

MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**Questions of which notice has been given
Requiring an Oral Answer****Sitting of Tuesday 15 November 2016****Questions addressed to the Right Honourable Prime Minister,
Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and
National Development Unit**

B/881 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to Constituency No. 2, more specifically, in the Plaine Verte, Vallee Pitot, Tranquebar, Bangladesh and Camp Manna regions, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to whether a deterioration in the situation concerning synthetic and other drugs thereat has been observed lately and, if so, indicate (a) the extent and reasons thereof (b) the number of searches effected thereat in relation to possession and selling of synthetic and other drugs, since January 2015 to date, indicating the outcomes thereof and (c) if a correlation has been established between the said situation and the posting of Officers of the Anti-Drug Smuggling Unit?

B/882 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the Metro Express Project, he will state if any committee/company has been set up at the level of his Office to chart across the implementation thereof and, if so, indicate (a) the composition and remit thereof and (b) if any similar committee/company had been set up at the level of his Office prior to 2014 and, if so, indicate the composition and remit thereof?

B/883 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix
(Dr Sorefan)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to electoral reforms, he will state if consideration will be given for the (a) voting age to be brought down from 18 to 16 (b) tenure of office of a Prime Minister and of a Leader of the Opposition respectively to be limited to two mandates and (c) provision of the obligation of party lists to reflect gender balance in each constituency?

B/884 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central **(Mr Uteem)**

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the case reported by the Honourable Minister of Financial Services, Good Governance and Institutional Reforms against Mr G. S., Senior Adviser at the Ministry of Finance and Economic Development at the Central Criminal Investigation Department, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand as to the inquiry initiated therein?

B/885 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West **(Mr Baloomoody)**

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the provisions under the Community Service Order Act, he will state if urgent consideration will be given for the existing legislation to be amended with a view to ensuring that offenders who are convicted of sexual offences upon minors, especially, upon specified persons are not entitled to benefit therefrom?

B/886 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the proposed setting up of a Police Syndicate for Police Officers, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand, indicating when same will be operational?

B/887 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the case reported by the Honourable Minister of Financial Services, Good Governance and Institutional Reforms against Mr G. S., Senior Adviser at the Ministry of Finance and Economic Development at the Central Criminal Investigation Department (CCID), he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if Officers of the CCID landed at the residence of Mr G. S., on or about Wednesday 14 September 2016 and, if so, indicate (a) who gave instructions therefor, giving details thereof (b) the reasons therefor and (c) if the officers involved therein have been transferred and, if so, indicate (i) since when and (ii) the reasons therefor?

B/888 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the death of Police Constable A. H. at the Moka Detention Centre on 29 October 2016, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) who is conducting the inquiry thereinto and (b) if a video and/or photographic recording of the body in the cell prior to the removal thereof is available?

B/889 The Honourable Third Member for Piton and Rivière du Rempart
(Mr Rutnah)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the place called *Green Space*, found in the vicinity of the Gandhi Square, in Rivière du Rempart, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Development Unit, information as to (a) when the said project was implemented and (b) if same is vested in the Rivière du Rempart District Council and, if so, since when?

B/890 The Honourable First Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (Mr Sesungkur)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to security within the national maritime zone, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the systems presently in place for the monitoring of the activities thereat, indicating if they are adequate, indicating the number of (a) coast guard stations available and respective location thereof and (b) coast guards posted thereat?

B/891 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Ganoo)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to Mr M. P., former Chief Executive Officer of Air Mauritius Ltd., he will state if, prior to the revocation thereof, he had been informed of the intention of the Board of Air Mauritius Ltd. to proceed therewith, indicating if consideration will be given for the reconstitution of the Board of Air Mauritius Ltd.?

B/892 The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Jhugroo**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the auto cycles/motorcycles, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number thereof which have been booked for failing to wear reflective jackets over the past three years, division-wise, indicating if additional measures will be taken to address this issue?

B/893 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Lesjongard**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to drug trafficking, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of Police and Prison Officers respectively who have been arrested since January 2016 to date in relation thereto, indicating the number thereof who have been suspended from duty?

