

10 November 2009

To: The Financial Secretary

Private Notice Question

I have to inform you that the Honourable Leader of the Opposition, Mr Paul Raymond Bérenger, G.C.S.K., MP, has given notice of the following Private Notice Question which he proposes to put to Dr the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Empowerment at the sitting to be held today, **Tuesday 10 November 2009 at 11.30 a.m.**

To ask Dr the Honourable Vice-Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Economic Empowerment –

Whether he is aware that there has been a loss in the purchasing power of the employees of the public and private sectors, of the old-age pensioners and of the social aid recipients, since 2005 to date and, if so, will he state if –

- (a) any compensation will be paid as from 01 January 2010 and, if not, why not; and**
- (b) Government will now agree to go back to the tripartite forum used in the past to determine the salary compensation to be paid?**

R. R. Dowlutta
Clerk of the National Assembly

