# MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

### Questions of which notice has been given

# <u>Requiring an Oral Answer</u>

## Sitting of Tuesday 29 May 2007

# 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/485 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Dr RamIoII)

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 Welfare Association, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) its financial situation as at todate (b) the amount spent during the year 2005-2006 and (c) the sum (i) allocated for minor, intermediate and major categories of surgical treatment respectively and (ii) earmarked for high-tech medical investigations, including Ecography, CT Scan and MRI Scan?

B/486 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Dr RamIoII)

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 specialized units of the Police Force, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police (a) details of the payment of the risk allowances in each case and (b) information as to if the "death on duty" compensation has been revised? B/487 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mrs Hanoomanjee**)

*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 National Coast Guard, he will for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to if it is provided with adequate human resources and equipment for life saving at sea?

B/488 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mrs Hanoomanjee**)

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 National Coast Guard Officers who have lost their life in a rescue operation following the recent sea swells, he will state if Government proposes to grant, on humanitarian grounds, any special support to their families?

B/489 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 Police vehicles, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the total number thereof and (b) the number thereof which are (i) out of order and (ii) awaiting repairs?

B/490 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Gunness**)

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 he has recently met the planters of Riche Terre and Terre Rouge Land Settlement and, if so, will he state the outcome thereof?

B/491 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Dr Mungur)

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 officers retiring from the public service, he will consider introducing the practice called "Exit Interview"?

B/492 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Mr Issack**)

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 project for the installation of surveillance cameras in Port Louis, he will state where matters stand, indicating the areas of the city which will be targeted? B/493 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 minors who have been arrested for offences during the period January 2007 todate, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the number thereof, indicating the nature of the offences in each case?

B/494 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 one Mr P. B., a resident of Bassin, Quatre Bornes, recently found dead in the Police cell at the Coromandel Police Station, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the reason for his detention (b) the findings of the *postmortem* examination carried out and (c) if any injuries were detected on his body?

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

B/495 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Dr RamIoII)

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

Whether he will state if an organisation named "Events Mauritius" has been set up within his Ministry and, if so, will he give details of its composition, functions and objectives? B/496 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (Dr RamIoII)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the forthcoming Indian Ocean Islands Games, he will state the composition of the delegation which will be attending thereto?

B/497 The Honourable Fifth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mr Soodhun)

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

Whether, in regard to projects for the construction of new roads, drains and sports complexes in Constituency No. 15, La Caverne and Phoenix, he will give a list thereof (a) being implemented and (b) to be implemented, indicating in each case the nature of the works being carried out?

B/498 The Honourable Fifth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (**Mr Soodhun**)

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

Whether, in regard to the small planters who have regrouped themselves and having over 2000 acres, he will state if the preparation of their land has been completed in December 2006, as stated in the Roadmap for the Sugar Industry, and, if not, will he give the reasons therefor?

B/499 The Honourable Fifth Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mr Soodhun)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Local Government:-

Whether, in regard to the football grounds donated by the Highlands Sugar Estate following its closure, he will state their present condition, indicating if any upgrading projects are being envisaged? B/500 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Bundhoo**)

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

Whether, in regard to transport difficulties faced by the inhabitants of Grand River South East and the neighbouring villages, he will state if he has chaired any meeting/s in connection therewith and, if so, the outcome thereof?

B/501 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Lauthan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the purchase of books by the libraries of the State Secondary Schools for the financial year 2006-2007, he will (a) state the amount disbursed as at todate (b) the number of books purchased and (c) circulate a list of schools which have been provided with new books?

B/502 The Honourable Third Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Ms Deerpalsing)

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

Whether, in regard to Public Debt as a percentage of Gross Domestic Product, he will (a) state the percentage and absolute share held by parastatals and (b) provide a detailed breakdown of this share for each parastatal? B/503 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Allet**)

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

Whether he will state if it is proposed to construct a flyover bridge at Grand River North West for the safety of pedestrians?

