

**AMENDED MONTHLY REPORT OF THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH DIVISION
FOR APRIL 2024**

1.	Enforcement Section (North)	No.
	Inspections	8
	Follow-up visits	1
	Complaint investigations	2
	Enquiries	-
	Court attendance	3
	Total	13
	Certificates of Registration of a Factory issued	211
2.	Enforcement Section (South)	
	Inspections	12
	Follow-up visits	-
	Complaint investigations	4
	Enquiries	1
	Court attendance	5
	Total	22
	Certificates of Registration of a Factory issued	99
3.	Employees' Lodging Accommodation Section	
	Inspections	64
	Follow-up visits	21
	Complaint investigations	-
	Enquiries	1
	Court attendance	3
	Total	89
	Lodging Accommodation Permits issued (new and renewal)	2,540
4.	Specialist Support Services Unit	
	Inspections	7
	Follow-up visits	2
	Complaint investigations	-
	Investigations into accidents and dangerous occurrences	2
	Court attendance	1
	Total	12

5.	Construction Section	No.
	Inspections	52
	Follow-up visits	5
	Complaint investigations	1
	Enquiries	54
	Court attendance	5
	Total	117
	Scaffold Contractor's Permit issued	-
	Prohibition orders issued	-
6.	Accident and Prosecution Section	
(a)	Accident Unit (Provisional figures for accidents)	
	Notifiable fatal accidents	1
	Notifiable non-fatal accidents	23
	Non-notifiable accidents	12
	Total	37
	Dangerous occurrences	-
	Field visits in relation to accident investigation/dangerous occurrences	28
	Court attendance	5
	Total work outside office	33
(b)	Prosecution Unit	
	Cases lodged in Court	8
	<i>Counts</i>	15
	Cases taken proforma	51
	<i>Counts</i>	63
	Cases taken for trial	-
	<i>Counts</i>	-
	Cases in which judgement delivered (details at annex)	6
	<i>Counts</i>	7
	Cases in which ruling delivered	-
	<i>Counts</i>	-
	Total No. of Counts	85
	Information drafted	8
	<i>Counts</i>	15
	Case file prepared for trial/hearing	10
	<i>Counts</i>	13
	Total No. of Counts	28

7.	Occupational Safety and Health Training and Information Centre (OSHTIC)		
	<i>Training sessions</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No. of persons sensitised on OSH topics</i>
	At the OSHTIC (Note: Seminar not scheduled in April 2024 due to preparation for National Tripartite Workshop scheduled for 2 May 2024 and activities for World Day for Safety and Health at Work)	-	-
	On site	5	76
	Total	5	76
	Certificates of Registration of Safety and Health Officer issued	14	
8.	Registry Section		
	For the month of April 2024		No.
	Applications for renewal of certificate of registration of factory received		190
	New applications for registration of factory received		10
	No. of closed files		-
	No. of active files		3,831
	Steam boilers registered		2
	Application for renewal of Lodging Accommodation Permit received		25
	New application for Lodging Accommodation Permit received		25
	As at 30 April 2024		
	Registered Safety and Health Officer		880
	Scaffold Contractors with valid Scaffold Contractor's Permit		53
	Lodging accommodation with valid Lodging Accommodation Permit		2,540
	General Places of Work files (GPW)		1,929
	Buildings files (BDG)		446
	Republic of Mauritius files (RM)		321
	Agriculture files (AGR)		38
	Construction files (CONST)		2,085

1st Case: Square Deal Multipurpose Cooperative Society Ltd

Date case filed: **18 August 2023**

Count I: Failing to hold Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,800/- and cost of Rs200/-.

2nd Case: Jonathan Jean Pasnin

Date case filed: **23 June 2023**

Count I: Failing to cause opensides to be fenced. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

3rd Case: Lux Shining Bakery & Pastry Ltd

Date case filed: **24 August 2023**

Count I: Failing to hold Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,500/- and cost of Rs200/-.

4th Case: L.C. Rauffaut Building Construction Limited

Date case filed: **30 September 2022**

Count I: Failing to enlist services of a scaffold contractor. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/-.

Count II: Failing to forward written record of proceedings. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both cases.

5th Case: Metal Packaging

Date case filed: **20 January 2016**

Count I: Failing to ensure, so far as is reasonably practicable, the safety, health and welfare of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs7,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

6th Case: Scott and Company Limited

Date case filed: **28 February 2022**

Count I: Failing to ensure, so far as is reasonably practicable, the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Case was dismissed.