1. The Executive Council has agreed for the grant of a financial support of Rs 60,000 to the Rodrigues Coffee Producers Multi-purposes Cooperative Society involved in the coffee production project at Saint Gabriel to enable the cooperative to pay for additional labour with a view to catch up with the plantation of 4,500 coffee seedlings by the end of April 2015 as recommended by the Coffee Expert.

2. The Executive Council has agreed that the Commission for Agriculture hire the service of a „Pépinièriste” to provide technical assistance and training to persons involved in the project of Setting up of Orchard in Rodrigues.

3. The Executive Council has agreed that the Commission for Environment procures a plastic bottle shredder for the Integrated Waste Segregation Centre to be implemented at Roche Bon Dieu. The main activities to be carried out at the Centre will include the processing of glass bottles, plastic bottles and the segregation of recycles materials.

4. The Executive Council has taken note that a representative of the Commission for Environment has on 08 April 2015 participated in the seminar on the project for capacity development on coastal protection and rehabilitation in the Republic of Mauritius. The seminar was held at the Westin Turtle Bay Resort and Spa, Balaclava, Mauritius and was organized by the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Expert Team in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment, Sustainable Development, Disaster and Beach Management.
5. The Executive Council has taken note of the performance of the Rodriguan athletes in the National Youth Games 2015. Our athletes won 31 gold, 10 silver and 14 bronze medals. The following have been awarded as Best Athletes in the game:

- Boxing : RAFFIN Marie Catherine (Female)
- Wrestling : MARENGO Mikenson
  ABDOOL Amita
- Volleyball : CUPIDON Manuella (Girls)
  EDOUARD Aurelien (Boy)
- Judo : AZIE Aurelie
- Athletics : GENTIL Anais

6. The Executive Council has taken note of the increase in the number of tourist arrival in Rodrigues for the month of March 2015. 3,771 tourists visited Rodrigues during the month as compared to 3,603 for the same period in the year 2014, representing an increase of 4.66%.

7. The Executive Council has agreed for the naming of bus stops in Rodrigues. This aims at facilitating the movement of people visiting the island.

8. The Executive Council has taken note that a representative of the Commission for Environment will participate in the national workshop on “Financial Protection against Natural and Climatic Disasters” to be held on 13 April 2015 at the Indian Ocean Secretariat in Mauritius.

9. The Executive Council has taken note of the proposed activities to be organized to mark the inaugural flight of Air Austral in Rodrigues on 08 May 2015.

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