B/504 The Honourable Second Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Allet**)

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

Whether, in regard to the pedestrian crossing on the Vandermeersch Street, near the Philippe Rivalland RCA School at Beau Bassin, he will consider the advisability of installing traffic lights thereat for the safety of the school children?

B/505 The Honourable Second Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Dr Hawoldar)

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

Whether, in regard to the setting up of a Small and Medium Enterprise Village at Highlands, as announced in the 2006-2007 budget, he will state where matters stand?

B/506 The Honourable Third Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun)

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

Whether, in regard to the pedagogical inspectors attached to his Ministry, he will state (a) the number thereof and (b) the number of State and private secondary schools which they have visited since January 2006 to May 2007, indicating (i) the names of the schools and the classes visited and (ii) the date on which each of these visits was effected? B/507 The Honourable Third Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Ms Deerpalsing**)

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

Whether he is aware that European consumers are showing an increasing interest for companies which disclose their carbon footprints as part of their corporate social audit and, if so, will he consider promoting the adoption of a "carbon label" within the Tourism Industry, in line with the United Kingdom's Carbon Trust Guidelines?

B/508 The Honourable Third Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Ms Deerpalsing)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Public Utilities:-

Whether, in regard to the production of electricity, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to (a) the price paid by the Board for each KWh of power purchased from each existing Independent Power Producer (b) the cost of production for each KWh at each Independent Power Producer and (c) the price paid for each KWh by household consumers?

B/509 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Dowarkasing)

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

Whether, in regard to the hire of chauffeur-driven cars during official missions abroad, he will state Government policy regarding eligibility thereto? B/510 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Dowarkasing)

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

Whether, in regard to Mr R. S. of the State Trading Corporation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Corporation, information as to if the latter has visited India during the month of May and, if so (a) if the visit was related to the purchase of AMUL Milk and, if not, the purpose thereof and (b) the amount of money spent in connection with the visit?

B/511 The Honourable Third Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Dowarkasing)

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

Whether, in regard to the total amount of funds payable for social aid for the financial year 2005-2006, she is aware if any discrepancy has been noted between the figures available at the Ministry and those at the Accountant General's Department and, if so, will she give details thereof?

B/512 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether he will state if he has received a letter dated 25 September 2006 from the inhabitants of Railway Road, Montagne Longue, in connection with the purchase of the plot of land allocated to them for residential purposes and, if so, if any decision has been taken? B/513 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

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

Whether she is aware that Mrs M. P. D. and her four children, of Roche Bois, have been living on the road side since November 2006 and, if so, will he state the measures, if any, that will be taken to alleviate their situation?

B/514 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to IRS projects, he will state when Government proposes to introduce new regulations under the Planning Obligation for determining the level of contribution for the benefit of the local community?

B/515 The Honourable Second Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Lesjongard**)

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

Whether he will state if Mauritius has ratified the Maritime Labour Convention 2006 and, if not, why not?

B/516 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Varma**)

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

Whether, in regard to sugar for local consumption, he will state if it is imported and, if so, the quantity per year?

B/517 The Honourable First Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien (**Mr Varma**)

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

Whether, in regard to import excise duty on petroleum products, he will state if Government proposes to review its method of computation and, if so, the reasons therefor?

B/518 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mrs Hanoomanjee**)

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

Whether, in regard to the victims of the sea swells at Rivière des Galets, he will state if officers of his Ministry effected a site visit thereat and, if so, will he state the remedial measures that will be taken?

B/519 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mrs Hanoomanjee**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to the sale of land to the inhabitants of the ex-CHA houses, he will state the details of the expenses the buyers thereof will have to incur before the conclusion of the sale?

B/520 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, in regard to the last edition of the Indian Ocean Island Games, he will state the number of medals obtained by Mauritian athletes in each discipline? B/521 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

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

Whether, in regard to the islets, he will state (a) if there is any management plan in relation thereto (b) if Government proposes to set up an Islet Nature Park (c) the number thereof given on lease since July 2005 todate, indicating (i) the names of the beneficiaries and (ii) the purpose of the lease and (d) the measures that have been or will be taken to prevent their degradation?

