

RODRIGUES REGIONAL ASSEMBLY Executive Council

MAIN DECISIONS

Executive Council Meeting – Friday 22 July 2022

The Executive Council met today under the chairmanship of the Acting Chief Commissioner, Mr. Franceau Aubret GRANDCOURT and has among its deliberations:

DECIDED

- (i) To release the annual grant, to the Association des Ecoles Maternelles de Rodrigues to meet expenses related to the management and operation of 31 pre-primary schools falling under its purview during Financial Year 2022/2023, on a quarterly basis.
- (ii) That the Commission for Education will provide a grant to the Rodrigues Educational Company (REDCO) Ltd in addition to funding being provided by the Private Secondary Education Authority (PSEA) to meet its management and operational costs other than schools related expenditure during the Financial Year 2022/2023 to be disbursed on a quarterly basis.
- (iii) That the Deputy Chief Commissioner's Office will provide a non–refundable contribution of Rs 3,043,074 to the CEB for the extension of the electricity network to the parcelised residential zones at Montagne Cabris Est, Patate Theophile, Var Brule, Songes, Mourouk and the Commercial/Industrial zone at Oyster Bay.

- (iv) That the Chief Commissioner's Office (Commission for Training) will carry out a bidding exercise for the Upgrading Works at the Antoinette Prudence Human Resource Development Centre with a view of providing a more conducive and safer environment to the staff and members of the public who call thereat.
- (v) That the Commission for Arts and Culture will meet the cost of return air ticket to Mauritius to Mr James CASTEL for his participation in Seychelles Biennale of Contemporary Art 2022 from 29 July to 03 August 2022. The cost of his travelling from Mauritius to Seychelles will be paid by the Ministry of Arts and Culture.

TAKEN NOTE

- (i) That a training is scheduled for officers of the Commission for Water Resources on the o8 and 10 August 2022 in the context of the "Observatoire de L'Eau" project being implemented under the FEXTE (Fonds d'Expertise Technique et d'Échange d'Expériences) Eau Programme of Agence Française de Developpement (AFD) with the technical assistance of the Office de l'Eau Réunion.
- (ii) That the Commission for Water Resources will procure pipes and fittings for the installation of a water main from Trèfles to Coromandel reservoir to improve the transfer of desalinated water from Roche Bon Dieu reservoir for distribution to villages of Coromandel, Patate Tehophile, Trois Soleil, Montagne Cabris Est, Mt Ursule, St Francois, Anse Femi, Batatran and Graviers.
- (iii) Of the outcome of the participation of the delegation of the Rodrigues Tourism Office led by the Commissioner for Tourism, Mr J. A. WONG SO in a Roadshow organised by the Mauritius Tourism Promotion Authority (MTPA), in four strategic towns in Germany, from 04 to 07 July 2022.
- (iv) Of the Annual Marketing Plan prepared by the Rodrigues Tourism Office (RTO) for the year 2022-2023 which outlines the promotional and marketing approach that will be implemented to better promote the destination through participation in some 17 Regional and International Countries Tourism Fairs/Events.

- (v) Of the visit of a delegation of the Procurement Policy Office (PPO) in Rodrigues from 07 to 13 August 2022 to conduct training for officers of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly and local suppliers on e-procurement system. This training scheduled last year could not be carried out because of the unavailability of commercial flights during sanitary restriction due to Covid-19 Pandemic.
- (vi) Of the mission report of the Breast Cancer Care Association, regarding the launching of awareness and screening campaign, training of Rodriguan Medical Staff and recommendation with regard to the management of Breast Cancer patients in Rodrigues.

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