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NATIONAL DAY AWARDS 2024

On the occasion of National Day 2024 and on the advice of the Honourable Pravind Kumar Jugnauth, Prime Minister of the Republic of Mauritius, His Excellency Mr Prithvirajsing ROOPUN, GCSK, President of the Republic of Mauritius, has been pleased to confer the following awards:-

**GRAND COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE STAR AND KEY OF
THE INDIAN OCEAN (GCSK)**

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| 1. AUTREY Dr Louis Jean Claude, CSK | For valuable contribution in the fields of education and science |
| 2. BANCOULT Louis Olivier, OSK | For valuable contribution to the welfare of the Chagossian Community |
| 3. SEEGOLAM Harvesh Kumar | For valuable contribution in the banking sector |
| 4. VIRAH SAWMY Late Narendraj
(also known as Dev Virahsawmy) | For valuable contribution in the field of education particularly in promotion of Mauritian Creole language and literature |

**GRAND OFFICER OF THE ORDER OF THE STAR AND KEY OF THE
INDIAN OCEAN (GOSK)**

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| 1. DIP Anil Kumarsing, CSK | For commendable service in the Police Force |
| 2. GRANDCOURT Franceau Aubret | For distinguished service in the political field |
| 3. GUIMBEAU Late Eric Joseph Raoul | For significant contribution in the economic sector |
| 4. LAL M. Sudhamo, CSK | For significant contribution in the administration and collection of taxes |
| 5. LEUNG SHING Noël | For significant contribution in the business sector |
| 6. MARTIN Arnaud, CSK | For valuable contribution in the field of tourism |

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| 7. | NEERUNJUN Premode | For valuable contribution in the public sector |
| 8. | PURMESSUR Satish | For valuable contribution in the sugar sector |
| 9. | RAMTOOLA Oomar | For valuable contribution in the field of aviation |
| 10. | VENKATASAWMY (Mrs) Rita, OSK | In recognition for her commendable service in the promotion of child welfare |

COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE STAR AND KEY OF THE INDIAN OCEAN (CSK)

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| 1. | DOWLUTTA Ram Ranjit | For significant contribution in the public service |
| 2. | JAGARNATH HARDOWAR (Mrs) Namita | For contribution in the promotion of business development |
| 3. | MULLOO Virjanan | For long and dedicated service |
| 4. | NAYECK Joyker | For dedicated service in the diplomatic field |
| 5. | OARIS Dr Dawood, OSK | For dedicated service in the medical field |
| 6. | RAMDHONY Leckrajasing | For distinguished service in the social field |
| 7. | RAMDUNY Pravesh | For dedicated service to the community |
| 8. | SOOBEN Madeven | For distinguished service in the social field |

OFFICER OF THE ORDER OF THE STAR AND KEY OF THE INDIAN OCEAN (OSK)

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| 1. | BISSESSUR Sooroojlall
(also known as Suryadev) | For contribution in the social field |
| 2. | BESSOONDYAL Dr Hemant | For contribution in the field of tertiary education |
| 3. | CHORAMUN Mr Rohit Kumar | For contribution in the social and cultural fields |

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| 4. | DIOLLE Louis Patrice Sebastien | For contribution in the social field |
| 5. | HAZAREESING Balwant Raj
(also known as Dhiraj) | For contribution in the social and cultural fields |
| 6. | LESTE Georges Raphaël | For contribution in religious and social fields |
| 7. | LUCHMUN Atmanand
(also known as Ved) | For contribution in the business sector |
| 8. | MANTADIN Gawtum | For contribution in the social and cultural fields |
| 9. | PENTAYAH Atmaramoodoo | For contribution in the social and cultural fields |
| 10. | PUTLAJEE Arjoon | For contribution in the field of music |
| 11. | RAGNUTH Kevin Ragoonath | For contribution in the social and cultural fields |
| 12. | RAMJEE Rajendra Prasad, MSK | For contribution in the social and cultural fields |
| 13. | ROHEE Sookreetdass | For contribution in the religious and cultural fields |
| 14. | SAVRIAPEN (Mrs) Josée Monique | For contribution in the fields of cooperatives and social work |
| 15. | SUNTOOBACUS Hurryduth | For contribution in the social field |

PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL (PDSM)

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| 1. | CAREMBEN Mariahven
(also known as Vassen) | For contribution in labour and industrial relations matters |
| 2. | CAUSSY Dr Beerdarshansingh | For long and dedicated service in the medical field |
| 3. | MONVOISIN Louis Mario | For long and dedicated service in the field of cooperatives |
| 4. | RAMPUTH Premnath | For long and dedicated service in the promotion of social welfare |
| 5. | SHADOOBACCUS Riad Ali | For contribution in the public service |

6. SUNKUR Jumoondar For contribution in the area of population health statistics

MEMBER OF THE ORDER OF THE STAR AND KEY OF THE INDIAN OCEAN (MSK)

