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From: Secretary for Public Service

To : Supervising Officers in Charge of Ministries/Departments

National Productivity and Quality Excellence Award

The National Productivity and Competitiveness Council (NPCC) is organising the 6th Edition of the National Productivity and Quality Excellence Award (NPQEA) 2025. The theme for this year's Edition is "Translating Challenges into Opportunities: The Path to Excellence".

- 2. The NPQEA, which is designed to inspire and drive excellence within Mauritian public, private and non-governmental organisations, serves as a platform for sharing best practices, systems and initiatives while fostering a collaborative environment where participants can learn from one another.
- 3. In this context Ministries, Departments, Local Authorities, Disciplined Forces, Parastatal Bodies and Registered Associations are invited to participate in the NPQEA 2025.
- 4. The categories for participation are as follows:
 - (i) Small and Medium Private Enterprises including Micro Enterprises;
 - (ii) Mid-Market and Large Private Enterprises; and
 - (iii) Government Departments, Parastatal and Registered Associations.
- 5. Recognition and awards will be presented in Gold, Silver, and Bronze categories, following online assessments and presentations made to a local panel of jurors. Eligible teams may also participate in international events such as the International Convention on Quality Control Circles (ICQCC) and the Africa Kaizen Award (AKA).
- 6. Interested participants may register online by <u>Friday 11 July 2025</u> on the following link: https://www.npccmauritius.org/en/npqea-2025-register-here.html.
- 7. For any additional information, you may consult the website of the NPCC at www.npccmauritius.org or contact the NPCC on:
 - (i) Telephone number: 467 7700; and
 - (ii) Email address: contact@npccmauritius.com.
- 8. It would be appreciated if the contents of this Circular Letter could be brought to the attention of officers serving in your Ministry/Department, including Parastatal Bodies and any Registered Association falling under your purview.

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For Secretary for Public Service

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