

## MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

### Questions of which notice has been given

#### Requiring an Oral Answer

Sitting of Tuesday 05 August 2008

Questions addressed to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister,  
Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative  
Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands

B/1026 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Jhugroo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if consideration will be given for the renting of a building to house a Police post temporarily in the Vallée des Prêtres region, pending the construction of a new Police Station thereat?**

B/1027 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Jhugroo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to each of the Advisers and Press Attachés appointed by Government, he will state if their respective salaries and terms and conditions of appointment have been reviewed, following the Pay Research Bureau Report 2008 and, if so, indicate their new salaries and terms and conditions of appointment?**

B/1028 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(**Mr Ganoo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Integrated Resort Scheme, he will state if any decision has been taken to review the policy in regard thereto and, if so, the reasons therefor?**

B/1029 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Lauthan**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to fatal accidents, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the procedures laid down for the removal of the dead bodies from the site thereof?**

B/1030 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Lauthan**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Forensic Science Laboratory, he will give a list of the number of vacancies existing thereat, indicating the grade in each case?**

B/1031 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka  
(**Mr Dayal**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Police Officers who are holders of a BSc (Hons) degree in Police Studies, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number thereof, as at todate and (b) where matters stand in regard to the scheme proposed for providing new avenues and creating more**

**opportunities for their advancement in the hierarchy in the Police Force?**

B/1032 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière **(Mr Bhagwan)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to subutex, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the amount and value of the last seizure thereof at the Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport, indicating if the suspect has been arrested and released on bail and, if so, when and its conditions (b) since July 2005 to date (i) the amount and value thereof seized and (ii) the number of persons convicted in cases in relation thereto and (c) the actions that will be taken to combat its trafficking?**

B/1033 The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal **(Mr Bodha)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to Zimbabwe, he will state if he has been apprised of the latest developments in finding a solution to the political crisis thereat?**

B/1034 The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal **(Mr Bodha)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, information as to the number of cases in which broadcasting and other items of equipment have been reported lost, since July 2005 to date, indicating, in each case if (a) an inquiry has been carried out thereinto and the outcome thereof and (b) any disciplinary action has been taken?**

B/1035 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Varma**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if the Police is currently carrying out lie detector tests during the interrogation of the suspects and, if not, if same is being envisaged?**

B/1036 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether he will state if Government has obtained reports of the activities which have been carried out by our mission in Germany, since July 2005 to date and, if so, will he table copies thereof?**

B/1037 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (**Mrs Jeewa-Daureeawoo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to domestic violence, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof, since January 2007 to date?**

B/1038 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (**Mrs Jeewa-Daureeawoo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to sexual harassment, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of**

**Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof, since January 2005 to date?**

B/1039 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill  
**(Mrs Jeewa-Daureeawoo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the recent seizure of about Rs 22 millions worth of subutex, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number of persons arrested and (b) the measures that will be taken to ensure that those who are allegedly suspected in the said offence and who have not yet been arrested do not leave the country?**

B/1040 The Honourable Third Member for Stanley and Rose Hill  
**(Mrs Jeewa-Daureeawoo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the kindergartens, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases of babies and/or children who have been physically and sexually assaulted whilst being thereat, since July 2005 to date, indicating in each case, if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto and the outcome thereof?**

B/1041 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mr Jhugroo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if a person has been arrested for rogue and vagabond at the residence of Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, at Riverwalk, Vacoas, on or about Monday 21 July 2008, and if so, if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto and the outcome thereof?**

B/1042 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka  
(**Mr Dayal**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the world food crisis and the supplementary efforts put by all the food growers, it is envisaged to strengthen the laws relating to the theft of and acts of vandalism with regard to fruits and vegetables?**

B/1043 The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal  
(**Mr Bodha**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to larceny and larceny with violence, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number of reported cases thereof for the past two years, at the (a) Flic-en-Flac Police Station (b) Grand' Baie Police Station and (c) Trou d'Eau Douce Police Station?**

B/1044 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière  
(**Mr Allet**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Rs 22 million worth of subutex found in the luggage of one Mrs C. L., at the Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport, on 24 July 2008, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if there has been any interference in the inquiry thereof?**