1. AREKION Dr James Steeve For contribution in the social field
2. BALLOO Nunkoomar For contribution in the social field
3. BAHADOOR Vedmetra For contribution in the social field
4. BEERJOO (Mrs) Sakuntala Devi For contribution in the social and cultural fields
5. BETCHOO Dhurmanund For dedicated service to the community
6. BETSY Late Clarel For contribution in the musical field
7. BUNDHUN Fayzal For contribution in the field of sports
8. DUPAVILLON (Ms) Thérèse Maryse For long and dedicated service in the promotion of early childhood care and education
9. ERRIAH Appanah (also known as Ram) For contribution in the social field
10. GASPARD Jean Claude For contribution in the field of music
11. KHOOBLALL Mahendrasing For contribution at regional level
12. KHURUG Tarachand For contribution in the social field
13. LOTUN Ben Farouk For contribution in the social field
14. MARGUERITTE Mario Vivian Joseph For contribution in the social field
15. MOOTOOSAMY Moorooayah (also known as Saminaden) For contribution in the field of culture
16. POTIAH Vishnoo For contribution in the field of culture
17. RAWOOJEE Navin (also known as Ajay) For contribution in the social field

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| 18. | STE MARIE (Miss) Naikene | For contribution in the social field |
| 19. | SURNAM Dr Narayensingh | For contribution in the medical field |

PRESIDENT'S MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL (PMSM)

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| 1. | ALLADEEN Aboo Twaleb | For long and dedicated service |
| 2. | AYASAMY Selvanaden | For long and meritorious service |
| 3. | BEDEUX Jean Alain | For long and meritorious service |
| 4. | CALLEEMALAY (Mrs) Vasendah | For long and dedicated service |
| 5. | DOOKHEEA Chubbylall | For long and dedicated service |
| 6. | JODHA Premllal | For dedicated service |
| 7. | NUNDLOLL Santaram | For long and dedicated service |
| 8. | PORAN Bhoovain | For long and dedicated service |
| 9. | PURDASY (Mrs) Amina Bibi | For long and dedicated service |
| 10. | REEDOY Harrish | For dedicated service in the field of education |
| 11. | SEEBURN Sooneenduth | For long and dedicated service |
| 12. | SEW CHUNG HONG (Mrs) Anne Marie
Josèphe Bernadette | For long and dedicated service |
| 13. | TEGALLY Farhaad | For long and dedicated service |
| 14. | VERNY Jean Carol Bruno | For long and dedicated service |

RESIDENT'S BADGE OF HONOUR

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| 1. | AJAREE Bye Swaley | For dedicated service to the community |
| 2. | BHOYROO Mahendra | For contribution in the social field |

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| 3. | BHUGUTH Kissoonduth | For contribution in cultural and religious fields |
| 4. | BHUNJUN Soomeeduth | For contribution in the cultural and social fields |
| 5. | CUNDEN (Mrs) Marie Lygie | For long and dedicated service |
| 6. | DAWOODKHAN Mahmad Afzal | For contribution in social field |
| 7. | HURRYPAUL Abhimanyu
(also known as Mahen) | For contribution in the social field |
| 8. | KATHAPERMALL Shunmoogum
(also known as Deven) | For contribution in the social field |
| 9. | LALLMUN (Mrs) Sakila | For contribution in the social field |
| 10. | SEMBHOO Gurudeoh Vashist | For contribution in the social field |

PRESIDENT'S CERTIFICATE OF HONOUR

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| 1. | BHOLAH Asraff | For long and dedicated service |
| 2. | BOOLKAH Dawanan | For long and dedicated service |
| 3. | DAVID Allain Eddy | For long and dedicated service |
| 4. | DHOOCHOO Yodahmanew | For long and dedicated service |
| 5. | MUNOGEE Anilpreetum | For long and dedicated service |
| 6. | NOSHIL Ahmad Nizard | For long and dedicated service |
| 7. | SEENGH Dharmanand | For long and dedicated service |

PRESIDENT'S LONG SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL

(i) MAURITIUS POLICE FORCE

President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

305 officers as listed at Appendix A

First Clasp to the President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

24 officers as listed at Appendix B

Second Clasp to the President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

434 officers as listed at Appendix C

(ii) MAURITIUS PRISON SERVICE

President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

73 officers as listed at Appendix D

First Clasp to the President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

9 officers as listed at Appendix E

Second Clasp to the President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

13 officers as listed at Appendix F

(iii) MAURITIUS FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE

President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

49 officers as listed at Appendix G

First Clasp to the President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

3 officers as listed at Appendix H

Second Clasp to the President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

3 officers as listed at Appendix I

(iv) **RODRIGUES PRISON SERVICE**

President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

6 officers as listed at Appendix J

(v) **FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE (Rodrigues)**

President's Long Service and Good Conduct Medal

5 officers as listed at Appendix K

Prime Minister's Office
Port Louis

12 March 2024