The Executive Council met at 09.00 hours this Friday 02 October 2015 under the chairmanship of the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Louis Serge CLAIR, G.C.S.K.

1. The Executive Council has agreed for the grant of an agricultural permit over two portion of land at Baie Topaze and Corail Petite Butte to the Federation des Associations Co-operatives des Eleveurs de Rodrigues Ltd (FACER) for the implementation of the community pasture projects. The pasture projects will help in implementing the cut and carry concept among breeders.

2. The Executive Council has agreed for the organization of two day’s open day at the Commission for Agriculture, Citronelle on 16 and 17 October 2015 to mark the World Food Day 2015. The theme chosen by the United Nation for this year is “Social protection and Agriculture: breaking the cycle of rural poverty”.

3. The Executive Council has taken note that the Commission for Industrial Development is holding a high level workshop in the context of the Rodrigues Investment Policy Forum on Tuesday 13 October 2015. The objective of the workshop is to gather all relevant stakeholders, public and private, as well as potential investors, to enable them to participate actively in the formulation of a tailor-made investment promotion approach and appropriate strategy to improve the investment climate of Rodrigues.

4. The Executive Council has taken note that a contract has been awarded for the construction of a Youth and Women Centre at English Bay.

6. The Executive Council has taken note of the status as regards to the launching of tender for the Selection of a Consultant for the Global Consultancy Services for Selected Development Projects in Rodrigues. Fourteen applicants have been shortlisted following the Expression of Interest exercise and the closing date for the submission of proposal has been fixed for 12 November 2015.

7. The Executive Council has taken note that Mr. Yves LESPERAT from “La Fédération Francaise de La Randonnée Pédestre” from France will visit Rodrigues from 02 to 12 October 2015. During his holidays, Mr. LESPERAT will benevolently provide training to sixteen guides and aspiring guides of the Randonnée Pédestre in Rodrigues from 04 to 10 October 2015.

8. The Executive Council has taken note that a delegation from the Tourism Employees Welfare Fund will be on mission to Rodrigues from 06 to 10 October 2015. The aim of the visit is to carry out an awareness campaign among the Tourist Enterprises registered in Rodrigues.

9. The Executive has taken note that a Bronze Award Presentation Ceremony to thirty-two (32) participants of the Duke of Edinburgh’s International Award is being held on Saturday 03 October 2015 at La Residence, Port Mathurin.

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