B/522 The Honourable First Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Bhagwan**)

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

Whether he is aware that the Rainbow Insurance Company Ltd. is currently facing financial problems and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Financial Services Commission, information as to (a) if it is operating within the framework of the relevant legislation and (b) the measures that will be taken to protect the interest of its policy holders and the clients?

B/523 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Bundhoo**)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Public Utilities:-

Whether he is aware of the difficulties faced by the inhabitants of the village of Camp de Masque, regarding an inadequate supply of water and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to the remedial measures that will be taken? B/524 The Honourable Third Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Gunness**)

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

Whether, in regard to wage compensation for the year 2007-2008, he will state if the National Pay Council has finalized its proposal in relation thereto and, if so, will he state the factors that have been taken into consideration for the determination of the quantum thereof?

B/525 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Bundhoo**)

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

Whether she will state if it is proposed to relocate the Social Security Office of Camp de Masque and, if so, will she state where, indicating the reasons for the choice of the new location?

B/526 The Honourable Second Member for Montagne Blanche and Grand River South East (**Mr Bundhoo**)

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

Whether he will state if there is any project for upgrading works to be carried out at the Caroline Social Welfare Centre and, if so, will he state where matters stand, indicating if provision has been made to include a children's playground and a family corner? B/527 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

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

Whether, in regard to the community centres at Camp Caval, Joachim and Wooton, she will state if they have been inaugurated and, if not, why not?

B/528 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

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

Whether, in regard to the projects of the National Development Unit in Constituency No. 17, Curepipe and Midlands, he will state (a) the number of (i) ongoing projects, giving details thereof, including the contract value in each case (ii) projects which are being considered to be implemented in the near future and (b) the amount spent thereon since September 2005 todate?

B/529 The Honourable First Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mr Guimbeau)

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

Whether, in regard to the 179 large sugar cane planters, he will table a list thereof, indicating the location and size of their plantations?

B/530 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

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

Whether he will consider the advisability of installing traffic lights and a pedestrian crossing at Quartier Militaire, in the vicinity of the Caltex Filling Station and the St Léon Church? B/531 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether he is aware that there is space problem for burial at the muslim cemetery at Circonstance, St Pierre and, if so, will he consider the advisability of allocating two arpents of land at St Pierre or Côte d'Or, or in the vicinity thereof, for the construction of a new cemetery?

B/532 The Honourable Second Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mrs Grenade**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether he will, for the period July 2005 todate, state if International Sports Federations have had to intervene to resolve disputes within local Sports Federations?

B/533 The Honourable Second Member for Stanley and Rose Hill (Mr Cuttaree)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Local Government:-

Whether, in regard to the "Tote" outlet operational at Avenue Berthaud, Stanley, Rose Hill, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Municipal Council of Beau Bassin/Rose Hill, information as to if the promoter thereof has been granted a trade licence?

B/534 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Dr Mungur)

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

Whether he will state if it is proposed to construct a primary school at Belle Mare, indicating (a) the number of school children residing at Belle Mare currently attending school at Quatre Cocos and Mare La Chaux Government schools and (b) if a school mapping exercise has been carried out in the region? B/535 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Juggoo**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Information Technology and Telecommunications:-*

Whether he is aware that there is no proper connection of the internet or use of the Skypak at Vallée des Prêtres and, if so, will he state the remedial measures that will be taken?

B/536 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Juggoo**)

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

Whether he is aware that international trade fairs are no longer held in Mauritius on a regular basis as was the case before and, if so, will he state the reasons therefor?

B/537 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil (Dr Mungur)

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

Whether, in regard to the Sugar Insurance Fund Board, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to when the next actuarial survey will be carried out?

B/538 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mrs Juggoo**)

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

Whether, in regard to the fishers who lose their life at sea, he will state if any compensation is payable to the surviving spouse and, if so, how and when?

# B/539 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mrs Martin)

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

Whether, in regard to the hot line telephone number of the Consumer Protection Unit, she will state if it has now been changed?

