



RODRIGUES REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

MAIN DECISIONS

Executive Council Meeting – Friday 16 May 2025

The Executive Council met today under the chairmanship of the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Franceau Aubret GRANDCOURT, G.O.S.K; and has among its deliberations:

DECIDED

- (i) That the Chief Commissioner's Office, Commission for State Land will grant additional plot of land at Camp du Roi to an applicant for the construction of a parking.
- (ii) That the Chief Commissioner's Office, Commission for Environment will transfer the ownership of the D6 crawler tractor, attached at Grenade Dumping site to Rodclean Company Ltd for the efficient management of the site.
- (iii) That the Deputy Chief Commissioner's Office, Commission for Industrial Development will sponsor a young entrepreneur under the SME Skills Development Programme for her placement in beauty care at "Marion Académie de Coiffure & Esthétique" in Mauritius from July to December 2025.
- (iv) That the Commission for Agriculture will organise a technology review workshop in Rodrigues, focusing on Bean Seed and Garlic/Onion production in collaboration with the FAREI for its staff and local planters.

- (v) That the Commission for Agriculture will implement the revised protocol for the movement of livestock from Rodrigues to Mauritius, as approved by Cabinet at its meeting of Friday 9th May 2025.
- (vi) That the Commission for Arts and Culture will disburse financial assistance to eight (8) artists under the Artist Assistance Scheme during an Award Ceremony which will be held on Friday 30th May 2025 at the Cultural and Leisure Centre, Mon Plaisir.
- (vii) That the Commission for Arts and Culture will set up of a Joint Editorial Committee for the publication and printing of the 3rd Edition of the book titled "The Island of Rodrigues" by Alfred North-Coombes.

TAKEN NOTE

- (i) That the Honourable Sayed Muhammad Aadil AMEER MEEA, Minister for Industrial Development, SME's and Co-operatives will be on official visit to Rodrigues from 25th to 29th May 2025.
- (ii) That the Chief Commissioner's Office, Commission for Environment has awarded a contract for the construction of an animal shed at La Boucherie for a farmer in connection with the relocation of her agricultural/livestock activities in the context of the Airport Development Project.
- (iii) That the Deputy Chief Commissioner's Office, Commission for Education will launch advertisement of scholarships for academic year 2025-2026:
 - (a) Medical Scholarship – One (01) fully funded and two (02) partly funded;
 - (b) Paramedical (Allied Health) Scholarship - Two (02) partly funded;
 - (c) Veterinary Scholarship - Two (02) partly funded; and
 - (d) RRA Technical Scholarship – Two (02) scholarships
- (iv) That at its meeting held on Tuesday 13th May 2025, the Building and Land Use Permit Committee has approved the grant of ten (10) Residential and three (03) Commercial Building and Land Use Permit.

- (v) That the Commission for Information Technology and Telecommunications will organise the 4th edition of the ROD IT Fair under the theme “L’informatique et les Jeunes” from 23rd to 25th May 2025 on Bay Lascar Football Ground with participants from Mauritius and Rodrigues.
- (vi) That that the Commission for Labour and Industrial Relations will organise a one-day workshop in connection with the setting up of the Rodrigues Labour Tripartite Consultative Committee for Employers, Representatives of Employer’s and Worker’s Associations and Trade Unions on Tuesday 27th May 2025 at the Cultural and Leisure Centre, Mon Plaisir.
- (vii) That according to last statistical records, 6,598 tourists visited Rodrigues during the month of February 2025, compared to 5,808 for February 2024 which depicts an increase of 13.6%.
- (viii) That in the context of the International Museum Day, which is celebrated on the 18th of May each year, the Commission for Arts and Culture will organise an Open Day on Saturday 17th May 2025 at Rodrigues Museum, Baie Lascar.
- (ix) That the Commission for Youth and Sports will provide assistance to Shoals Rodrigues to enable fifty (50) Award Participants to complete their qualifying Adventurous Journey and Voluntary Service in Mauritius from 17th to 27th July 2025.
- (x) Of the inauguration of the Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA) Project, funded by Mauritius Telecom Foundation, at Baie du Nord on 22nd May 2025.

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