**World Environment Day 2017**

Proposal for Painting competition

1.0 **Project detail:** In the context of World Environment Day 2017 celebrated on 5th June, the Ministry of Social Security, National Solidarity and Environment and Sustainable Development (Environment and Sustainable Development Division) is inviting participation from local professionals and experienced artists from Mauritius to participate in a painting competition. The theme is **Our Environment** with sub-themes as follows:

- Good environmental practices; or
- Current and emerging environmental themes; or
- How people foresee the future of Mauritius with respect to the environment.

2.0 **Date for launching of competition:** 05 June 2017

3.0 **Closing date for submission of paintings:** 05 September 2017

4.0 **Target group:** Local Professionals/Experienced Artists

5.0 **Proposed Jury panel:** representatives from Ministry of Arts and Culture, MIE and MGI

6.0 **Prizes:**

   1\(^{st}\) Prize: Rs 50,000

   2\(^{nd}\) Prize: Rs 30,000

   3\(^{rd}\) Prize: Rs 20,000

7.0 **Conditions for participation:**

   a) The painting competition is open to professional/experienced Mauritian artists only.
   b) The painting must be original and must not violate any copyright laws.
   c) The painting must be two-dimensional and colouring tools can be of your choice.
d) The painting must be framed and each framed artwork must not be larger than 28" x 28".

e) Each work must have a label with the following information securely applied to the back:
   - Name of Participant
   - Address
   - Phone Number
   - Title of Painting

f) Only one painting is allowed per participant.

g) The participant must submit a copy of CV, proof of experience and handwritten statement certifying the originality of the work.

h) “Painting competition” shall be marked on top left corner of the envelope.

i) All participants must submit their paintings on 05th September 2017 at latest to the address below:

**Permanent Secretary**

*Ministry of Social Security, National Solidarity and Environment and Sustainable Development (Environment and Sustainable Development Division)*

**Attention: Information & Education Division**

*4th Floor, Ken Lee Tower, Barracks Street,*

*Port Louis.*

07 June 2017