

**MAURITIUS NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**Questions of which notice has been given**

**Requiring an Oral Answer**

**Sitting of Tuesday 18 March 2025**

**Questions addressed to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands**

B/128            The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac **(Mr Jhummun)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the construction of a New Air Traffic Control Tower at the Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Civil Aviation Department, information as to the (a) list of contractors shortlisted for the project (b) current status of the project, indicating the amount of fund disbursed so far and (c) expected completion date thereof?**

B/129            The Honourable Third Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle **(Mr Ramdass)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the Safe City Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the (a) name of the contractors and sub-contractors retained, if any, for the implementation of this project and (b) efficiency of the project in enhancing public safety, crime detection and criminal accountability?**

B/130 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil  
(Mr Beechook)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the Smart City Scheme, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the total land surface area approved thereunder, indicating the total amount of exemptions granted to the Promoters thereof to date in terms of (a) Income tax (b) Value Added Tax (c) Customs Duty (d) Land Transfer tax and (e) Morcellement tax?**

B/131 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (Mr Duval)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to proliferation of drugs in Mauritius, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, for the period 12 November 2024 to date, information as to the number of cases thereof reported to the Police, indicating the number of persons (a) arrested in relation thereto and (b) charged for drug related offences, indicating the number charged for (i) possession (ii) drug dealing and (iii) trafficking?**

B/132 The Honourable First Member for La Caverne and Phoenix  
(Mr Lobine)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the constant rise in the prison population, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Prison Service, information as to the (i) name of the actual Commissioner of Prisons (ii) official capacity of the prison system and (iii) actual total prison population including pre-trial and remand detainees and (b) state if he has been made aware of recent incidents occurring in the prisons due to the overpopulation thereof and lack of staff, indicating the measures being taken to alleviate this problem?**

B/133 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River  
(**Mr Jugurnauth**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the Surinam Industrial Building situated at Souillac Cemetery Road, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to (a) which department had the responsibility for the management thereof from 2014 to date and (b) whether it is currently operational, indicating the (i) maintenance costs thereof and (ii) total payments effected therefor to date?**

B/134 The Honourable Second Member for Rodrigues (**Mr François**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the Claim for Extended Continental Shelf in the region of Rodrigues Island, he will state where matters stand, indicating if all marine scientific research therefor have been concluded and, if so, table copy of the report, if any?**

B/135 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Duval**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the proposed broadening of the mandate of the Public Accounts Committee, he will state where matters stand, giving details thereof?**

B/136 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière (**Mr Quirin**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to an alleged case of assault on a group of persons on Sunday morning of 09 March 2025 at the St Felix Public Beach, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand as to the Police inquiry initiated thereinto, indicating if any arrest has been effected in connection therewith to date and if not, why not?**

B/137 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka  
(Dr Ms Thannoo)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to pilots employed by Air Mauritius Ltd., he will (a) state if consideration will be given for an investigation to be carried out on the working conditions thereof and (b) for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom information as to the measures being envisaged to ensure that the working conditions of foreign and Mauritian pilots, employed by the company, are at par and in line with international working standards?**

B/138 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (Mr Caserne)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to illegal motorcycle rallies on motorway M3, particularly from the Terre Rouge and Mamezelle Laure roundabout, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the urgent remedial measures being envisaged in relation thereto?**

B/139 The Honourable Fourth Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (Mr Duval)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to recent incidents on members of the public at public beaches, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to the (a) number of reported cases thereof since 11 November 2024 to date, indicating the number of (i) cases resulting in physical injury, including deaths (ii) cases involving sexual abuse (iii) incidents involving minors and (iv) persons provisionally charged in relation thereto and (b) measures being proposed to maintain law and order on public beaches?**

B/140 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Beejan**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the recruitment exercise for the post of Deputy Permanent Secretaries, advertised in 2023, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the number thereof recruited?**

