

27<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Mr Irfan Raman

Electoral Commissioner

Port Louis



Dear sir,

**In ref: Printing of Ballot papers for by-elections in Constituency number 10.**

As you are fully aware LINION MORIS is fielding Dr Doohita Rye Ramdenee in the by-elections of constituency number 10.

We would be most grateful if you could enlighten us whether the electoral commission has gone forward with the printing. If yes, whether you will be agreeable for us to visit the printing place to allay our fears concerning the printing exercise more precisely in relation to:

- a) type of paper used for the printing exercise
- b) type of black ink used
- c) the font and size used for all names
- d) ballot paper number which should be unique and ballot papers should not be reused
- e) ensuring that there is not any hatching or other marks on the back of the ballot papers
- f) the official security mark which will be added to the ballot paper

You will agree with us, as per our different conversations that there should be adequate integrity controls. And please tell us the number of ballot papers.

We should not forget the procedure for strict secure packaging. Security features are necessary to maintain the integrity of the process.

I thank you in advance.

Yours in peace.

**Rama Valayden**