B/894 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Lesjongard**)

To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit –

Whether, in regard to the proposed electoral reform in Rodrigues, he will state if (a) he has received representations from the Rodrigues political parties and the civil society respectively and (b) additional consultations will be held prior to the proposed amendments in relation thereto being introduced in the Assembly?

Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other
than to the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence,
Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development Unit

B/895 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)
*To ask the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry and Food
Security –*

Whether, in regard to the district of Rivière du Rempart, he will state if an updated survey report of the location of wet lands thereat is available and, if not, why not?

B/896 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)
*To ask the Honourable Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional
Integration and International Trade –*

Whether, in regard to the Agenda 2063 Treaty, he will state where matters stand as to the ratification thereof by the Republic of Mauritius?

B/897 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)
*To ask the Honourable Minister of Technology, Communication
and Innovation –*

Whether, in regard to the five major initiatives undertaken during the financial year ended 30 June 2016 for the promotion of a culture of innovation in mainland Mauritius and in Rodrigues respectively, he will state where matters stand?

B/898 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)
*To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Housing
and Lands –*

Whether, in regard to asbestos, he will state the initiatives that will be taken during the current financial year for the elimination thereof from the ex-CHA housing units?

B/899 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the recent ranking in “Doing Business 2017” of the World Bank, wherein the Republic of Mauritius lost 17 places falling from the 32nd to the 49th position over one year, he will state the reasons therefor, indicating the measures that are being envisaged to prevent further downgrading?

B/900 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Financial Services, Good Governance and Institutional Reforms –

Whether, in regard to the Heritage City Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from Heritage City Co. Ltd., a breakdown of the total amount of money spent for consultancy services as at to date, indicating the outstanding amount thereof, if any, and the last due date for the payment thereof?

B/901 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (**Dr Sorefan**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Financial Services, Good Governance and Institutional Reforms –

Whether, in regard to the State Insurance Company of Mauritius Ltd., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to if any officer of the Director of Public Prosecutions’ Office had been the legal adviser thereof over the period 2005 to 2012 and, if so, indicate the quantum of the fees paid thereto?

B/902 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (**Dr Sorefan**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –

Whether, in regard to the construction of the Bagatelle and of the Midlands dams, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to the (i) analytical content and origin of the rocks thereof and (ii) life expectancy thereof and (b) table the professional consultancy reports thereof?

B/903 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix
(Dr Sorefan)

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

Whether, in regard to the recent outbreak of the salmonella infection in poultry breeding, he will state (a) if an inquiry was set up immediately after he was informed thereof, indicating the outcome thereof (b) the present hygienic conditions in which poultry breeding is being carried out and (c) the steps taken to prevent the recurrence thereof?

B/904 The Honourable First 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 contract for the supply of Liquefied Petroleum Gas for the period October 2016 to September 2017, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the State Trading Corporation, information as to the (a) name of the successful bidder therefor (b) value thereof and (c) procurement method used for the allocation thereof?

B/905 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central
(Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Maubank Ltd., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the amount of debt earmarked for the financial year ended 30 June 2016 for (a) full write off and (b) partial write off, indicating in each case, the justification therefor?

B/906 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central
(Mr Uteem)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the financial assistance received from the Government of Saudi Arabia and from the United Arab Emirates respectively for 2015 and 2016, he will state the (a) quantum thereof (b) nature and terms and conditions thereof and (c) use made thereof?

B/907 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Quirin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –

Whether, in regard to the *l'après carrière* of high level athletes, he will state where matters stand in respect of the Centre for Excellence in Sports, as announced in the Budget Speech 2016-2017?

B/908 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Quirin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –

Whether, in regard to the participation of Mauritius in the last Olympic Games held in Rio, he will state if a report has been made pertaining to the (a) performances of our athletes and (b) responsibilities and behavior of members of the delegation and, if not, why not?

B/909 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Quirin)

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

Whether, in regard to the XV^e Colloque VIH Océan Indien held in Madagascar in September last, he will state if Mauritius participated therein and, if so, indicate the outcome thereof and, if not, why not?