B/1045      The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(Mrs Martin)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Central Investigations Division units in Port Louis and Plaines Wilhems, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number thereof (b) the number of Police Officers posted thereat (i) in January 2006, 2007 and 2008 and (ii) as at end of July 2008 (c) the available resources for them to discharge their duties and (d) the number of cases treated and solved, since January 2008 to date?**

B/1046      The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(Mrs Martin)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Major Crime Investigations Team unit in Curepipe, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number of Police Officers posted thereat (i) in January 2006, 2007 and 2008 and (ii) as at end of July 2008 (b) the available resources for them to discharge their duties and (c) the number of cases treated and solved, since January 2008 to date?**

B/1047      The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(Mr Guimbeau)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if, one Mr G. L., aged 22, was injured in a night club in Grand Baie, on Saturday 26 July 2008, and if so, if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto and the outcome thereof?**



B/1048 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if a case has been reported of a fraud having been committed at the Trou Fanfaron Fishing Port, on 15 July 2008, and if so, if the inquiry thereinto has started and, if not, why not?**

B/1049 The Honourable First Member for Vacoas and Floreal (**Mr Bodha**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands:-*

**Whether, in regard to the talks of the World Trade Organisation, held recently in Geneva, he will state (a) the issues raised by the Mauritian delegation which participated therein and (b) if the talks have failed and if so, the impact thereof on the future of the Mauritian trade?**

**Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other than Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands**

B/1050 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Naidu**)

*To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism, Leisure and External Communications:-*

**Whether, in regard to the project “Branding of Mauritius”, he will state (a) the names of the tenderers, indicating (i) their respective bids and (ii) the name of the successful bidder (b) the composition of the evaluation committee and (c) if the former Director of the Tourism Authority, now**



**Senior Adviser at his Ministry, has been given the responsibility to monitor the project?**

B/1051 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Jhugroo**)

*To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism, Leisure and External Communications:-*

**Whether, in regard to the dredging of sand project within the port area, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Port Authority, information as to (a) the dates on which the tenders were launched (b) the name of the successful tenderer (c) the tender amount and (d) the total amount of money already paid to the tenderer?**

B/1052 The Honourable Third Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (**Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the introduction of pre-clinical testing of drugs in Mauritius, he will state if his Ministry is planning to set up a Pharmacological Vigilance Unit or its equivalent?**

B/1053 The Honourable Third Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (**Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun**)

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

**Whether, in regard to drugs and medicines dispensed in hospitals, dispensaries and health care centres, he will state if they are properly labelled and if their names and the expiry dates are clearly indicated?**

B/1054 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Ganoo**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Environment and National Development Unit:-*

**Whether he will state if he has received complaints from the inhabitants of Morcellement La Saura, at Bassin, Quatre Bornes, in regard to the recurrent flooding thereat?**

B/1055 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Lauthan**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping:-*

**Whether, in regard to the bus service on the Route Number 152, he will state if he has received representations from the inhabitants of Roche Bois and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Transport Authority, information as to the remedial measures that will be taken, if any?**

B/1056 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Juggoo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Local Government:-*

**Whether, in regard to the holders of a hawker's licence who were operating at the Monneron Street, Port Louis, and who were made to vacate therefrom last year, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Port Louis, information as to if an alternative location has been identified for them to operate their activities and, if not, why not?**

B/1057 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (**Mr Guimbeau**)

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

**Whether, in regard to each of the plots of State land leased for business purposes and for other economic activities, he will state (a) the number of beneficiaries thereof, indicating their (i) names (ii) addresses and (iii) the actual terms and conditions of their lease, including the annual rent payable and (b) if he is considering reviewing the terms and conditions thereof, including the rent, so as to reflect the real market value and, if so when?**

B/1058 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(**Mr Guimbeau**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Chairperson of the Board of Investment, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Board, information as to (a) the name of the incumbent (b) the date of his appointment, indicating the terms and conditions thereof and (c) the number of overseas missions he has undertaken, since his appointment to date, indicating in each case (i) the amount of money spent on air fares, *per diem* and/or other benefits and (ii) the countries visited and the duration thereof?**

