

MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**Questions of which notice has been given****Requiring an Oral Answer****Sitting of Tuesday 23 April 2019****Questions addressed to the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development**

B/213 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the public bodies, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Procurement Policy Office/Central Procurement Board, information as to the number of requests received therefrom for the debarment of suppliers, contractors and service providers from eligibility to bid for contracts therefor, since April 2017 to date and table the list thereof, indicating in each case the reasons therefor?

B/214 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the next Pay Research Bureau Report, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Pay Research Bureau, information as to where matters stand as to the preparation thereof, including consultations with the Trade Unions/Representative of Employees and (b) state if consideration will be given for the payment of additional increments, pending the publication thereof and, if so, when and, if not, why not?

B/215 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Perraud**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to each of the projects implemented by the National Development Unit in relation to the flood prone areas in Constituency No. 4, Port Louis North and Montagne Longue, since January 2015 to date, he will state the cost and completion dates thereof?

B/216 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Corruption Perceptions Index 2018 published by Transparency International, he will state if he has taken cognizance thereof, including, the ranking of Mauritius therein?

B/217 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Quirin**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the proposed implementation of the Rehabilitation Programme for Alcoholics and Drug Addicts, as announced in the Budget Speech 2018-2019, he will state where matters stand?

B/218 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Advisers on Information Matters appointed to each Ministry on a contract basis since 2015 to date, he will give the list thereof, indicating, in each case the qualifications and terms and conditions of appointment thereof?

B/219 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the composition of the Board thereof, indicating the (i) date and terms and conditions of appointment of the Chairperson and members thereof and (ii) number of Board meetings held in 2018 and since January 2019 to date and (b) state if any amendment to the Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation Act is envisaged with regard to the functioning thereof?

B/220 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Armance)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Task Force set up to look into the recommendations of the Report of the Commission of Inquiry on Drug Trafficking in Mauritius, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to where matters stand as to the work progress thereof?

B/221 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands
(Ms Sewocksingh)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Pravasi Bharatiya Divas Convention held in January 2019, he will state the quantum of sponsorship obtained from Air Mauritius Ltd., if any, and the cost borne by Government to secure the attendance of Honourable Members thereto, giving the list of the Honourable Members who benefitted therefrom?

B/222 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River
(**Mr Ganoo**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the mandatory requirement for the declaration of community appurtenance of candidates to a general election pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution of the Republic of Mauritius, he will state the measures Government proposes to take in order to allow candidates not to declare their community at the next general election in line with the Views of the Human Rights Committee under article 5, of the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (105th session) of 2012?

B/223 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Mauritian citizenship, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Passport and Immigration Officer, information as to the number of applications received for the granting thereof since January 2015 to date, indicating the number thereof which have been (a) successful and (b) rejected, indicating the reasons therefor?

B/224 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Use of Delegated Powers of Appointment from the Public Service Commission to recruit, he will state if consideration will be given for (a) the commissioning of an independent inquiry into the irregularities highlighted by the National Audit Office in its last report with regard to recruitments by the Ministry of Health and Quality of Life thereunder and (b) a review thereof?

B/225 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the proposed Scheme of obtaining Mauritius Citizenship or Mauritius Passport in exchange of contribution to a Mauritius Sovereign Fund, as announced in the Budget Speech 2018-2019, he will state where matters stand as to the implementation thereof?

B/226 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Dr Boolell**)

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development –

Whether, in regard to the Commission of the Prerogative of Mercy, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the number of meetings held, since January 2019 to date?

Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other than to the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development

B/227 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Rughoobur**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Polytechnics Mauritius Ltd., she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the student intake thereat over the past 24 months, indicating the number of seats available on courses offered thereat over the same period?

B/228 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)

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

Whether, in regard to the Polytechnics Mauritius Ltd., she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the number of loans contracted as at to date, indicating in each case the (a) quantum (b) terms and conditions and (c) outstanding amount thereof?

B/229 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)

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

Whether, in regard to the Private Secondary Education Authority, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the (a) total amount of funds disbursed to private secondary schools over the past financial year and (b) number of inspectors recruited thereat over the past 36 months?

B/230 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or
(Mr Rughoobur)

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

Whether, in regard to the Higher Education Commission, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the composition of the Board thereof, indicating the mechanism put in place to ensure the dispensation of quality education at tertiary level?

B/231 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Mr Osman Mahomed)

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

Whether, in regard to job creation, he will state the number thereof in 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 in the private sector, respectively, excluding persons attending training schemes and employed under the Youth Employment Programme?

B/232 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Food and Agricultural Research and Extension Institute, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the number of employees (a) recruited thereat since January 2015 to date and (b) proposed for recruitment until the end of the year?

B/233 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

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

Whether, in regard to the works being carried in connection with the Metro Express Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain a list of the utilities works undertaken indicating in each case the (a) contract value thereof and (b) names of selected contractors therefor and total amount paid thereto as at to date?

B/234 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade –

Whether, in regard to the Terre Rouge/Verdun Link Road, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to where matters stand as to the complete rehabilitation thereof, indicating (a) when same will be fully operational and (b) the variation costs thereof, if any?