B/910 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (Mr Ameer Meea)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Financial Services, Good Governance and Institutional Reforms –

Whether, in regard to the Super Cash Back Gold Policies of the former BAI Co. (Mtius) Ltd., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Property Fund Ltd., information as to (a) the number of holders, including foreigners, who have not yet been repaid (b) where matters stand as to the recovery of money, indicating the amount thereof (i) recovered as at to date and (ii) forecasted to be recovered and (c) when and how the repayment for Option 1 and Option 2 in relation thereto will be effected, indicating if any certificate will be issued in relation thereto?

B/911 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Financial Services, Good Governance and Institutional Reforms –

Whether, in regard to the Insurance Industry Compensation Fund, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Financial Services Commission, information as to the (a) amount of funds collected therein since the inception thereof to date (b) number of persons who have benefitted therefrom and (c) quantum of money payable to the beneficiaries thereof?

B/912 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the Oil Refinery Project at Albion, he will state when application was received from New Shore Resources Ltd. for the allocation of State land therefor, indicating (a) the name of the promoter/s thereof (b) the extent of land applied for (c) the date approval was granted, giving details as to the date of the issue of the letter of reservation, indicating the terms and conditions thereof and table copy thereof (d) if the project was recommended by the Board of Investment and, if so, table copy of the recommendation letter including the terms and conditions contained therein (e) the status thereof and (f) the implementation schedule thereof?

B/913 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the overseas missions effected by Dr R. B. and by Mr R. R. D., respectively Chairperson and General Manager of the State Trading Corporation, since their appointment to date, he will, for the benefit of the House, in each case, obtain from the Corporation, information as to the (a) countries visited, purpose and duration thereof (b) cost of the air ticket, indicating the travel agency from which same was purchased and how the said agency was selected (c) quantum of *per diem* and other allowances granted thereto and (d) if the said missions had been approved by his good self?

B/914 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to his recent official visit to India, he will state the composition of the delegation thereof, indicating in the case of Mr P. M., Senior Adviser at the Prime Minister's Office (a) the capacity in which he formed part thereof (b) who paid his air ticket, *per diem* and other allowances, if any, in relation thereto (c) who approved his participation therein and (d) if he travelled with a diplomatic passport and, if so, who recommended accordingly?

B/915 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Heritage City Project, he will state the total amount spent by Government in relation thereto as at to date, giving details of the (a) total costs of the overseas missions effected by Honourable Ministers and Government officials in relation thereto and (b) quantum of fees payable/paid to (i) international and local consultants and (ii) legal advisers and other expenditure incurred in respect thereof, if any?

B/916 The Honourable Third Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Fowdar)

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

Whether, in regard to Avastin, he will state the number of patients who have been victims thereof and who have lost their eyesight, since 2010 to date, indicating if (a) consideration will be given for the payment of compensation thereto and (b) the use thereof has been banned in Mauritius?

B/917 The Honourable Third Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Fowdar)

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

Whether, in regard to Betamax Ltd., he will state if Government has proposed any sum thereto as an amicable settlement for the termination of the contract thereof?

B/918 The Honourable Third Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Fowdar)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport –

Whether, in regard to road accidents, he will state where matters stand as to the proposed amendments to be introduced to the existing legislation with a view to curbing drink and drive offences?

B/919 The Honourable Third Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Fowdar)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport –

Whether, in regard to the contract van permits, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Authority, information as to (a) the number (i) thereof allocated since January 2015 to date, indicating in each case the names and addresses thereof and (ii) of applications pending as at to date and (b) if the eligibility criteria for the allocation thereof has been altered?

B/920 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (Mr Jahangeer)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –

Whether, in regard to the implementation of the Bagatelle Dam Water Treatment Plant Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to where matters stand?

B/921 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (**Mr Jahangeer**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –

Whether, in regard to the contract of the Independent Power Producers from sugar estates, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board (CEB), information as to (a) if same have been renewed and, if so, indicate the terms and conditions thereof and (b) where matters stand as to the negotiations with regard to the Power Purchase Agreement between ALTEO and the CEB?

