

MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

The Clerk

15 June 2022

To: The Secretary to Cabinet and Head of the Civil Service

PRIVATE NOTICE QUESTION

I have to inform you that the Honourable Leader of the Opposition, Charles Gaëtan Xavier-Luc Duval, GCSK, FCA, MP, has given notice of the following Private Notice Question which he proposes to put to the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues, Outer Islands and Territorial Integrity, at the sitting to be held today **Wednesday 15 June 2022 at 11.30 a.m.** –

To ask the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister for Rodrigues, Outer Islands and Territorial Integrity –

Whether, in regard to the numerous allegations of torture perpetrated by Police Officers having recently surfaced, he will state if consideration will be given for the setting up of a Commission of Inquiry with full fledge and wide terms to inquire thereinto, with particular reference to –

- (a) the extent of torture and degrading treatment perpetrated by Police Officers in Mauritius;
- (b) identifying, as far as possible, the perpetrators of such acts and potential miscarriage of justice resulting therefrom; and
- (c) making recommendations for a review of police procedures and for legislative changes in relation thereto?

Bibi Safeena Lotun (Mrs)

Clerk of the National Assembly