B/235 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Right Honourable Minister Mentor, Minister of Defence, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the Safe City Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the expenditure incurred in relation thereto as at to date?

B/236 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands –

Whether, in regard to social housing, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Housing Development Company Ltd., information as to the number of units thereof constructed and delivered, region-wise and category-wise, since May 2018 to date, indicating the total cost thereof?

B/237 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Perraud**)

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

Whether, in regard to the students, she will state the number thereof having dropped out from school before the age of 16, since January 2017 to date, indicating the reasons therefor?

B/238 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Perraud**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands, Minister of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare –

Whether, in regard to children, she will state the reported number thereof having sexually been abused by a family member, since January 2017 to date?

B/239 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Perraud**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands, Minister of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare –

Whether, in regard to the shelters, she will state where matters stand as to the implementation of the recommendations contained in the Fact-Finding Committee on Residential Care Institutions/Shelters for Children Report 2015?

B/240 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

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

Whether, in regard to the advisers attached to his Ministry since 2015 to date, he will state the names thereof, indicating in each case the (a) qualifications (b) terms and conditions of appointment, including remuneration and benefits drawn and (c) number of overseas missions undertaken, indicating the aggregate costs thereof?

B/241 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

To ask the Right Honourable Minister Mentor, Minister of Defence, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to investigations into drug offences, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, for each of the years 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and since January 2019 to date, information as to the number of phone lines that have been tapped and bank accounts placed under surveillance?

B/242 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 Youth Service Programme, he will state the number of young persons employed thereunder since the coming into operation thereof to date, indicating the number thereof having secured employment thereafter?

B/243 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Quirin**)

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

Whether, in regard to breast and cervical cancer, he will state where matters stand as to the proposed purchase of a full-fledge mobile caravan to promote early detection thereof, as announced in the Budget Speech 2018-2019?

B/244 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Quirin)

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

Whether, in regard to the Social Register of Mauritius, he will state the number of families and individuals listed thereunder for the years 2017 and 2018, region-wise, indicating the amount of funds disbursed therefor and eligibility criteria to benefit thereunder?

B/245 The Honourable Third Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Jhuboo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Security, National Solidarity, and Environment and Sustainable Development –

Whether, in regard to the proposed dredging of the Savanne River, in Surinam, in the vicinity of *Moulin Cassée*, he will state where matters stand?

B/246 The Honourable Third Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Jhuboo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Security, National Solidarity, and Environment and Sustainable Development –

Whether, in regard to the Bel Ombre Village, he will state where matters stand as to the construction of drains thereat, especially, following the recent flooding thereof?

B/247 The Honourable Third Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Jhuboo)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to *Moulin Cassée*, in Surinam Village, in the vicinity of the Savanne River, he will state if consideration will be given for the proclamation thereof as a national heritage site?

B/248 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Abbas Mamode**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands, Minister of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare –

Whether, in regard to drains, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the local authorities, information as to the measures taken for the maintenance thereof, especially, in flood prone areas, indicating the number and types of pumps available for use during floods?

B/249 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Abbas Mamode**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade –

Whether, in regard to drains and pavements, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to the number thereof built since 2015 to date, especially, in flood prone areas?

B/250 The Honourable Second Member for Vacoas and Floreal (**Mr Baboo**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Biology, Chemistry and Physics subjects, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Examinations Syndicate, information as to the pass rates thereof at the Cambridge School Certificate Examinations over the past four years?

B/251 The Honourable Second Member for Vacoas and Floreal (**Mr Baboo**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Tourism –

Whether, in regard to Pleasure Crafts Licences, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Tourism Authority, information as to the number thereof issued, since July 2017 to date?

B/252 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Bhagwan)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –

Whether, in regard to the film entitled Serenity, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Film Development Corporation, information as to the (a) overseas missions undertaken by the Corporation in relation thereto, giving details thereof (b) facilities given to the promoters thereof and (c) date of release thereof, indicating if the Corporation was represented at the launching ceremony thereof?

B/253 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière
(Mr Bhagwan)

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

Whether, in regard to the Poten and Partners Report on the Liquefied Natural Gas Project, he will state the total amount of funds disbursed for the commissioning thereof as at to date, giving details of the disbursements effected?

B/254 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (Mr Ramful)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Technology, Communication and Innovation –

Whether, in regard to the School Net II Project for secondary institutions, he will state (a) the contract value thereof, indicating the amount paid to the contractor (b) if the telecommunication tests thereof have been effected, indicating if the project has been completed and (c) if liquidated damages are due by the contractors and, if so, indicate the amount thereof and the amount recovered, if any, and, if not, why not?

B/255 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (Mr Ramful)

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

Whether, in regard to the Project for the Supply and Commissioning of 23,400 Tablets to Form IV Students and Educators, she will state (a) the contract value thereof and (b) where matters stand as to the case entered in court in relation thereto?

