

MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**Questions of which notice has been given****Requiring an Oral Answer****Sitting of Tuesday 10 May 2011****Questions addressed to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister,
Minister of Defence, Home Affairs
and External Communications**

B/266 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil(**MrKhamajeet**)

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

Whether, in regard to *post mortem* operations, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if consideration will be given for the carrying out thereof at the Flacq Hospital mortuary, from 9.00 hrs to 22.00 hrs, as obtains at the Victoria Hospital, to deal with cases in the northern and eastern district regions?

B/267 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**MrUteem**)

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

Whether, in regard to the non-citizens, he will state the names and nationality thereof who have been issued with certificates authorizing them to hold, purchase or otherwise acquire immovable property in Mauritius, since 2006 to-date, indicating in each case the (a) location and value of the immovable property and (b) terms and conditions imposed therefor?

- B/268 The Honourable Third Member for Rodrigues(**Mr François**)
- To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-*
- Whether, in regard to the Police in Rodrigues, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number of Rodriguan Police Officers who have benefited from overseas specialized training over the last five years (b) the last time a full survey of the equipment was carried out to examine the condition thereof and (c) if the Police Officers regularly carry out shooting exercises, in Rodrigues, after completion of their foundation courses and, if not, why not?**
- B/269 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière(**Mr Bhagwan**)
- To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-*
- Whether he will state if he has received a letter from Mr H. B., informing him that he has made statements to the Independent Commission Against Corruption against the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development, in relation to the acquisition of landed property and, if so, indicate the actions he proposes to take, if any?**
- B/270 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mrs Radegonde**)
- To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications:-*
- Whether, in regard to Mrs K. R., Senior Adviser at the Prime Minister's Office, he will (a) state (i) her qualifications (ii) her salaries and terms and conditions of appointment and (iii) the make and model of the car put at her disposal and (b) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of times a chauffeur-driven car from the Police Transport Branch has been put at her disposal, over the past four months?**

B/271 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill
(**MrNagalingum**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Town Centre at Rose Hill, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases of drugs and prostitution thereat, especially at night, since November 2010 to-date?

B/272 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**MrAmeerMeea**)

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

Whether, in regard to the electoral laws and regulations, he will state if consideration will be given for amendments to be brought thereto, before the forthcoming elections, with a view to introducing and implementing (a) a code of conduct to govern the political parties and the candidates and (b) the Electronic Voting System?

B/273 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière(**MrBhagwan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Independent Broadcasting Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Authority, information as to if it has (a) set up a Standards Committee and, if so, indicate (i) when (ii) the number of meetings held (iii) if it has drawn up a code of ethics for licensees and a code of advertising practice, indicating when in each case (iv) if it has issued directives to radio licensees, since May 2005 to date and, if so indicate the recipients and substance thereof and (b) issued guidelines to licensees, since 2008 to-date, in relation to political broadcast and advertising and, if so, indicate the number, substance and details?

B/274 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

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

Whether, in regard to the incident which occurred, on 01 May 2011, whereby a gunshot was fired at the office of the Very Important Person Security Unit office, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto, and if so, indicate the (a) circumstances thereof (b) actions taken, if any, against the Police Sergeant and (c) if consideration will be given for a review of the conditions for the issue of guns to VIPSU officers?

B/275 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Baloomoody**)

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

Whether, in regard to the National AIDS Committee, he will state when it held its last meeting, indicating the measures taken by the Committee to address the issue of discrimination against HIV and AIDS patients?

B/276 The Honourable First Member for Rodrigues (**Mr Leopold**)

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

Whether, in regard to the press coverage of conferences and other issues related to political activities in Rodrigues by the Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Corporation, information as to (a) the reasons for the delay in the broadcasting on the television of the press conference held by the Chief Commissioner of Rodrigues, on or about 18 April 2011 and (b) a breakdown of the time allocated to the *Mouvement Rodriguais* and *l'Organisation du Peuple de Rodrigues* parties on MBC television and radio on the celebration of the Labour Day?

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

B/277 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill
(Ms Ribot)

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

**Whether, in regard to the vacancies that exist on
the establishment of the Municipal Council of
Beau Bassin/Rose Hill, he will, for the benefit of the
House, obtain from the Council, information as to the
number thereof in the category of (a) scavengers and
(b) municipal inspectors, indicating when same will be
filled?**

B/278 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill
(Ms Ribot)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

**Whether, in regard to the NHDC Housing Estates, he will,
for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National
Housing Development Corporation Ltd., information as to
where matters stand in relation to the appointment of an
expert to set up a programme to render the *Syndic*
operational?**

B/279 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River
(MrsRadegonde)

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

**Whether, in regard to Camp Jeanette, CheminGrenier, in
Constituency No. 14, Savanne and Black River, he will
state if he has received representations to the effect that
flooding occurs thereat during heavy rainfall, thus
causing inconveniences to the inhabitants thereof and,
if so, indicate the remedial measures that will be taken,
if any?**

B/280 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Ms Perraud**)

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

Whether, in regard to Constituency No.4, Port Louis North and Montagne Longue, he will state the amount of money spent, since 2005 to 2010, for the (a) upgrading and construction of new drains and (b) tarring of the roads?