B/922 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (**Mr Jahangeer**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –

Whether, in regard to the proposed construction of a stadium at Tyack, he will state where matters stand?

B/923 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (**Mr Jahangeer**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations, Employment and Training –

Whether, in regard to the expatriates, he will state the (a) maximum number of years they are allowed to work in Mauritius and (b) measures taken to monitor the period of employment thereof?

B/924 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research –

Whether, in regard to the School Certificate and the High School Certificate examination fees respectively for the year 2016, she will state (a) the number of candidates who sat therefor who (i) will have to effect payment thereof and (ii) have submitted medical certificates in order to satisfy the present requirements and (b) if consideration will be given to dispense the candidates from having to refund same?

B/925 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Aliphon)

To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism and External Communications –

Whether, in regard to the proposal to have a special desk for the taxis licensed to operate at the hotel stands, he will state where matters stand?

B/926 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Aliphon)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –

Whether he will state if he is in presence of a petition signed by the inhabitants of Impasse Belvédère, 5th Mile, in Beau Bassin, for the provision of an adequate sewerage system thereat and, if so, indicate if consideration is being given thereto?

B/927 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Aliphon)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport –

Whether, in regard to the junction of the roads coming from St Martin/Bambous/Albion/Petite Rivière, he will state if consideration will be given for traffic lights to be installed thereat, having regard to the traffic jams occurring in the morning and in the evening thereat on a daily basis?

B/928 The Honourable Third Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Jhuboo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Ocean Economy, Marine Resources, Fisheries, Shipping and Outer Islands –

Whether, in regard to the proposed 1.7 billion rupees worth investment in the aquaculture sector, as announced in the last budget speech, and the 33 sites that have been identified in respect thereof, he will give a list of the projects earmarked for implementation thereat, indicating the respective location thereof?

B/929 The Honourable Third Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Jhuboo)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the proposed implementation of a hotel project in the region of Pomponette and St Felix, he will state where matters stand?

B/930 The Honourable Third Member for Piton and Rivière du Rempart
(Mr Rutnah)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations, Employment and Training –

Whether, in regard to the public sector, he will state the (a) number of posts created over the period 2005 to 2010, 2010 to 2014 and 2014 to date respectively, indicating the number of recruits sector-wise and (b) expected number of posts to be created by the year 2018?

B/931 The Honourable Third Member for Piton and Rivière du Rempart
(Mr Rutnah)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Loan Scheme for the Acquisition of Computers of the Development Bank of Mauritius Ltd., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Bank, information as to the (a) total quantum of the loans granted since the introduction thereof to date and (b) number of debtors in respect thereof, indicating the (i) total amount of money in arrears and (ii) actions taken for the recovery thereof, if any?

B/932 The Honourable First Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East **(Mr Sesungkur)**

To ask the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Mauritius Housing Company Ltd., the National Housing Development Company Ltd., the Mutual Civil Service Mutual Aid Association Ltd. and the Co-operative Credit Unions, he will state if these institutions carry out deposit taking activities and, if so, indicate (a) if they are subject to the supervision of the Bank of Mauritius and (b) how the interests of the depositors thereat are protected?

B/933 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

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

Whether, in regard to Article 4 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child, she will state if consideration will be given for the introduction of proposed amendments to the Juvenile Offenders Act to ensure that Mauritius complies therewith, indicating the other appropriate administrative measures taken, if any, in the same direction?

B/934 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)

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

Whether, in regard to the problem of food wastage, he will state if consideration will now be given for the carrying out of a study in relation thereto with a view to taking a decision as to the possibility of introducing a legal framework to address same?

B/935 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the ex-CHA housing units at Richelieu which are in dilapidated states and still occupied, he will state where matters stand as to the proposed pulling down and replacement thereof, following a recent visit thereof of officers of his Ministry?