B/1059 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
(**Mr Guimbeau**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Managing Director of the Board of Investment, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Board, information as to (a) the name of the incumbent (b) the date of his appointment, indicating the terms and conditions thereof and (c) the number of overseas missions he has undertaken, since his appointment to date, indicating in each case (i) the amount of money spent on air fares, *per diem* and/or other benefits and (ii) the countries visited and the duration thereof?**

B/1060 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

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

**Whether he is aware that one Mr C. M., aged 49, met with an accident at the Sugar Beach Hotel, on 01 July 2008, and, if so, will he state if an inquiry has been carried out thereinto, indicating (a) the cause of the accident and (b) the name of the contractor who was employing him and if he was**

**contributing to the National Pensions Scheme and (c) he will be able to resume work?**

B/1061 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the contract awarded for the security and cleaning services in the schools, he will state (a) the names of the companies thereof (b) the value thereof, indicating if performance bonds were required (c) if there has been any late payment by his Ministry and (d) if he has received any complaint from the workers of the companies and, if so, the nature thereof?**

B/1062 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

*To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism, Leisure and External Communications:-*

**Whether he will state if he has had any meeting with the *Association des Chomeurs de Roche Bois* and, if so, indicate if (a) any decision has been taken concerning their recruitment at the Cargo Handling Corporation Ltd and the Mauritius Ports Authority and (b) he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Cargo Handling Corporation Ltd and the Mauritius Ports Authority a list of the unskilled workers recruited thereat, since January 2007 to date, together with their addresses?**

B/1063 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping:-*

**Whether, in regard to the agreement signed between the bus companies and the Government in respect of diesel subsidy, he will state the basic price that was approved in August 2004, indicating if it has changed and, if so, (a)**

when (b) the reasons therefor (c) if all the bus operators have benefitted therefrom, indicating if they are granted the subsidy on the same basis and give details thereof and (d) the total savings made by Government?

B/1064 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Varma**)

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

**Whether he will state if a study has been carried out on the impact of the use of mobile phones on the health of the users thereof and, if not, if same is being envisaged?**

B/1065 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Varma**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the compulsory acquisition of a plot of land for the extension of the Muslim cemetery in Plaine Magnien, he will state where matters stand?**

B/1066 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Varma**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-*

**Whether he will state when will the swimming pool in Mare d'Albert be operational?**

B/1067 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Allet**)

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

**Whether, in regard to the Casting of Slabs Scheme, he will now give the list of the beneficiaries thereof, constituency wise, since July 2005 to date?**

B/1068 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Allet**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

Whether, in regard to each of the overseas missions undertaken by the Honourable Ministers since July 2005 todate, he will state (a) the countries visited (b) the composition of the accompanying delegations and (c) the amount of money paid in terms of *per diem* and allowances?

B/1069 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière **(Mr Bhagwan)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

Whether, in regard to the Money Changers, he will state the number of new permits, which have recently been issued, indicating the number thereof operating as at todate?

B/1070 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka **(Mr Dayal)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

Whether he will state if the Governor of the Bank of Mauritius is allowed to disclose publicly the proceedings and the votes expressed by the members of the Monetary Policy Unit of the Bank, and if not, if he is aware of the recent public disclosure of the proceedings and decisions thereof by the Governor?

B/1071 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mrs Juggoo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping:-*

Whether he will state if he has received representations from the inhabitants of the Sainte Cécile Road, Riche Terre, for the construction of a new road thereat?

B/1072 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mrs Juggoo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

Whether, in regard to the inhabitants of Chitracoot who were given plots of land after the landslide thereat, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Housing Corporation, information as to if consideration will be given for an increase in the amount of the loan granted to them for the purpose of building houses?

B/1073 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Dr Husnoo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping:-*

Whether, in regard to the maximum speed limit on the motorway, he will state if consideration will be given for the increase thereof to 100 kilometers per hour?

B/1074 The Honourable Third Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Guttee**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Industry, Small & Medium Enterprises, Commerce and Co-operatives:-*

Whether, in regard to the recent increase in the price of cooking oil, he will state if he will consider liberalizing the importation thereof?

