

**MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY****Questions of which notice has been given****Requiring an Oral Answer****Sitting of Tuesday 22 May 2018****Questions addressed to the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, Minister of Finance and Economic Development**

B/418 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 guarantee given by Government to the loan contracted by Mauritius Telecom with EXIM Bank of China for the implementation of the Safe City Project of the Mauritius Police Force, he will state the terms and conditions thereof?**

B/419 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

*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 one Mr P. R. M. G., a French national, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Economic Development Board, information as to if the latter has been issued with an occupation permit and (b) state if he is aware that the latter has been convicted twice by a French court of justice for swindling to the detriment of *Pole Emploi*, a French public institution, and, if so, indicate if consideration will be given for the revocation of the occupation permit?**

B/420 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 Build Mauritius Fund, he will, for the benefit for the House, obtain therefrom, since April 2017 to date, information as to the (a) amount of funds (i) contributed thereto from the price of diesel and petrol by the State Trading Corporation and (ii) disbursed therefrom, indicating the amount thereof available therein as at to date and (b) projects (i) undertaken and (ii) earmarked for implementation thereunder?**

B/421 The Honourable Fifth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Lepoigneur**)

*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 projects implemented and ongoing by the National Development Unit in Constituency No. 20, Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière since March 2016 to date, he will state the (a) names of the (i) contractors and (ii) unsuccessful bidders therefor and (b) amount of funds paid for completed works?**

B/422 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Ramful**)

*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 Smart City Schemes, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Revenue Authority, information as to the number of tax incentives granted thereto, indicating the amount of revenue forgone or estimated to be forgone in terms of exemption from the payment of Income Tax, Value Added Tax, Customs Duty and Land Conversion Tax by the companies that have already started construction thereunder?**

B/423 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Ramful**)

*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 Maubank Co. Ltd, he will state if he has taken cognizance of the financial statement thereof for the period ending December 2017 and, if so, for the benefit of the House (a) table copy thereof and (b) obtain therefrom, information as to the reasons for the operating loss thereof over the said period?**

B/424 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 state if he has received representations from staff members thereof in relation to the recent appointment of the Acting Director General thereof and, if so, indicate the actions taken in relation thereto, if any?**

B/425 The Honourable Fourth Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

*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 artisanal fishers, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Development Bank of Mauritius Ltd, information as to if consideration will be given for the writing-off of the loans thereof contracted for the purchase of boats and, if not, alternatively consider taking up measures to help those encountering difficulties to honour their loan repayment instalments?**

B/426 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 Mauritius Police Force, he will state if there exists a Special Security Unit thereof above the Special Security Service Unit within the National Security Department which reports directly to his Office and, if so, indicate the reasons therefor?**

B/427 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 bank notes, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Bank of Mauritius, information as to the (a) number of detected cases of fake ones having been in circulation since 2015 to date, indicating in each case, the total sum involved and (b) means available by the Bank to ensure the security thereof?**

B/428 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 taxation, he will state if Government is considering revisiting the policy thereof, indicating if the introduction of the regressive system is being envisaged?**

B/429 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 public sector debt, he will state if Mauritius is committed to report to the International Monetary Fund in relation thereto on the basis of a broaden IMF definition under the Special Data Dissemination Standards Plus?**

**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/430 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Introduction of Information Technology in Secondary Schools Project, she will state (a) where matters stand as to the proposed procurement of 23,400 tablets initially intended for distribution to Form IV students in 2014 and subsequently postponed for 2016 and (b) if any evaluation of WIFI connection in secondary schools has been conducted and, if so, indicate the outcome thereof, including, if the supplier thereof has complied with its contractual obligations?**

B/431 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the allocation of seats to Grade 7 in 2018 for pupils of the 2017 Primary School Achievement Certificate, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Examinations Syndicate, information as to the number of applications received for transfer of allocated Regional Secondary School in each educational zone, indicating the percentage of transfers having been effected as per the requests of the respective responsible parties?**

B/432 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Osman Mahomed**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the post of Executive Director for Polytechnics Mauritius Ltd., she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Company, information as to if the recruitment thereof has been advertised and, if so, when, indicating the (a) number of applications received as at closing date and (b) proposed date for filling thereof?**

