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27 November 2007

To: The Senior Chief Executive, Prime Minister's Office

**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 Prime Minister, Minister of Defence & Home Affairs, Minister of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms and Minister of Rodrigues & Outer Islands at the sitting to be held today, **Tuesday 27 November 2007 at 11.30 a.m.**

*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 numerous allegations in relation to *protection money*, racketeering, blackmail, bribery and influence peddling levelled against the Major Crime and Investigation Team, the Curepipe Central Investigation Division and the *Brigade des Jeux*, he will state if –**

- (a) he had become aware of same in the past;**
- (b) inquiries have been carried out, indicating whether officers have been identified; and**
- (c) he will agree to the setting up of a Commission of Inquiry, chaired by a retired Judge, with powers to inquire and examine the assets and bank accounts of officers involved and report thereon?**

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