B/141 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Beejan**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the Goodlands Police Station, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to (a) the number of (i) Police Officers posted thereat, indicating their respective rankings and (ii) vehicles assigned thereto and (b) the measures being envisaged, if any, to increase the manpower thereat for more effective policing within its jurisdiction?**

B/142 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka (**Mr Venkatasami**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to driving licences, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to whether there is any project to convert the current one to a smart card format and, if so, indicate the (a) cost of the project (b) number of licenses concerned and (c) scheduled timeframe therefor?**

B/143 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (**Dr Aumeer**)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands –*

**Whether, in regard to the 95 kgs of cocaine discovered in the engine of a tractopelle in July 2019, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Commissioner of Police, information as to where matters stand as to the inquiry initiated thereinto, indicating the number of arrests effected, if any, in connection therewith to date?**

**Questions addressed to Honourable Ministers, other than to Dr the Honourable Prime Minister, Minister of Defence, Home Affairs and External Communications, Minister of Finance, Minister for Rodrigues and Outer Islands**

B/144 The Honourable First Member for Rodrigues (**Ms Collet**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –*

**Whether, in regard to the 29<sup>th</sup> Volleyball Championship for Zone VII region held from 01 to 08 March 2025 in Mauritius, he will state the outcomes thereof, indicating (a) the level of participation in the event and (b) how it has contributed to the promotion of sports and youth development in the Republic?**

B/145 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Ms Anquetil**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government –*

**Whether, in regard to La Source Football playground, he will state (a) if he has been made aware of (i) the non-compliance thereof to be classified as a football field and (ii) the construction of a concrete barrier at the playground and (b) the measures being envisaged for the safety of the players thereat?**

B/146 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River (**Mr Babajee**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to road safety, he will state if consideration will be given for the opening, as a matter of urgency and public interest, of the connecting road from Flic-en-Flac coastal road to Tamarina road?**

B/147 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka  
**(Dr Ms Thannoo)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –*

**Whether, in regard to the Cote D’Or National Sports complex, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Multisports Infrastructure Ltd., information as to the number of people currently accessing and making use thereof for both professional and non-professional sports activities on a monthly basis, indicating the measures being envisaged to render the complex more accessible to the public?**

B/148 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac **(Dr Ms Daureeawo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Information Technology, Communication and Innovation –*

**Whether, in regard to the Information and Communication Technologies Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom information as to the number of barristers whose services have been retained thereat since January 2015 to November 2024, indicating the (a) number of cases assigned and (b) legal fees paid thereto, in each case?**

B/149 The Honourable Second Member for Rodrigues **(Mr François)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Wellness –*

**Whether, in regard to cancer care ecosystem for better care for all, he will state the (a) innovative policy and redefinition of care standards and meaningful change thereof, if any (b) percentage of cancer death and (c) most common type of cancer being diagnosed in the Republic of Mauritius?**

B/150 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mrs Savabaddy)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resource –*

**Whether, in regard to children with Autism, he will state the facilities provided thereto in public schools, indicating the (a) age group thereof (b) logistic support provided to these children, indicating the conveyance facilities put in place, if any and (c) number of specialized institutions catering for same, giving details thereof?**

B/151 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Ms Anquetil**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to flood mitigation at La Louise, he will state if the consultancy stage therefor has been completed and, if so, indicate (a) the main recommendations thereof and (b) when the project will be implemented and, if not, why not?**

B/152 The Honourable Third Member for Pamplémousses and Triolet (**Mr Rookny**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –*

**Whether, in regard to Trio Road and Chemin Macadam in Triolet and Baie du Tombeau, respectively, he will state if he has been made aware of the deplorable state thereof and, if so, indicate when remedial works will be carried out thereat, further indicating the (a) estimated cost thereof and (b) expected completion date thereof?**

B/153 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (**Ms Anquetil**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Land Transport –*

**Whether, in regard to the Cycle Network Project for the regions of Beau Bassin, Rose Hill and Ebène, he will state the (a) scope of works, indicating the associated costs thereof and (b) daily frequency of cyclists using the network?**