B/433 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Rughoobur**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Financial Services Commission, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the (a) composition of the Board thereof and (b) number of staff recruited thereat on contract for each of the years 2015, 2016 and 2017?**

B/434 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Rughoobur**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the financial services sector, he will state the budget earmarked for the promotion thereof for financial year 2017-2018, indicating the institution entrusted with the responsibility therefor?**

B/435 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Rughoobur**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the National Productivity Competitiveness Council, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the (a) composition thereof and (b) initiatives undertaken to enhance the productivity level in Mauritius, since 2016 to date?**

B/436 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 companies directly or indirectly owned and controlled by Mr A. S., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Financial Services Commission, information as to the number thereof to which the Commission has issued licences, indicating in each case the (a) type of licence issued and (b) cases in which the licence has been suspended or revoked and the reasons therefor?**

B/437 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 related companies of the BAI Co. (Mtius) Limited which have been put into liquidation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Special Administrator thereof, information as to the (a) name and terms of appointment of the liquidator thereof, indicating if he is in anyway related to the Special Administrator and (b) value of the aggregate assets and liabilities thereof as at to date?**

B/438 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture –*

**Whether, in regard to the contracts for air transport and accommodation for Hajj pilgrims this year in Makkah and Madina, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Islamic Cultural Centre (a) information as to the (i) procedures followed for the selection thereof and (ii) amount paid or to be paid in relation thereto and (b) table copy of the agreements relating thereto?**

B/439 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Uteem**)

*To ask the Honourable the Attorney-General, Minister of Justice, Human Rights and Institutional Reforms –*

**Whether, in regard to the proposed introduction of a Sexual Offences Bill in the House, he will state where matters stand?**

B/440 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Corporate Social Responsibility, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Corporate Social Responsibility Foundation, information as to the amount of money collected and disbursed for financial year ending 30 June 2016 and 30 June 2017, respectively, giving the list of (a) organisations (b) projects funded and (c) category of the beneficiaries thereof as per the new guidelines?**

B/441 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 –*

**Whether, in regard to holders of the Learner's Licence for motorcycles, he will state if (a) they are subject to roads restriction and (b) consideration will be given for lower tariffs to be applicable to those having failed the exams and needing to follow further courses?**

B/442 The Honourable Second 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 stray dogs, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Society for Animal Welfare, information as to the number of complaints received as to the number thereof on the public roads and places since January 2017 to date, indicating the (a) number of catching exercises carried out and the outcome thereof and (b) additional measures, if any, that will be taken to address the problem?**

B/443 The Honourable Fifth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Lepoigneur**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –*

**Whether, in regard to Mr J. M. S., former adviser at his Ministry, he will state the terms and conditions of the contract of appointment, qualifications and experience thereof?**

B/444 The Honourable Fifth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Lepoigneur**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Beau Bassin roundabout, he will state if a Traffic Impact Assessment has been carried out to assess the impact of additional traffic likely to be generated thereat in the wake of the implementation of the Metro Express Project?**



B/445 The Honourable Third Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Ramful**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the mechanism for the determination of the price of molasses accruing to sugarcane planters for the production of ethanol and other derivatives, he will state the recommendations contained in the Report of the Technical Committee of the Control and Arbitration Department of the Mauritius Cane Industry Authority in relation thereto, indicating if the implementation thereof is being envisaged and, if not, why not and table copy of the said Report?**

B/446 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 10<sup>th</sup> Indian Ocean Island Games to be held in Mauritius in 2019, he will give a list of the hotels selected to constitute the *Village des Jeux* in Flic en Flac and Balaclava, indicating the cost thereof, in each case?**

B/447 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 Mauritius Secondary School Sports Association, he will state the budget allocated by his Ministry from 2015 to 2017 thereto, indicating if his Ministry is still financing same?**

B/448 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Quirin**)

*To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to Constituency No. 20, Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière, she will give a list of the regions affected by the recent cyclone Berguita and the heavy ensuing rainfalls, indicating the remedial actions taken in relation thereto in each case?**

B/449 The Honourable Fourth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Quirin**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Metro Express Project, he will state where matters stand as to the (a) proposed construction of a jogging and leisure park in Ebene in replacement of the Promenade Roland Armand and (b) identification of an alternative site for the Jardin Bijoux in Beau Bassin-Rose Hill?**

