**World Environment Day 2017**

**Proposal for Song 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 song competition on **Our Environment**. The following sub-themes may be used by participants namely:
   - 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, MGI and Conservatoire Francois Mitterand.

6.0 **Prizes**:

   Winner : Rs 100,000

7.0 **Conditions for participation**:

   a) This song competition is open to local professionals/experienced Mauritian artists only.
   b) The song shall be of duration of 3 to 5 minutes.
   c) The song may be interpreted in any of the following languages: English, French, Hindi, Creole, Bhojpuri or in any other oriental language.
   d) The song may be interpreted in solo or group.
e) The song may be either accompanied with musical instruments or with accompanying voices (acapella).

f) The song shall be original.

g) The song shall become the property of the Ministry and may be used by the Ministry anytime.

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

i) Only one song is allowed per participant/group.

j) All participants must send a recorded copy of their song along with CV and proof of experience by latest on 05th September 2017 to the address below:

Permanent Secretary
Attention : Information & Education Division
Ministry of Social Security, National Solidarity and Environment and Sustainable Development (Environment and Sustainable Development Division)
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Port Louis.

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