- B/256 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Ramful**)
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research –*
- Whether, in regard to the project for the construction and extension of schools premises in the wake of the implementation of the Nine Year Continuous Basic Education, she will state (a) the total project value thereof (b) the name of the contractors thereof and (c) if the projects have been completed within the specified contractual periods and, if not, indicate the remedial actions taken, if any?**
- B/257 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Ramful**)
- To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –*
- Whether, in regard to the Workmen’s class/lower grades at his Ministry, he will state the number thereof recruited thereat under delegated powers since 2015 to date, indicating the recruitment procedure followed and if same complied with the provisions of the recruitment framework?**
- B/258 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment –*
- Whether, in regard to the construction of fully concrete social housing units, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Empowerment Foundation, information as to the types thereof constructed and delivered over the periods 2017-2018 and 2018-2019, respectively (a) giving the list of the beneficiaries, region-wise (b) cost of individual units and (c) on-going projects thereof?**
- B/259 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)
- To ask the Right Honourable Minister Mentor, Minister of Defence, Minister for Rodrigues –*
- Whether, in regard to the Police Stations, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand as to the procurement of CCTV cameras for installation thereat, indicating the (a) number thereof that has been equipped therewith and (b) installation cost?**

B/260 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)

To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands, Minister of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare –

Whether, in regard to Richelieu, she will state the (a) remedial actions taken by her Ministry following recent flooding thereat, particularly, in front of the CMT and the main road thereat and (b) ongoing project for the prevention of flood thereat?

B/261 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (**Ms Sewocksingh**)

To ask 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 number of employees thereof employed on contract, indicating the number thereof employed for more that 24 continuous months, indicating if consideration will be given for the employment thereof on permanent establishment in accordance with the law?

B/262 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (**Ms Sewocksingh**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Fashion and Design Institute, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to (a) the number of Officers-in-Charge appointed by the Board thereof or recommended by his Ministry since 2015 to date (b) the number of attempts to recruit a director thereof, indicating the reasons for failure in each case (c) if there was any call for interview for the post of Officer-in-Charge thereat and (d) the grounds on which the former Chairperson and Officer-in-Charge were appointed, indicating the quantum of remuneration and allowances drawn?

B/263 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands
(Ms Sewocksingh)

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

Whether, in regard to the proposed implementation of the Waste to Energy Project, he will state where matters stand?

B/264 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Ganoo)

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

Whether, in regard to recruitment in his Ministry under delegated powers over the period 2015 to 2018, he will state (a) the number of officers recruited in different grades (b) if he has taken note of the comments made by the Director of Audit in her report for financial year 01 July 2017 to June 2018 regarding non-compliance with recruitment procedures and (c) the measures his Ministry proposes to take to ensure transparency in the recruitment process?

B/265 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River
(Mr Ganoo)

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

Whether, in regard to the bad weather allowance, he will state the total number of fishers eligible and registered therefor, indicating (a) the quantum thereof payable per fisher per day (b) the number of days same was paid since 2015 to 2018, on a yearly basis, indicating the total amount paid and (c) if consideration will be given for a review thereof in view of the minimum wage and the annual increase of pensions and other allowances and salary compensations?

B/266 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (Mr Baloomoody)

To ask the Right Honourable Minister Mentor, Minister of Defence, Minister for Rodrigues –

Whether, in regard to the acquisition of cellular portable radios make Huawei EP 820, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the (a) procurement procedure followed therefor (b) number of bidders therefor and the price quoted by each bidder and (c) cost of each radio?

B/267 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Security, National Solidarity, and Environment and Sustainable Development –

Whether, in regard to the fire outbreak at La Tour Koenig on or about 10 April 2019, he will state the actions, if any, taken by his Ministry to ensure that the inhabitants in the vicinity thereof are not affected by air pollution and that all the factories thereat are operating in compliance with the Environment Impact Assessment Certificate issued thereto?

B/268 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

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

Whether, in regard to Mr E. G., foreign national operating a financial international and national business at La Croisette, Grand Baie, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Financial Services Commission, information as to if it is in presence of information to the effect that the latter and/or the latter's French company is being sued in France by about 800 clients for failure to be paid their returns on investments, and, if so, indicate if appropriate measures will be taken to secure the financial activities thereof in Mauritius?

B/269 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Dr Boolell**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade –

Whether, in regard to the roads in Berthaud and the one from Cremation Road to Corps de Garde Road, in Quatre Bornes he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to if same will be reinstated and, if so, when?

- B/270 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Security, National Solidarity, and Environment and Sustainable Development –*
- Whether, in regard to the explosion of a container containing 21.6 tons of sodium hydroxide at the CMT factory, at La Tour Koenig, on or about 10 April 2019, he will state (a) the causes, magnitude and detailed environmental impact thereof and (b) if a mobile testing machine has monitored the air in the region and, if so, indicate the results thereof?**
- B/271 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)
- To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –*
- Whether, in regard to potable water, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, a detailed account of the current volumes thereof stored in each of the reservoirs, indicating the estimated volumes thereof until the end of this year?**
- B/272 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Dr Boolell**)
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Financial Services and Good Governance –*
- Whether, in regard to the Deemed Foreign Tax Credit, he will state if Mauritius and the European Union have held discussions in relation thereto?**

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