B/450 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Free Public Transport Scheme, he will state if consideration is being given for the application thereof to the elderly and to persons with disabilities when travelling in the Metro Express and, if not, indicate if consideration will be given thereto?**

B/451 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Basic Invalidity Pension, he will state (a) since May 2017 to date, the number of applications therefor received and discontinued, respectively, indicating the (i) reasons therefor and (ii) number of appeals lodged against discontinuation and/or rejection and the outcome thereof and (b) if consideration will be given for the permanently disabled beneficiaries thereof not to be required to repeatedly having to be assessed by the Medical Board?**

B/452 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) ratified by Mauritius in 2010, he will state (a) if the three reservations in regard to the Convention put forward by the State of Mauritius are being maintained, indicating the reasons therefor and, if not, indicate which of the reservation(s) has/have been removed and (b) the measures which have been undertaken by his Ministry to implement the recommendations contained in the UNCRPD Committee Report for Mauritius?**

B/453 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade –*

**Whether, in regard to the Joint Commissions, he will state the number thereof which have been established, indicating in each case, the (a) composition of the Board thereof, including that of the Joint Technical Commission, indicating the capacity in which each member represents Mauritius and (b) number of overseas missions effected by the members thereof over the past two years, indicating in each case the (i) countries visited (ii) purpose thereof and (iii) amount of public fund spent?**

B/454 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International*

**Whether, he will state if he has received representations from the unions and staff of the Ministry complaining of the behaviour of H.E. Mr G. N., High Commissioner, London, H.E. Dr C. J., High Commissioner, Berlin and H.E. Mr J. G, High Commissioner, New Delhi, for abuse of power and of public funds and poor industrial relations with the staff of the missions and, if so, indicate the actions taken in relation thereto, if any?**

B/455 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 setting up of a Combined Cycle Gas Turbine at Fort George Power Station, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to the total number of requests for clarification received from potential bidders on the bid documents since the launching thereof, indicating the number of times the submission date thereof has been extended upon requests?**

B/456 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(Mr Ganoo)

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

**Whether, in regard to the project for the implementation of a New Access Road leading to Flic-en-Flac, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Road Development Authority, information as to where matters stand?**

B/457 The Honourable Second Member for Vacoas and Floreal  
(Mr Baboo)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Aapravasi Ghat, he will state if the authorization of UNESCO was sought and obtained prior to the implementation of the Metro Express Project inasmuch as same is close to the buffer zones thereof, and, if so, when?**

B/458 The Honourable Second Member for Vacoas and Floreal  
(Mr Baboo)

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

**Whether, in regard to water pipes, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to the places where same (a) have been replaced since June 2017 to date and (b) will be replaced during the next financial year, indicating in each case the (i) name of the contractors therefor and (ii) contract values thereof?**

- B/459 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Armance**)  
*To ask the Honourable Minister of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade –*  
**Whether, in regard to the case of one Mr G.M. employed at the Mauritius Embassy in Washington who was allegedly asked by the Ambassador to refrain from having his hair worn in dreadlocks style, he will state where matters stand, indicating if the clarifications sought from the said Embassy has been obtained and, if so, give details thereof?**
- B/460 The Honourable Second Member for Rodrigues (**Mr Leopold**)  
*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –*  
**Whether, in regard to organ transplant, he will state if there exists any list of patients potentially awaiting same?**
- B/461 The Honourable Second Member for Rodrigues (**Mr Leopold**)  
*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –*  
**Whether, in regard to the transplant of human tissues other than blood, he will state if same is presently being practiced in the public hospitals?**
- B/462 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 persons who find refuge in the Refugee Centres during natural disasters and those who incur losses of property as a result thereof, he will state if consideration will be given for a review of the policy in relation to the assistance granted thereto?**
- B/463 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)  
*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –*  
**Whether, in regard to the blood bank in public hospitals, he will state the (a) number of cases of contaminated blood having been detected thereat over the past five years, indicating the number of reported cases of transfusion thereof and (b) measures taken to prevent blood contamination thereat?**