B/154 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Caserne**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to the new Morcellement project in Mamezelle Laure, Terre Rouge, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Land Drainage Authority, information as to whether any drain construction work is being envisaged thereat, indicating where matters stand, giving details (a) on the scope of works and (b) the expected start and completion dates thereof?**



B/155 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière **(Mr Quirin)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Integration, Social Security and National Solidarity –*

**Whether, in regard to designated Evacuee Centres on the occurrence of natural disasters in Constituency No. 20, Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière, he will state the (a) number thereof, indicating their respective locations and (b) arrangements put in place, if any, for the transportation of evacuees to these Centres promptly and safely?**

B/156 The Honourable Third Member for Pamplemousses and Triolet **(Mr Rookny)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Wellness –*

**Whether, in regard to medical negligence in public hospitals, he will state the number of reported alleged cases thereof by patients or their families over the past five years, indicating**

**(a) where matters stand as to the investigations being carried out thereinto (b) the sanctions imposed in confirmed cases of medical negligence and (c) the measures being implemented to prevent the recurrence of such instances?**

B/157 The Honourable Third Member for Vieux Grand Port and Rose Belle **(Mr Ramdass)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resource –*

**Whether, in regard to primary and secondary schools, he will state if he has been made aware of the deplorable state of some of these schools, indicating if his Ministry is planning to carry out an audit to gauge the civil works required to bring the physical infrastructures and hygienic facilities thereof up to norm?**

B/158 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue **(Mr Caserne)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resource –*

**Whether he will state if he has been made aware of an incident that occurred at the Professor Hassan Raffa State Secondary School on 10 March 2025 and, if so, indicate the (a) casualties, if any, reported and (b) remedial actions being envisaged to avoid the recurrence thereof?**

B/159 The Honourable Second Member for Savanne and Black River  
**(Mr Jugurnauth)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government –*

**Whether, in regard to the bare land of an extent of 8 arpents situated at Martinière Road, Surinam, currently abandoned and being used unlawfully as a wasteland, he will state the measures being envisaged in relation thereto?**

B/160 The Honourable Third Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka  
**(Mr Venkatasami)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Land Transport –*

**Whether, in regard to the National Land Transport Authority, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the number of vacancies at the (a) Administrative and Management level and (b) Inspectorate and Enforcement Department, indicating (i) the impact thereof on service delivery and (ii) when the vacant posts will be filled?**

B/161 The Honourable Third Member for Pamplemousses and Triolet  
**(Mr Rookny)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry, Food Security, Blue Economy and Fisheries –*

**Whether, in regard to fishermen cards, he will state the (a) number thereof allocated to fishermen in Baie du Tombeau, Pointe aux Piments, Mont Choisy, Trou aux Biches and Grand Baie for the past three years and (b) number of persons booked for illegal fishing during the same period, indicating if consideration will be given to regularising these persons?**

B/162 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière  
**(Mr Quirin)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –*

**Whether, in regard to Active Mauritius, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Sports Council, information as to the (a) amount of funds allocated thereto on a yearly basis since 2018 to 2024 and January 2025 to date and (b) number of coaches employed therefor region-wise, indicating in each case (i) the names and respective sports fields and (ii) monthly allowances paid thereto?**

B/163 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(Mr Babajee)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to the villages of Tamarin, La Preneuse and Black River, he will state if his Ministry is in presence of any project and/or feasibility study recommending the construction of a Yemen-Matalla bypass road to alleviate the heavy road traffic in those villages and, if so, give details thereof?**

B/164 The Honourable Fourth Member for Rodrigues (Mr Edouard)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resource –*

**Whether, in regard to the proposed reforms in the Education sector, he will state if consideration will be given for the introduction of Rodriguan values, particularly Rodrigues history, culture and traditions, in the primary school curriculum in Rodrigues?**