B/281 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Ms Perraud**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the Terre Rouge football ground, he will state if consideration will be given for the provision of lighting facilities and changing rooms thereat?

B/282 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Ms Perraud**)

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

Whether, in regard to autism, she will state the number of children suffering therefrom, indicating (a) if screening and early detection thereof is carried out on children (b) the measures she proposes to take, together with all the stakeholders, to provide additional help to the autistic children and to their parents?

B/283 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Ms Perraud**)

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

Whether, in regard to the region of Le Cornu, Sainte Croix, he will state where matters stand in relation to the carrying out of drain works thereat?

B/284 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil(**MrKhamajeet**)

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

Whether, in regard to land made available near the Flacq Fire Station, earmarked for the training needs of the Mauritius Institute of Training and Development, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the MITD, information as to (a) the date of the acquisition (b) the extent thereof and (c) if any project related to training has been identified and, if not, why not?

B/285 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil(**MrKhamajeet**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Dialysis Centre at the Flacq Hospital, she will state (a) the number of (i) cases being treated and (ii) beds available thereat (b) if patients from the catchment area of the Flacq Hospital are being referred to other health institutions for dialysis and, if so, the remedial measures that will be taken for them to be treated thereat and (c) the number of vans and ambulances attached thereto?

B/286 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil(**MrKhamajeet**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the forthcoming Indian Ocean Island Games to be held in the Seychelles, he will state the (a) total budget allocated for the preparation and participation of the Mauritian delegation (b) number of athletes and of persons accompanying them (c) number of officials of his ministry accompanying the delegation and (d) amount of money raised as at to-date by the Club Maurice Company Ltd., excluding the Rs 3.5 m contributed by the Mauritius Commercial Bank Ltd.?

B/287 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Ameer Meea**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Free Travel Scheme, he will (a) give a breakdown of the amount of money paid to each of the bus companies/individual operators, since its implementation to-date, in each financial year and (b) state if Government proposes a review thereof?

B/288 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Seetaram**)

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

Whether, in regard to sites declared as National Monuments, such as the Bassin des Esclaves, at Pamplemousses, and the Vagrant Depot, he will state if same are included in the syllabus of the primary schools, and if not, if consideration will be given therefor with a view to promoting same at school level?

B/289 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (**Dr Sorefan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the buses, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Corporation, information as to if the registration plates thereof have been replaced to comply with the new regulations in relation thereto and, if so, indicate the (a) number thereof (b) cost thereof and (c) name of the supplier, indicating if (i) he is registered and (ii) the new registration plates fully comply with the new regulations and, if not, the financial implications thereof?

B/290 The Honourable Fourth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix
(Dr Sorefan)

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

Whether, in regard to the Mayor of the Municipal Council of Vacoas/Phoenix, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Council, information as to the number of overseas missions he has effected, if any, accompanied by officers and or councillors, since his appointment to date, indicating the cost thereof in each case?

B/291 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière**(Mr Li Kwong Wing)**

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to State land with seafront, he will state the names of the foreigners/foreign companies who/which have obtained leases therefor, since 2005 to date, indicating in each case the (a) extent of land (b) rent charged per acre (c) date of issue of the letter of intent and/or reservation (d) nature of the project, indicating if (i) works have started and, if so, since when and if not, why not and (ii) the conditions attached to the lease have subsequently been altered (e) rent is being paid and (f) the amount of investment proposed?

B/292 The Honourable Third Member for Rodrigues**(Mr François)**

To ask the Honourable Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development:-

Whether, in regard to sustainable development in Rodrigues, he will state where matters stand as to the implementation of an Eco-Village Project at RivièreCocos?

B/293 The Honourable Third Member for Rodrigues**(Mr François)**

To ask the Honourable Attorney General:-

Whether, in regard to the posting of a magistrate, in Rodrigues, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Chief Justice, information as to (a) the conditions attached to the posting and (b) if consideration will be given for the (i) posting of a second magistrate and (ii) creation of a second court room?

B/294 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière(**Mr Li Kwong Wing**)

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

Whether, in regard to the labour force, he will, for the years 2009 and 2010 and the 1st quarter of 2011, state the (a) causes of the unemployment rates and the wage trends (b) movement in the overall wage rate index for (i) Government and (ii)the manufacturing sector (c) change in labour productivity for the (i) whole economy (ii) manufacturing sector and (iii) export-oriented industry and (d) outlook for the rest of the year 2011?