- B/464 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)
- To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life –*
- Whether, in regard to HIV/AIDS, he will state the number of new cases thereof detected over the past five years, indicating the prevention, awareness and sensitization campaigns carried out by his Ministry in relation thereto?**
- B/465 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Selvon**)
- To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Local Government and Outer Islands –*
- Whether, in regard to the sports grounds in Constituency No. 1, Grand River North West and Port Louis West, including the Jackson football pitch at Pointe-aux-Sables, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to if consideration will be given for the improvement and rehabilitation thereof?**
- B/466 The Honourable Fifth Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Lepoigneur**)
- To ask the Right Honourable Minister Mentor, Minister of Defence, Minister for Rodrigues –*
- Whether, in regard to the Vacoas Detention Centre, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if detainee K. L. was allowed to leave same on or about 23 April 2018 and, if so, indicate if (a) an inquiry is being carried out thereinto and, if so, by whom (b) the footage of the CCTV Surveillance System in relation thereto has been secured and (c) consideration is being given for a thorough security audit thereof?**
- B/467 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Ganoo**)
- To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –*
- Whether, in regard to La Marie Treatment Plant, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to (a) the reasons for the delay in the completion of the upgrading thereof, indicating (i) the expected completion date thereof (ii) the contract value thereof (iii) the estimated cost overrun thereof and (iv) if the contractor has abandoned the site and (b) if treated water thereat is being blended with raw water from the Mare aux Vacoas Dam and, if so, why?**

B/468 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(**Mr Ganoo**)

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

**Whether, in regard to water supply, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to if consumers in certain regions are being supplied with untreated water and, if so, indicate the (a) number thereof region-wise and (b) measures being envisaged to address this problem?**

B/469 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Abbas Mamode**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the posts of Medical Superintendents, Specialists/Senior Specialists, known as Consultants and Consultants-in-Charge in his Ministry, he will (a) give a list thereof, indicating in each case the (i) posting (ii) field of specialization and (iii) date of appointment thereof and (b) state the number of existing vacancies therefor, indicating in each case the (i) field of specialization (ii) date of vacancy and (iii) date of filling thereof?**

B/470 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Tarolah**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Community Centre at Trou d'Eau Douce, she will state if (a) it is operational and, if not, why not and (b) her Ministry had provided any alternative venue to the members thereof to carry out their activities?**

B/471 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Tarolah**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the former Open University Campus at Bel Air, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to (a) the institution making use thereof, indicating the type of activities being carried out thereat and (b) if same can accommodate the MITD branch?**

B/472 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Tarolah**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the proposed construction of a new Community Health Centre at Camp de Masque, he will state where matters stand?**

B/473 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 Scholarships Scheme for children of vulnerable families, she will state the number of children who benefitted thereunder in 2017, indicating the (a) selection procedure adopted (b) prescribed mode of application therefor and (c) actions taken by her Ministry to ensure that eligible applicants are communicated with the required information to be able to benefit thereunder, including the delay within which applications have to be submitted?**

B/474 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 Discharged Persons' Aid Committee, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Prisons, information as to the composition thereof, indicating the (a) names and qualifications of the members thereof (b) date on which it last laid a Report on the Table of the Assembly and (c) actions taken to ensure that the discharged detainees are completely rehabilitated and provided with all the required assistance to return to normal life?**

B/475 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Dr Boolell**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the acquisition of an Open Cycle Gas Turbine, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to if the bid documents therefor have been prepared by *Electricité de France*?**



B/476 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(Mr Ganoo)

*To ask 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 (a) the quantum of profits thereof as at end of year 2016, 2017 and since January to May 2018 and (b) if a review of the electricity tariffs is being envisaged?**

B/477 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(Ms Sewocksingh)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Maurice Ile Durable Fund, he will state the amount of funds available thereunder as at to date, indicating the amount contributed thereto from the price of diesel and petrol by the State Trading Corporation, since July 2017 to date and disbursed therefrom, indicating the list of projects (a) undertaken and (b) earmarked for implementation thereunder?**

B/478 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(Ms Sewocksingh)

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

**Whether, in regard to the price of bagasse that goes in the production of electricity, he will state if consideration is being given for an increase thereof?**

B/479 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(Ms Sewocksingh)

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

**Whether, in regard to the proposed construction of a bus shelter in Cité Anoushka, at 16ème Mille, he will state where matters stand?**

B/480            The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Dr Boolell**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Bagasse Transfer Price, he will state if a revision thereof is being envisaged?**

**Bibi Safeena Lotun (Mrs)**  
*Clerk of the National Assembly*

**Parliament House**  
**Port Louis**

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