property, indicating (i) why such permits were granted thereto and the date of issue thereof in each case and (ii) if any report has been received in relation thereto regarding arms trafficking, money laundering and corruption of officials?

B/639 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 Resilience Fund, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Fund, information as to (a) the opening balance thereof as at 01 January 2012 (b) since 01 January 2012 to date, the total amount of funds injected therein (c) the amount of funds disbursed, indicating in each case the (i) names of the beneficiaries thereof and (ii) purpose therefor (d) the names of the officers who dealt therewith and (e) the proposed deployment of the balance of funds available as at date, indicating the reasons for low drawdown?

B/640 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 Rose Hill market, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Beau Bassin/Rose Hill, information as to if it is in a bad state and, if so, indicate if consideration will be given for the construction of a new modern market?

B/641 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central **(Mr Uteem)**

To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry, Commerce and Consumer Protection:-

Whether, in regard to the petroleum pricing structure, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the State Trading Corporation, since the introduction thereof to date, information as to the aggregate amount of money received from the sale of petroleum products representing the (a) Maurice Ile Durable Levy (b) contribution to the Road Development Authority (c) contribution to Rodrigues transportation and storage (d) provision for hedging and (e) if consideration will be given for a review thereof?

B/642 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 Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam Botanic Garden, he will, state if his Ministry has carried out an inquiry on the state thereof and, if so, indicate the findings thereof and the remedial measures taken, if any, and if not, why not?

B/643 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle **(Mr Seeruttun)**

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

Whether, in regard to the project for the setting up of an ICT Academy, he will state where matters stand?

- B/644 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien **(Mr Jhugroo)**
To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-
Whether, in regard to the overseas missions undertaken by the Lord Mayor, Mayors and Councillors of the Municipal Councils, since October 2005 to-date, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Councils, a list thereof, indicating in each case the (a) countries visited (b) composition of the delegation (c) duration thereof (d) purpose therefor and (e) total amount of money spent in terms of air tickets, *per diem* and any other allowances/fees?
- B/645 The Honourable Second Member for La Caverne and Phoenix **(Mr Soodhun)**
To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands:-
Whether, in regard to the Municipal Councils, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to their respective cumulative budget deficits as at date, indicating the remedial measures that will be taken, if any?
- B/646 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mr Lesjongard)**
To ask the Honourable Minister of Industry, Commerce and Consumer Protection:-
Whether, in regard to the development of Mauritius into a petroleum hub, he will state (a) if a prior study was carried out in relation thereto and, if so, indicate the (i) date thereof and (ii) names of the consultants therefor and (b) how and why was the site of Pointe aux Caves chosen to house the facility in connection therewith?
- B/647 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mr Lesjongard)**
To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-
Whether, in regard to the Jin Fei Project at Riche Terre, he will state the (a) amount of Foreign Direct Investments injected therein (b) number of jobs created for Mauritian nationals and (c) amount of money invested by Government in terms of (i) road infrastructure (ii) drains (iii) sewerage (iv) water infrastructure and network, giving details thereof in each case?

- B/648 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 the stray dogs, he will state (a) if the methods used by the Mauritius Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the disposal thereof are in line with the international humane disposal standards and (b) obtain from the Veterinary Council of Mauritius, information as to if it has queried the disposal method used therefor, and asked for a report thereon, and if so, the outcome thereof?
- B/649 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 cough mixtures containing codeine and codeine-derivatives, he will state (a) if they are readily available in public hospitals and (b) the policy of his Ministry for the issue of import permits therefor to the private sector, indicating the (i) protocol for the distribution thereof by the importers and to the individual pharmacies, and (ii) monitoring effected, if any, for the prevention of dispensing abuse by the pharmacies?
- B/650 The Honourable Second Member for La Caverne and Phoenix
(Mr Soodhun)
To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life:-
Whether, in regard to the Methadone Substitution Therapy, he will state the number of patients following same, since the introduction thereof to date, indicating the number of complaints registered in connection therewith and the outcome thereof?
- B/651 The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal
(Mr Bodha)
To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-
Whether, in regard to the tax on Short Message Service and Multi Media Messaging Service, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Revenue Authority, information as to the amount thereof collected since the introduction thereof to date?

B/652 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 Harbour Bridge Project, he will state (a) the outcome of the bidding exercise carried out in relation thereto and (b) if the alignment of the road has now been finalized?

B/653 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 Neotown Project, he will state where matters stand as to the implementation thereof?

B/654 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Ganoo**)

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

Whether, in regard to the employees, he will state (a) the number thereof whose employment has been terminated, since the coming into force of the Employment Rights Act to date, on a yearly basis and (b) if the proposed amendments to the labour laws have now been finalized and if so, indicate when same will be introduced?

B/655 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Certificate of Primary Education, he will state where matters stand as to the implementation of the declared policy for the phasing out of the present format thereof?