B/540 The Honourable Second Member for Curepipe and Midlands (Mrs Martin)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Arts and Culture:-

Whether he will state if it is proposed to carry out any archaeological works at Le Morne and, if so, will he give details thereof?

B/541 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Information Technology and Telecommunications:-

# Whether, in regard to the EASSy Cable Project, he will state where matters stand?

B/542 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

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

Whether, in regard to Small and Medium Enterprises, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Development Bank of Mauritius Ltd., information as to (a) the total amount of loans disbursed todate and (b) the conditions for obtaining loans therefrom? B/543 The Honourable Third Member for Grand River North West and Port Louis West (**Mr Barbier**)

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

Whether, in regard to Small and Medium Enterprises, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Empowerment Fund, information as to (a) the total amount of loans disbursed todate and (b) the conditions for obtaining loans therefrom?

B/544 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Perrier)

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

Whether, in regard to contracts awarded by the Road Development Authority since July 2005 todate, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Authority, a list thereof, indicating in each case (a) the nature of the works (b) the name of the successful contractor and (c) the value of the contract?

B/545 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Perrier)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Housing and Lands:-

Whether, in regard to building site leases under the Sites and Services Land Project, he will state the number of beneficiaries who have already obtained their lease agreement todate?

B/546 The Honourable Fourth Member for Savanne and Black River (Mrs Perrier)

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

Whether he will state if the Director of the Mahatma Gandhi Institute and of the Rabindranath Tagore Institute have been appointed and, if so, will he state the names of the incumbents? B/547 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Jhugroo**)

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

Whether, in regard to the free transport scheme, he is aware of the cases of some bus owners who have received payments from the National Transport Authority, although their buses were not in operation and, if so, will he, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Authority, information as to (a) the number of cases, indicating the amount paid (b) the action initiated for the recovery of these amounts and (c) if Government proposes to review the mode of payment to avoid such malpractices in future?

B/548 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Jhugroo**)

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

Whether, in regard to traffic congestion, he will state if is proposed to construct a third lane between the Phoenix roundabout and St Jean to improve traffic flow and, if so, when and, if not, why not?

B/549 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 the use of a mix of petrol and ethanol in vehicles, he will state if (a) some vehicles are using same on a test basis and (b) a date has been earmarked to extend it nationwide? B/550 The Honourable Third Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun)

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

Whether, in regard to the School and Higher School Certificates, he will state the number of students (a) enrolled in Form V and Upper VI classes in January 2007 and (b) who have entered for the examinations to be held in November/December 2007?

B/551 The Honourable Third Member for La Caverne and Phoenix (Mrs Dookun-Luchoomun)

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

Whether, in regard to admission to the undergraduate courses at the University of Mauritius, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the University of Mauritius, information as to the criteria laid down regarding proficiency in Information Technology for the selection of students?

B/552 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (Mr Ganoo)

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

Whether, in regard to the volleyball pitch at Coco, Baie du Cap, he will consider the advisability of providing lighting thereat, with a view to enabling the youth of the locality to make better use of the pitch and, if not, why not? B/553 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

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

Whether he will state if tests for Thyroid (TFT) are no longer effected at the Victoria Hospital and, if so, the reasons therefor?

B/554 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Dayal**)

To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports:-

Whether, following the conversion of the Quartier Militaire football ground into a stadium, he will state if it is proposed to provide an alternative football ground thereat?

#### **R. R. Dowlutta** Clerk of the National Assembly

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A/13 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Lauthan**)

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

Whether, in regard to personal computers in each State Secondary School, he will state (a) the number available (b) the number that they should have and (c) the number of computers supplied to each school since July 2005, indicating the date of supply?

A/14 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East (**Mr Lauthan**)

To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Local Government:-

Whether, in regard to each of the projects undertaken by the Municipal Council of Port Louis for the period 0ctober 2000 to June 2005 in Constituency No. 3 (Port Louis Maritime and Port Louis East), he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom a list thereof, indicating in each case the total expenditure incurred and the date of completion?

> **R. R. Dowlutta** Clerk of the National Assembly

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