

**B/797**      The Honourable Third member for Mahebourg and Plaine Magnien  
(**Mr Ramful**)

*To ask the Honourable Minister of Agro-Industry and Food  
Security –*

**Whether, in regard to the post of Chief Executive Officer, he will, for the benefit of the House, obtain from the Mauritius Cane Industry Authority, information as to if same has been filled and, if so, indicate the name of the incumbent thereof and since when?**

**REPLY**

*(Tuesday 13 August 2019)*

Madam Speaker,

I am informed by the Mauritius Cane Industry Authority that the post of Chief Executive Officer was advertised through the press on 21, 23 and 27 February 2019.

19 applications were received and following a screening exercise, 11 candidates were found suitable as per the requirements laid down in the scheme of service for the post of CEO.

An Independent Selection Board was set up by my Ministry and the interview has been carried out.

The recommendation of the Selection Board is awaited.