B/295 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (**MrGuimbeau**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Mauritius National Lottery, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Gambling Regulatory Authority, for each of the financial years since its coming into operation to-date, information as to the (a) annual turnover (b) amount of tax paid and (c) amount of fees paid (i)for trade licences and (ii) to the local authorities, by the selling outlets, indicating the names thereof?

B/296 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (**MrGuimbeau**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Gambling Regulatory Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the composition of the Board thereof, indicating the substantive post held by each member and the respective fees and other benefits drawn?

- B/297 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands
(MrGuimbeau)
To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-
Whether, in regard to the Mauritius National Lottery, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Gambling Regulatory Authority, information as to the total amount of money spent on advertising on (a) television (b) billboards (c) newspapers and (d) radio, since its coming into operation to-date?
- B/298 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central **(MrUteem)**
To ask the Honourable Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment:-
Whether, in regard to the workers whose employment have been terminated for economic, technological, structural reasons or for reasons of similar nature, since the coming into force of the Employment Rights Act 2008, he will state the (a) number thereof (b) sector of activities concerned (c) number of court proceedings initiated challenging such basis for dismissal, indicating in each case, the outcome thereof?
- B/299 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands
(DrBoolell)
To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, 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 Corporate Social Responsibility Fund, information as to the amount of money collected, since its introduction to date, indicating the social projects which have been funded therefrom?

- B/300 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands
(DrBoolell)
- To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, 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 Corporate Social Responsibility Fund, information as to if the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee has submitted six-monthly reports on funds utilized by the Fund and, if so, whether consideration be given for same to be circulated to all the stakeholders?**
- B/301 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and QuatreBornes**(MrRamano)**
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Quality of Life:-*
- Whether, in regard to HIV and AIDS, she will give a list of the organisations which have benefitted from grants from her Ministry to fight against same, indicating the respective quantum thereof, since 2005 to date?**
- B/302 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière**(MrQuirin)**
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-*
- Whether, in regard to the Mauritius Football Association, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Association, information as to if any legal action has been initiated against its present managing committee and, if so, give details thereof?**
- B/303 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière**(MrQuirin)**
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-*
- Whether, in regard to the forthcoming 8th Indian Ocean Island Games, he will state the arrangements made, if any, to assist the Mauritian supporters travelling to the Seychelles?**

- B/304 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**MrLesjongard**)
- To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*
- Whether, in regard to the Gambling Regulatory Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Authority, information as to the number of (a) cases of horse racing bookmakers who have been sanctioned for late or non-payment of unclaimed prizes, since 2007 to date and (b) licences revoked or cancelled for non-compliance with the conditions of licence, indicating in each case, the condition/s that was/were breached?**
- B/305 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**MrLesjongard**)
- To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities:-*
- Whether, in regard to the electricity consumers, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to if a review of the classification thereof has been carried out, and if so, indicate the (a) basis of the review and (b) number thereof concerned therewith?**
- B/306 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**MrDayal**)
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resources:-*
- Whether, in regard to the Petit Verger Government School, he will state if consideration will be given for the (a) replacement of the furniture in several classes (b) resurfacing of part of the ground (c) provision of additional facilities to the science laboratory and (d) installation of a gate to prevent access to unauthorized people to the school playground?**
- B/307 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**MrDayal**)
- To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-*
- Whether, in regard to Vauxhall lane, in Circonstance, St Pierre, he will state if consideration will be given for the construction of drains thereat?**

B/308 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

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

Whether, in regard to the project for the carrying out of drain works, behind the Kailash Mandir, at Valetta, he will state where matters stand?

B/309 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Shivala Road, at Valetta, he will state if he will consider liaising with the Moka/Flacq District Council for the extension thereof?

B/310 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Ganoo**)

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

Whether, in regard to refuse collection services provided by the local authorities, he will state if his Ministry is proposing to levy a scavenging fee of Rs50 per month per household with an increase over the subsequent years and, if so, indicate (a) the estimated revenue expected to be raised over the next four years and (b) if Government has requested the Central Electricity Board and the Central Water Authority to collect same?

B/311 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Ganoo**)

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

Whether, in regard to importation from Japan, he will state the number of imported vehicles which landed on the same day as the four reconditioned ones on which radioactivity was recently detected, indicating (a) if the said vehicles have been decontaminated and returned to Japan and (b) the reasons why imports therefrom were not banned earlier?

B/312 The Honourable First Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Navarre-Marie**)

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

Whether, in regard to the housing allowance payable to the Trade Counsellors and Advisers appointed to the Mauritian Embassies/High Commissions abroad, he will state the quantum thereof, indicating in each case (a) how it is calculated and (b) if the quantum differs for those who are owners of their accommodation as opposed to those who rent same and, if so, indicate the names of those who are owners together with the total amount thereof received, since their appointment to-date, in each case?