B/165 The Honourable First Member for Rodrigues (Ms Collet)

*To ask the Honourable the Attorney-General –*

**Whether, in regard to access to justice, he will state the measures being envisaged to (a) ensure that citizens from economically disadvantaged backgrounds and vulnerable groups have access to effective legal aid and (b) address any barriers that may prevent same?**

B/166 The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (Mr Jhummun)

*To ask the Honourable the Attorney-General –*

**Whether, in regard to Mr P. U., a Slovakian national, he will state the circumstances that led to the removal of the Slovakian despite pending extradition proceedings before the Port Louis District Court (3rd Division) and an interim order from the Supreme Court, duly served on the relevant authorities, indicating the action taken and/or being envisaged to prevent any such occurrence?**

B/167 The Honourable First Member for La Caverne and Phoenix  
(Mr Lobine)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Land Transport –*

**Whether, in regard to the Metro Express project phase 3 connecting Rose Hill to Réduit and to be subsequently extended to St Pierre via Cote D'or, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to (a) whether a feasibility study was carried out thereinto and, if so, table copy thereof, indicating the name of the consultant and amount paid thereto and (b) the costs of the project, indicating the amount of fund in terms of infrastructural work to be incurred by the Government therefor?**

B/168 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(Mr Babajee)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –*

**Whether, in regard to the pipe laying project across the island, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to the amount of fund disbursed therefor, indicating (a) if the project was carried out by contractors or in-house workers and (b) where works have not yet been completed and (c) the reasons as to why these pipes have not been buried at the depth of 900mm as per specifications?**

B/169 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka  
(Dr Ms Thannoo)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Land Transport –*

**Whether, in regard to parking spaces reserved to persons with disabilities, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the specific law that governs same, indicating**

**(a) the authority which regulates and enforces the proper use of these spaces and (b) the measures being proposed to protect the rights of these people to enjoy full accessibility thereto?**

B/170 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Dr Aumeer)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Wellness –*

**Whether, in regard to the procurement of Thermal scanners during the COVID-19 Pandemic, he will state the number thereof ordered through Bo Digital, indicating the (a) amount disbursed therefor and (b) number thereof unused to date?**

B/171 The Honourable Third Member for Beau Bassin and Petite Rivière **(Mr Quirin)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –*

**Whether, in regard to the Mauritius Football Association, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom information as to (a) whether all procedures were followed with regard to the Elective General Assembly thereof held on 27 November 2024, indicating the (i) names of the candidates standing for the post of President of the Association and (ii) the reasons as to why the candidature of Mr E. R. for the post was rejected and (b) the composition of the newly elected managing committee?**

B/172 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac **(Dr Ms Daureeawo)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry, Food Security, Blue Economy and Fisheries –*

**Whether, in regard to the Britannia Organic project, he will state where matters stand as to the work in progress thereof, indicating the amount of fund invested in the project to date?**

B/173 The Honourable Second Member for Quartier Militaire and Moka **(Dr Ms Thannoo)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Labour and Industrial Relations –*

**Whether, in regard to dormitories put at the disposal of foreign workers as provided for in the Occupational Safety and Health Act, he will state the surface area of the rooms and the number of people per room, indicating if they are equipped with messroom, bathroom and toilet facilities as per the provisions of the Act?**

B/174 The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien **(Mr Apollon)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports-*

**Whether, in regard to the Liverpool Football Academy Project, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the sum invested into the academy up to December 2024, indicating the outcome derived under this project for Mauritius?**

B/175 The Honourable First Member for La Caverne and Phoenix  
(Mr Lobine)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Land Transport –*

**Whether, in regard to the National Transport Corporation, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom, information as to the bidding exercises launched by the Corporation for the procurement and award of contracts for spare parts since January 2023 to date, indicating (a) the names of the suppliers thereof, further indicating in each case the (i) contractual value thereof and (ii) amount paid to the suppliers and (b) if he has been aware of any irregularities and/or malpractices regarding the procurement thereof?**

