PRESS RELEASE

The Executive Council met at 09.00 hours this Friday 03 August 2012 under the chairmanship of the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Louis Serge CLAIR, G.C.S.K. and has among its deliberations:

DECIDED:

(i) To approve the conversion of one wing of the SEMPA office at Port Sud Est into a “Centre de Lecture et d’Animation Culturelle” to facilitate access to information and Library Services to the people of the regions.

(ii) To approve the release of funds in favour of the Rodrigues Water Company for the payment of operation costs for the month of July 2012.

TAKEN NOTE

(i) That Mr. J. BRUNEAU, Commissioner of Prisons will be on mission to Rodrigues from 06 to 11 August 2012. A ceremony will be held to award the Good Conduct and Long Service Medals to seven (7) staff of the Rodrigues Prison during his visit.

(ii) That fourteen (14) scholarships have been earmarked for the Rodrigues Regional Assembly for training in India under the Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) and Special Commonwealth Assistance for Africa Programme (SCAAP) Training Programme.

(iii) Of the proposed mission of the Director Procurement and Supply and team to Rodrigues from 07 to 14 August 2012.
(iv) That Mr. S. DHUNOO and Dr. Mrs. S. SWARUP from the Mauritius Institute of Education will be in Rodrigues from 06 to 08 August 2012 to conduct a three days training programme in favour of teachers and parents of the Special Education Need Sector (SENS).

(v) Of the main recommendations of the Technical Committee on Small and Medium Enterprise Development amongst others to establish a fast track team to assess all requests for industrial and commercial leases and to consider the possibility of negotiating a Memorandum of Understanding between the Commission for Health and the parent Ministry in respect of the testing and certification of our agro-products.

(vi) Of the progress achieved so far in respect of the setting up of a Medical Unit at the Commission for Social Security.

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