INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

FOR

THE MANAGEMENT OF RESPITE CARE CENTRE AT PITON, RODRIGUES

REF. NO. EOI 02 OF JULY 2017/JUNE 2018

1. BACKGROUND

The Commission for Social Security, Housing, Labour & Industrial Relations, Consumer Protection and Employment is keen to ensure the welfare of elderly and persons with disabilities. In this context, the Commission has completed the construction of a Respite Care Centre at Piton, Rodrigues which has been completely furnished and which will work towards:

1. reducing the possibility of abuse and neglect

2. enhancing family relationship, creates cohesion of family ties by providing means of rehabilitation and also alleviate exhaustion, depression, burnout symptoms in families caring for elderly disabled persons

3. helping family caregivers to have more time for themselves

4. providing renewal, relaxation, energy, space, pleasure, identity, time and engagement with friends and family for the elderly.

5. providing opportunities to the elderly and persons with disabilities to build new relationships and move toward a less dependent living.

6. The Maximum residential capacity of the centre is 10 guests.
2. **OBJECTIVES**

The main objectives of the centre are:-

1. To ensure continuity in the fight against ill treatment and achieving safe ageing and welfare of the elderly and persons with disabilities.

2. To help family caregivers to have more time for themselves

3. To reduce conflict and stress caused by the demanding responsibility of care giving

4. To promote the welfare of both vulnerable and non-vulnerable elderly and persons with disabilities persons by providing them with diverse services and recreational activities.

The Commission for Social Security and Others is hereby inviting qualified firms/service providers with appropriate experience and resources to indicate their interest for the management and the day to day running of the Residential Care Home for the disabled, dependent and reduced mobility elders.

Interested organisations are invited to submit their proposals to the address below not later than 13.00 hours (local time) on 20 October 2017.

Envelopes must be clearly marked: “Management of Respite Care Centre, Piton Rodrigues”.

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**Date: 20 September 2017**