B/176 The Honourable Second Member for Belle Rose and Quatre Bornes (Ms Anquetil)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Gender Equality and Family Welfare –*

**Whether, in regard to Baby S. admitted at the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit of the SSRN Hospital on 21 October 2022, she will state if consideration will be given to making public the recommendations of the Fact-Finding Committee set up to look into this case?**

B/177 The Honourable Fourth Member for Rodrigues (Mr Edouard)

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry, Food Security, Blue Economy and Fisheries –*

**Whether, in regard to the container park in Rodrigues, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to the measures being envisaged to address the problem of delivery of container due to lack of space thereat, indicating if he will use his good offices to request the Mauritius Ports Authority to put the site situated at the ex-slaughterhouse in the port area falling under its purview for the storage of containers?**

B/178 The Honourable First Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (Mrs Savabaddy)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Wellness –*

**Whether, in regard to assaults on staff of public hospitals, he will state the number of reported cases thereof on doctors, nurses and other non-medical staff since January 2024 to date, indicating the measures being envisaged to prevent such occurrences?**

B/179 The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien **(Mr Apollon)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry, Food Security, Blue Economy and Fisheries –*

**Whether, in regard to the proposed relocation of pig farm/s found at Carreau Accacia, Le Bouchon, he will state where matters stand?**

B/180 The Honourable Third Member for Pamplémousses and Triolet **(Mr Rookny)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Financial Services and Economic Planning –*

**Whether, in regard to the FSC/OECD Regional Centre of Excellence, she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Centre, information as to the (a) background, objectives and mandate thereof (b) specific achievements made under each of its objectives to date (c) annual expenditure of the Centre and (d) key performance indicators put in place to ensure that public funds are utilized efficiently?**

B/181 The Honourable Second Member for Rodrigues **(Mr François)**

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change –*

**Whether, in regard to the Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) 3.0 update for the forthcoming COP30, he will state where matters stand, indicating (a) if consultations have been held thereon with the community at large (b) the mechanisms and strategies for financing being put in place therefor and (c) the outcomes of the previous NDC?**

B/182 The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac **(Mr Jhummun)**

*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Financial Services and Economic Planning –*

**Whether, in regard to the pension funds managed by the State Insurance Company of Mauritius Ltd., she will, for the benefit of the House, obtain therefrom information as to (a) the status of the funds from 2014 to 2024, indicating the qualifications and benefits drawn by those managing same and (b) whether any case of mismanagement has been reported in relation thereto and, if so, the actions taken to remedy the situation?**

- B/183           The Honourable Second Member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien **(Mr Apollon)**  
*To ask the Honourable Minister of Land Transport –*  
**Whether, in regard to the issue of temporary public service licenses to buses and taxis, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain from the National Land Transport Authority, information as to the number of such licenses delivered from 2015 to 2024, indicating the procedures adopted to award these licenses and (b) state if consideration will be given for the setting up of an inquiry to look into the circumstances for the granting of these licenses?**
- B/184           The Honourable Second Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac **(Mr Jhummun)**  
*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry, Food Security, Blue Economy and Fisheries –*  
**Whether, in regard to monkeys, he will state the number thereof exported, yearly, since 2014 to date, indicating the (a) average selling price thereof (b) annual revenue generated yearly, since 2014 to date and (c) short and long run plan of the Ministry in relation to such trade?**
- B/185           The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac **(Dr Ms Daureeawo)**  
*To ask the Honourable the Attorney-General –*  
**Whether, in regard to the Judiciary, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Master and Registrar, information as to whether any survey has been carried out on the conditions of the existing courts infrastructure and, if so, indicate the actions being envisaged to address the issues, if any, identified?**
- B/186           The Honourable First Member for La Caverne and Phoenix **(Mr Lobine)**  
*To ask Dr the Honourable Minister of Education and Human Resource –*  
**Whether, in regard to the case referred to the Public Bodies Appeal Tribunal regarding the appointment of officers to the grades of Headmaster and Deputy Headmaster from 2019 to 2021 and after the final determination of the Tribunal confirming their substantive appointment, he will, for the benefit of the House, state if consideration will be given for the matter to be referred to the High Powered Committee to look into the possibility of payments of gratuity and pension benefits for all those officers who retired before the final determination of the Tribunal?**



