

**MONTHLY REPORT OF THE NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND
HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR APRIL 2025**

1.	Enforcement Section (North) and Public Service	<i>Number</i>
	Visits	29
	Complaint investigations	5
	Enquiries	1
	Total	35
2.	Enforcement Section (South)	
	Visits	29
	Complaint investigations	3
	Enquiries	-
	Total	32
3.	Employees' Lodging Accommodation Section	
	Visits	130
	Complaint investigations	6
	Enquiries	1
	Total	137
4.	Specialist Support Services Unit	
	Visits	15
	Complaint investigations	1
	Investigations into accidents and dangerous occurrences	-
	Total	16
5.	Construction Section	
	Visits	86
	Complaint investigations	1
	Enquiries	48
	Total	135

6.	Accident and Prosecution Section				
(a)	Accident Unit				
	Notifiable fatal accidents		2		
	Notifiable non-fatal accidents		21		
	Non-notifiable accidents		14		
	Total		37		
	Dangerous occurrences		-		
	Occupational diseases		-		
	Field visits in relation to accident		52		
(b)	Prosecution Unit		Number		
			Cases	Counts	
	Cases lodged in Court		23	54	
	Cases taken proforma		38	57	
	Cases taken for trial		12	20	
	Cases in which judgement delivered (details at annex)		19	34	
	Total No. of Cases		92	165	
	Information drafted Cases		23	54	
	Case file prepared for trial/hearing		15	24	
	Total No. of Cases		38	78	
7.	Occupational Safety and Health Training and Information Centre (OSHTIC)				
	Training sessions	Number	Number of participants		
			M	F	Total
	At the OSHTIC	-	-	-	-
	On site	-	-	-	-
	Total	-	-	-	-

8.	Registry Section	Number
	Applications for renewal of certificate of registration of factory received	159
	New applications for registration of factory received	24
	No. of closed files	1
	Steam boilers registered	2
	New application for Lodging Accommodation Permit received	67
	Application for renewal of Lodging Accommodation Permit received	47
	Number of Lodging Accommodation Permit files closed	-
	As at April 2025	
	Factories with valid certificate of registration	3,916
	Lodging Accommodations with valid Lodging Accommodation Permit	3,055
	General Places of Work files (GPW)	1,971
	Buildings files (BDG)	462
	Republic of Mauritius files (RM)	350
	Agriculture files (AGR)	41
	Construction files (CONST)	2,568
	Registered Safety and Health Officers	587
	Scaffold Contractors with valid Scaffold Contractor's Permit	60

1st Case: City Council of Port Louis

Date case filed: **21 April 2023**

Count I: Failing, so far as is reasonably practicable, to ensure the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs6,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

2nd Case: RBRB Construction Ltd

Date case filed: **21 April 2023**

Count I: Using a building as a lodging accommodation for its employee without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs800/- and cost of Rs200/-.

3rd Case: V.R. Creations Ltd

Date case filed: **19 October 2023**

Count I: Using a building as a lodging accommodation for its employee without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs500/- and cost of Rs200/-.

4th Case: Pallet World Ltd

Date case filed: **30 August 2022**

Count I: Failing, so far as is reasonably practicable, to ensure the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs10,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

5th Case: White Sand Paradise Ltd

Date case filed: **24 November 2020**

Count I: Failing, so far as is reasonably practicable, to ensure the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,000/-.

Count II: Failing to send a report of an accident within seven days. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

6th Case: Tianli Construction Company Ltd

Date case filed: **14 March 2025**

Count I: Failing to notify the Permanent Secretary in writing of the name of the supervisor. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to notify the Permanent Secretary, in writing of the date on which the scaffold supervisor ceased employment. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

7th Case: Soflo Distribution Ltd

Date case filed: **14 March 2025**

Count I: Failing to forward a written record of proceedings of the Safety and Health Committee to the Director, National Occupational Safety and Health Department within 10 days of the meeting. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

8th Case: Kuros Construction Solutions Ltd

Date case filed: **14 March 2025**

Count I: Failing to notify the Permanent Secretary in writing of the name of the supervisor within 14 days of the day on which the scaffold supervisor has taken employment. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to notify the Permanent Secretary, in writing of the date on which the scaffold supervisor ceased employment, within 14 days of the supervisor ceasing employment. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

9th Case: Kuros Construction Solutions Ltd

Date case filed: **14 March 2025**

Count I: Failing to ensure that the scaffold is effectively braced by means of longitudinal and transverse bracing systems which extends from the base to the top of the scaffold. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs4,000/-.

Count II: Failing to ensure that there is no opening in the work platform of the metal scaffold, except to allow access to that work platform. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count III: Failing to ensure that every side of a work platform from which a person is liable to fall more than 2 meters is provided with toe-boards and 2 or more guardrails. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.

10th Case: Kuros Construction Solutions Ltd

Date case filed: **14 March 2025**

Count I: Failing to ensure that sufficient and suitable measures were taken to prevent employees from falling from a height. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to ensure that the stairs or ladders are provided to enable persons to gain access from one level of the scaffold to another level. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

11th Case: Hideaway Garden Restaurant Ltd

Date case filed: **24 January 2023**

Count I: Failing, so far as is reasonably practicable, to ensure the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs4,000/-.

Count II: Failing to notify accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count III: Failing to send a report of an accident within seven days. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.

12th Case: Advance Oil Ltd

Date case filed: **14 March 2023**

Count I: Failing to apply for Factory Building Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

13th Case: Tropic Knits Limited

Date case filed: **15 October 2024**

Count I: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to send the original report of examination of a lift to the Director, National Occupational Safety and Health Department. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

14th Case: Woolworth (Mauritius) Limited

Date case filed: **28 February 2025**

Count I: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count III: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.

15th Case: Woolworth (Mauritius) Limited

Date case filed: **28 February 2025**

Count I: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count III: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.

16th Case: Woolworth (Mauritius) Limited

Date case filed: **28 February 2025**

Count I: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count II: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/-.

Count III: Failing to forward written record of proceedings of Safety and Health Committee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.

17th Case: China Jiangsu Construction Group Corporation

Date case filed: **31 January 2025**

Count I: Using a building as a lodging accommodation for its employee without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

18th Case: China Jiangsu Construction Group Corporation

Date case filed: **31 January 2025**

Count I: Using a building as a lodging accommodation for its employee without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,200/- and cost of Rs200/-.

19th Case: China Jiangsu Construction Group Corporation

Date case filed: **31 January 2025**

Count I: Using a building as a lodging accommodation for its employee without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,500/- and cost of Rs200/-.