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Clerk of the National Assembly

**Parliament House
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A/107 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**MrUteem**)

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

Whether he has received representations from the inhabitants of Tranquebar and the Ward IV regions of Port Louis for the setting up of a Police Station thereat and, if so, will he state if consideration will be given thereto?

A/108 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière(**MrBhagwan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the foreign nationals who have been granted Mauritian citizenship and or Nationality, since June 2005 to date, he will state the country of origin, in each case?

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

A/109 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (**MrsRadegonde**)

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

Whether, in regard to the region of Choisy Contour Prune in Constituency No.14, Savanne and Black River, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Black River District Council, information as to if consideration will be given for the construction of a drain and a sewerage system thereat and, if not, why not?

- A/110 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River
(MrsRadegonde)
To ask the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry and Food Security:-
Whether, in regard to the recent food price increases, especially in relation to staple foods such as wheat, maize, sugar, edible oil and rice, he will state the measures Government proposes to take (a) for the reduction thereof and (b) to encourage investment in agriculture and address the issue of food security for our country, together with the international financial institutions?
- A/111 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central **(MrUteem)**
To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Infrastructure, National Development Unit, Land Transport and Shipping:-
Whether he has received representations from the inhabitants of ValléePitot for a canalization project, starting from the slope of the mountain to the bridge, on the Edward Street, Port Louis and, if so, will he state if consideration will be given thereto?
- A/112 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière**(Mr Li Kwong Wing)**
To ask the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-
Whether, in regard to the Economic Restructuring and Competitiveness Programme, he will state the (a) amount earmarked (b) amount disbursed as at to-date (c) criteria and procedures for evaluation and allocation of the funds disbursed (d) list of beneficiaries, indicating in each case the (i) amount disbursed (ii) nature of the assistance (iii) economic sector involved (iv) terms and conditions attached thereto and (v) results achieved and (e) composition of the ERCP Committee and a report on the steps it has taken to monitor and control progress on the use of the funds disbursed?

A/113 The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal
(Mrs Labelle)

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

Whether, in regard to early child care and development, he will state if her Ministry proposes to recruit trainees therefor and, if so indicate the (a) number of trainees who will be recruited and (b) details of the training which will be provided, including (i) who will dispense same (ii) the duration thereof and (iii) the scheduled starting dates thereof?

A/114 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mr Lesjongard)**

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

Whether, in regard to the Gambling Regulatory Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Authority, information as to the number of licences which have been revoked or cancelled for non-compliance with the conditions of licence in respect of the fixing of odd betting on overseas football matches, indicating how and when the licensees were informed thereof?

A/115 The Honourable Third Member for Vacoas and Floreal
(Mrs Labelle)

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

Whether, in regard to obesity, she will state the treatment available in public hospitals for patients suffering therefrom?

A/116 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and QuatreBornes(**MrRamano**)

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

Whether, in regard to the overseas missions undertaken by the Mayor and the Municipal Councillors of the Municipal Council of QuatreBornes, since October 2005 to-date, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Council, a list thereof, indicating in each case the (a) countries visited and the duration thereof (b) composition of the delegation (c) amount of money spent in terms of air tickets, *per diem* and/or any other allowances and (d) purpose thereof?

A/117 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and QuatreBornes(**MrRamano**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Tertiary Education, Science, Research and Technology:-

Whether, in regard to the *cafeteria* of the University of Technology, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the University, information as to the (a) duration of the contract signed with the present operator, indicating the terms and conditions thereof and (b) if it proposes to launch tenders therefor at the expiry of the present contract?

A/118 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**MrAmeerMeea**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Sir Edgar Laurent Street, Port Louis, he will state if consideration will be given for the urgent installation of hand rails thereat, at the level of the Tabagie Islamic up to the traffic lights, to reinforce the safety and security of the students attending the Islamic Cultural College?

A/119 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**MrAmeerMeea**)

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

Whether, in regard to the Impasse Cocoterie, Roche Bois, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to if consideration will be given for (a) re-instating and tarring same (b) the provision of drains thereat (c) the installation of additional street lanterns thereat and (d) regular collection of the wastes?

A/120 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière(**MrQuirin**)

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

Whether, in regard to the water pipe project at Barkly, Beau Bassin, he will state (a) when works are expected to (i) start and (ii) be completed and (b) the time schedule for the road to be re-instated to its original state?

A/121 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière(**MrQuirin**)

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

Whether he has received representations concerning water accumulation at Albion Road, Petite Rivière, in front of the RamnareshMandir, during rainfalls, thus causing inconveniences to the devotees attending thereto and, if so, will he state the immediate actions that will be taken?

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