To: The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Energy and Public Utilities

Private Notice Question

I have to inform you that the Honourable Leader of the Opposition, Mr Paul Raymond Bérenger, GCSK, MP, has given notice of the following Private Notice Question which he proposes to put to Dr the Honourable Acting Prime Minister, Minister of Energy and Public Utilities at the sitting to be held today, **Tuesday 27 July 2010 at 11.30 a.m.**

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

Whether, in regard to the black-out which occurred on Sunday 18 July last, across the country, and with a view to avoiding any future risk of a shortfall in electricity supply, he will –

- (a) state where matters stand concerning the -
 - (i) CT power project;
 - (ii) Gamma Coventa project;
 - (iii) invitation for a Request for Expression of Interest in 2009 for the setting-up of a 100 MW power plant on a Build Operate Own scheme, based on any technology; and
- (b) obtain from the Central Electricity Board, information as to where matters stand in relation to the purchase of four additional 15 MW engines, indicating the estimated cost and tendering procedures followed?

Clerk of the National Assembly