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From: Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms

To: Supervising Officers i/c Ministries/Departments

Australia Awards - Africa Fellowships 2016

The Australian Government is offering Africa Fellowships in 2016 to African countries, including Mauritius. The Africa Fellowships will normally last between one and three months and the fields of study are as follows:

- > Agriculture
- > Extractives
- Public Policy
- 2. The aim of these Australia Awards Fellowships is to foster and strengthen capacity of partner countries, in the areas mentioned above, for mid to senior level professionals.
- 3. The Australian government will cover the full cost of tuition fees, training materials, accommodation, living expenses, health insurance for basic medical and hospital care in Australia and in Africa, and travel within Africa and to and from Australia. Female candidates and persons with a disability are strongly encouraged to apply.
- 4. With a view to better preparing prospective candidates, both for the application and interview exercise, this Ministry will organise an Information Sharing session on Friday 16 October 2015 at 13:00 hrs at the Lecture Room, 6th Floor, Fooks House, Bourbon Street, Port Louis. Applicants interested to attend the Information Sharing session are requested to call Mrs J. Narayanasami Reddi or Miss Y. Namooya on 213-1882/212-7856 by 12 October 2015 at latest.

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- 5. For course requirements, course contents and application form, applicants can thereafter access the Mauritius page of http://www.australiaawardsafrica.org.
- 6. Applications and supporting documents should be submitted either electronically to applications@adsafrica.com.au or in hard copy directly to Australia Awards (Africa), 310 Brooks Street, Menlo Park, Pretoria 0042, Private Bag X38, Hatfield, Pretoria, 0028, South Africa. Applicants should submit a copy of the application in soft version to the Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms, on email address: jnarayanasami@govmu.org through their respective Supervising Officer. Before submitting their application, Africa Fellowships. Upon selection, Public Officers would be governed by Paragraph 4.10.1 of the Human Resource Management Manual. The closing date for submission of application is Friday 18 December 2015.
- 7. It would be appreciated if the contents of this Circular Letter could be brought to the attention of **all eligible public officers** serving in the different Divisions of your Ministry/Department including those in Statutory Bodies falling under the purview of your Ministry.

(P. Jnugroo) Senior Chief Executive

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