B/1075 The Honourable Third Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Guttee**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-*

Whether, in regard to the "Ecole de Foot", he will state if he has received representations from the coaches thereof to the effect that (a) there is a lack of equipment for training purposes and (b) the coaches have not received their allowances, since September 2007 to date?

B/1076 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Guinness**)

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



Whether, in regard to the Professor Basdeo Bissoondoyal College, Flacq, he will state if he has received letters dated 10 and 24 July 2008, respectively, from the students and the attendants thereof, complaining of the recurrence of mismanagement thereat and, if so, if he proposes to set up a fact finding committee to look into the whole matter?

B/1077 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands  
**(Mrs Martin)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Local Government:-*

Whether, in regard to ill-kept private lands situated in Curepipe and whose owners are known to the Municipal Council of Curepipe, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Council, information as to (a) the number thereof and (b) if any action has been taken to remedy the situation and, if so, give details thereof?

B/1078 The Honourable Third Member for La Caverne and Phoenix  
**(Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro Industry and Fisheries:-*

Whether, in regard to persons who were issued with letters of intent for the allocation of land at Devoyenne, Forest Side, he will state if they have (a) been informed that they will instead be transferred to the ex-tea belt area and (b) signed their lease agreement?

B/1079 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West **(Mr Barbier)**

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

Whether he will state if he has received a letter from the Union of Teacher Educator Supervisors in connection with the non adjustment of the petrol mileage allowance by the Pre-School Trust Fund, thus ignoring the different circular letters issued by the Ministry of Civil Service Affairs and, if so, the remedial actions that will be taken?

B/1080 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River  
**(Mrs Perrier)**

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

**Whether, in regard to the posts of Nursing Officer and Trainee Health Inspector, he will state the number of vacancies which had to be filled at the last recruitment exercise, indicating the number of (a) applications received and (b) successful applicants who took office?**

B/1081      The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro Industry and Fisheries:-*

**Whether he will give a list of the fishers registered for fishing activities in the south region, since July 2005 to date?**

B/1082      The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro Industry and Fisheries:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Freight Rebate Scheme for the exporters of fruits and vegetables, he will state if any change has been brought thereto and if so, the reasons therefor?**

B/1083      The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro Industry and Fisheries:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Mahebourg Marine Park, he will state if an entry fee is charged for access thereto, and if so, the quantum thereof?**

B/1084      The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mrs Perrier**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro Industry and Fisheries:-*

Whether he will state if he is aware of the difficulties faced by the professional fishers in the region of Le Morne to carry out their activities and, if so, the actions taken or he intends to take to address the issue?

B/1085 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Juggoo**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Women's Rights, Child Development, Family Welfare & Consumer Protection:-*

**Whether, in regard to the construction of the women centre at Notre Dame, she will state where matters stand?**

B/1086 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Guinness**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Industry, Small & Medium Enterprises, Commerce and Co-operatives:-*

**Whether, in regard to the flour and broad beans sold to the Funny Flour and Rice Co. Ltd., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the State Trading Corporation, information as to (a) the price at which a 50 kg bag of flour and 50 kg bag of broad beans were purchased by the Corporation and (b) the procedures adopted for the sale of the flour and broad beans to the Funny Flour and Rice Co. Ltd?**

B/1087 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Guinness**)

*To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism, Leisure and External Communications:-*

**Whether, in regard to the Tropical Cruise Ltd., he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Tourism Authority, information as to if it has been issued with a licence to operate a business of rental of cars and marine equipment to tourists at Trou d'Eau Douce and, if not, the actions that will be taken against the said company?**

B/1088 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Ganoo**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Development:-*

**Whether, he will state if consideration will be given for the inclusion of the village of Bel Ombre in the Eradication of Absolute Poverty Programme?**

B/1089      The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
**(Mr Ganoo)**

*To ask the Honourable Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism, Leisure and External Communications:-*

**Whether, in regard to the recent incident involving the MK flight 745 bound for Mauritius from Delhi, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from Air Mauritius Ltd., information as to if the second aircraft which was ferried to Delhi to ensure that the passengers reach Mauritius at the earliest, failed to do so, and if so, the reasons therefor?**

**R. R. Dowlutta**

Clerk of the National Assembly

***Parliament House***

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