B/187 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil  
(Mr Beechook)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to the recurring flooding issues in Poste de Flacq and surrounding area and the subsequent site visit effected by Officers of the Land Drainage Authority on Wednesday**

**5 February 2025, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to where matters stand as to the proposed mitigation actions plan to be implemented thereat?**

B/188 The Honourable First Member for Savanne and Black River  
(Mr Babajee)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to the Chamarel/Plaine Champagne Road recently reopened to road users on 20 February 2025, he will state if (a) a road safety survey has been effected prior its reopening and, if so, give details thereof and (b) consideration will be given for the cleaning and trimming of trees along the roadsides?**

B/189 The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis South and Port Louis Central (Dr Aumeer)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Social Integration, Social Security and National Solidarity –*

**Whether, in regard to disability pensions, he will state the number of persons whose invalid pensions have been cancelled over the last four years, indicating the (a) reasons therefor and (b) measures taken by his Ministry to ensure that bona fide cases are not penalized?**

B/190 The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (Mr Beejan)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Health and Wellness –*

**Whether, in regard to the Goodlands Mediclinic, he will state the (a) operating hours thereof (b) facilities available and services provided thereat and (c) number of staff posted thereat, indicating their respective capacities?**

B/191 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil  
(Mr Beechook)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Youth and Sports –*

**Whether, in regard to the program Support to Students/Athletes pursuing Tertiary/Vocational Studies (Locally & Abroad), he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Trust Fund for Excellence in Sports, information as to the number of athletes having benefitted thereunder and amount disbursed during the last five years?**

B/192 The Honourable Third Member for Rivière des Anguilles and Souillac (Dr Ms Daureeawo)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Local Government –*

**Whether, in regard to road safety, he will (a) for the benefit of the House, obtain information as to whether his Ministry is in possession of any report identifying roads in residential areas without pavements and (b) state if consideration will be given to amending the relevant legislations to provide for mandatory designated space for (i) the construction of pavements in residential areas and (ii) cycle tracks along newly constructed roads?**

B/193 The Honourable First Member for Rodrigues (Ms Collet)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Public Service and Administrative Reforms –*

**Whether, in regard to the Public Service Excellence Award, he will state the (a) objectives thereof (b) eligibility criteria to participate therein and (c) scope of participation for public officers in Rodrigues?**

B/194 The Honourable Second Member for Flacq and Bon Accueil  
(Mr Beechook)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Energy and Public Utilities –*

**Whether, in regard to the pipe replacement projects in the villages of Palmar, Quatre Cocos, and Belle Mare/Mare du Puits locality, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Central Water Authority, information as to where matters stand?**

B/195        The Honourable Second Member for Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or (**Mr Beejan**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Labour and Industrial Relations*

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**Whether, in regard to Lodging Accommodation Permit, he will state the (a) expected time frame for an inspection to be carried out upon receipt of a new application therefor and (b) number of permits granted in Constituency No. 6, Grand' Baie and Poudre d'Or since 2019 to 2024, giving details thereof?**

B/196        The Honourable Third Member for Port Louis North and Montagne Longue (**Mr Caserne**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of National Infrastructure –*

**Whether, in regard to the street lighting system on motorways M1, M2 & M3, including the new bypass road leading to the Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport, he will state if he has been made aware of several stretches where same are not functional, indicating the (a) remedial measures being envisaged and (b) frequency at which checks are carried out along these roads during the night?**

**Navin Gopall**

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