B/936 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)

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

Whether, in regard to the public hospitals, he will give a list of the caterers for the supply of meals to the patients thereof, indicating in each case the (a) annual contract value thereof and (b) date of signature thereof?

B/937 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the precious historical documents and publications being damaged, many beyond repair, found at the National Library and at other public historical and cultural databanks, he will state if measures are being taken for the safeguard thereof and, if so, give details thereof and if not, why not?

B/938 The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (**Dr Joomaye**)

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

Whether, in regard to the former Appollo Bramwell Hospital, he will state the number of (a) beds available thereat and (b) medical, paramedical and support staff in post thereat?

B/939 The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (**Dr Joomaye**)

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

Whether, in regard to the recruitment of preregistered doctors, he will state the (a) time frame for the next intake thereof and (b) number thereof to be recruited?

B/940 The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (**Dr Joomaye**)

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

Whether, in regard to Diabetes Type 1, he will state the (a) present number of pediatric cases thereof and (b) general strategy of his Ministry for the prevention, education and treatment thereof?

B/941 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

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

Whether, in regard to the plots of State land in the region of St Hubert, he will state the number thereof which have been allocated for the carrying out of agricultural activities, indicating (a) the extent thereof in each case and (b) if the beneficiaries thereof have been issued with their respective lease agreement and, if not, why not?

B/942 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment –

Whether, in regard to the National Social Register, he will (a) state the eligibility criteria for registration thereon and (b) give a list of the offices where registration is being carried out therefor, country-wise?

B/943 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the Right Management Society, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the mechanism put in place for the distribution of royalties for the end of year 2016, indicating the formula applicable therefor?

B/944 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Local Government –

Whether, in regard to the low grades posts at the Municipal Council of Port Louis, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Council, a list of the new recruits therefor, indicating in each case the (a) residential address and (b) age thereof?

B/945 The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Jhugroo**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport –

Whether, in regard to the roundabouts situated along the M1, M2 and M3 Motorways respectively, he will state if (a) Traffic Impact Assessments are carried out thereat/in the vicinity thereof, especially, having regard to the present number of road accidents occurring thereat (b) they meet the established international norms and (c) modifications to the original layout thereof are being envisaged and, if so, give details thereof?

B/946 The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Jhugroo**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport –

Whether, in regard to the bus route 137, Curepipe-Carreau Acacia, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Authority, information as to if consideration will be given for a re-engineering thereof for the benefit of the travellers and of the bus operators thereof and, if so, when and, if not, why not?

B/947 The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Jhugroo**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –

Whether, in regard to the Plein Bois region, in Constituency No. 12, Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien, he will state if consideration will be given for the setting up of a football playground thereat and, if so, when and, if not, why not?

B/948 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Lesjongard**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to the public beaches found in the regions of St Félix and of Bel Ombre, he will state the extent thereof having been de-proclaimed, indicating the reasons therefor?

B/949 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Lesjongard)

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

Whether, in regard to the Mauritian tea, he will state if he has received complaints from consumers concerning the scarcity thereof on the local market and, if so, indicate if remedial measures will be taken in relation thereto?

B/950 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Quirin)

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

Whether, in regard to the public hospitals, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Pharmacy Board, information as to the quality control procedures carried out to ensure that only safe pharmaceutical products are dispensed thereat, indicating if the same procedures are carried out with regard to the pharmaceutical products dispensed in private pharmacies?

Bibi Safeena Lotun (Mrs)
Clerk of the National Assembly

Parliament House
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MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**Question of which notice has been given****Not Requiring an Oral Answer****Sitting of Tuesday 15 November 2016****Question addressed to the Right Honourable Prime Minister,
Minister of Defence, Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and
National Development Unit**

A/38 The Honourable Third Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Jhuboo)

*To ask the Right Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence,
Home Affairs, Minister for Rodrigues and National Development
Unit –*

**Whether, in regard to the black road in the village of Tamarin, he
will state if consideration will be given for the rehabilitation
thereof?**

Bibi Safeena Lotun (Mrs)
Clerk of the National Assembly

**Parliament House
Port Louis**

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