Cabinet Decisions taken on 9 April 2010

Cabinet has taken note of the report of a Study on Environmentally Sensitive Areas in Mauritius and Rodrigues. The objective of the Study was to demarcate and draw up an inventory of all environmentally sensitive areas with a view to developing a comprehensive policy and a legal and management framework for the protection and maintenance of those areas. The Study identified 14 main types of environmentally sensitive areas in Mauritius and Rodrigues, such as coral reefs, seagrass beds, mangroves, inter-tidal mudflats, sand beaches and dunes, and coastal freshwater marshlands.