B/656 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

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

Whether, in regard to the route to and from Morcellement Ghurburun, Pointe aux Sables and Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Authority, information as to if consideration will be given for the advisability of providing adequate bus services therefor during peak hours?

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Clerk of the National Assembly

Parliament House
Port Louis

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A/266 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, Minister for
Rodrigues:-*

Whether, in regard to the *Brigade des Mineurs*, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of (a) male and female Police Officers posted thereat (b) vehicles attached thereto and (c) cases involving minors handled by the Unit, on a yearly basis, over the past three years?

A/267 The Honourable First Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre
D'or (Mr Gungah)

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

Whether, in regard to the Vale and the vicinity thereof, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases of accidents thereat, over the past two years, indicating (a) the number of fatal ones and (b) if consideration will be given for speed checks to be carried out thereat?

A/268 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 Police Information and Operations Room, he will, for the benefit of the House obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand in relation to the introduction of a new PABX emergency telephone system to increase the efficiency thereof?

A/269 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Jhugroo**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Abercrombie Police Station, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand as to the (a) proposed vacation of the Police Quarters thereof which were being occupied and (b) replacement thereof by a new modern District Headquarters?

A/270 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (**Mr Nagalingum**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Police Quarters, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number thereof which need to be pulled down, indicating in each case (i) the location thereof and (ii) where matters stand as to the pulling down thereof and (b) if projects have been earmarked for the implementation on the sites thereof, and if so, give details thereof, in each case?

A/271 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill
(Mr Nagalingum)

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

Whether, in regard to the transport facilities provided to the Police Officers by the Police Transport Guardroom at 04h45 on the route Mahebourg and Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of Police Officers who benefit therefrom, since January 2012 to date?

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and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues**

A/272 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 project for the construction of a new Fire Station in Tamarin, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Government Fire Services, information as to when it will be implemented and be operational?

A/273 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mrs Radegonde)

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

Whether, in regard to the village of Bel Ombre, he will state if there is a project for the installation of sidewalks thereat, as it is being done in the vicinity thereof including the villages of St Martin and Baie du Cap?

A/274 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 Information and Communication Technology Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Authority, since 2005 to date (a) a breakdown of travel and related expenses incurred in respect of the (i) Executive Director thereof (ii) Chairperson thereof (iii) Board Directors thereof and (iv) Permanent Secretary and other officers of the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology and (b) information as to the total expenses incurred in sponsorship of events, indicating the benefits derived therefrom?

A/275 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 Mauritius Revenue Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to (a) the names, grade, qualifications and experience of the employees who have been promoted at management level since 2010 to date (b) the criteria used for determining the promotion (c) the names of the members sitting on the evaluation panel and (d) if complaints of irregularities/ unfair treatment in the carrying out of the promotion exercise have been reported, and if so, the outcome thereof?

A/276 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Central Water Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the names, address, job description and salary drawn by the employees thereof recruited, since 2010 to date?

A/277 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Central Electricity Board, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the names, address, job description and salary drawn by the employees thereof recruited, since 2010 to date?

A/278 The Honourable First Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre D'or (**Mr Gungah**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Adolphe de Plevitz State Secondary School in Grand Baie, he will state if he has been informed that the external walls thereof need to be repainted and, if so, if remedial measures will be taken?

A/279 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Housing Project at Petite Riviere, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Empowerment Foundation, information as to (a) the number of houses under construction, indicating (i) the size thereof (ii) cost thereof (b) if same will be provided with pavements and public lighting and (c) the procedure for the allocation of the houses?

A/280 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the Mont Roches and Barkly Youth Centres, he will state if same are operational, indicating (a) the number of staff attached thereto (b) the activities organized for end of the year festivities and (c) if equipment for indoor and outdoor activities are available thereat, and if so, give details thereof?

A/281 The Honourable Second Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle (**Mr Seeruttun**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Medical Unit of her Ministry, she will, since July 2007 to date (a) give a list of the medical practitioners attached thereto, indicating the (i) number of domiciliary visits effected by them to the ex-servicemen and (ii) amount of money paid thereto, on a yearly basis and (b) state the number of domiciliary visits effected by the Director thereof to the ex-servicemen, indicating the amount paid thereto?

A/282 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 Cité Martial, Port Louis, in Constituency No. 3, Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to (a) the reasons for the stoppage of the drain works being carried out at Maigrot Street at the level of House K 27, indicating if same will be resumed and extended to the level of House K30 and (b) if the pavements situated at Latanier Street, between its junction from Impasse Macao and Canal Bathurst Street, are in a bad state, indicating if same will be reinstated and canals provided thereat?

A/283 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the football playground, known as La Plaine Dragon, at Allée Tamarin, Roche Bois, he will state if he has been informed of the absence of lighting thereat depriving the inhabitants of the opportunity of playing football after sunset and, if so, indicate if consideration will be given for the installation of flood lights thereat?

R. R. Dowlutta

Clerk of the National Assembly

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