OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH DIVISION

MONTHLY REPORT FOR MARCH 2017

1. <u>Visits</u>

The officers of the Occupational Safety and Health Division carried out inspections/ enquiries/accident investigations at workplaces as follows in respect of:

		Male employees	Female employees
Place of work:			ompioyeee
Inspections	156	9,143	7,177
Follow-up	52	2,065	3,514
Complaints	14	1,085	493
Enquiries	12	-	-
Employees' Lodging Accommodation:			
Inspections	50	887	399
Follow-up	75	2,129	1,072
Complaints	5	434	1
Enquiries	18	-	-
Construction:			
Inspections	47	1,016	10
Follow-up	53	145	-
Complaints	-	-	-
Enquiries	-	-	-
Specialist Support Services Unit:			
Inspections	6	207	93
Follow-up	2	383	42
Complaints	-	-	-
Enquiries	-	-	-
Accident investigation:			
New cases and continuation of existing cases	57		

2. <u>Registration of factories</u>

- (i) No. of applications for renewal of Certificates of Registration received: **218**
- (ii) No. of Certificates of Registration renewed: 179
- (iii) No. of new applications for registration of factory received: 14
- (iv) No. of new Certificates of Registration issued: 7
- (v) No. of Certificates of Registration of a Factory not renewed: 3
- (vi) No. of factories registered as at <u>31 March 2017</u>: **3,812**

3. <u>Prohibition order</u>

(i) No. of prohibition order issued: 1

4. <u>Machinery</u>

(i) No. of steam boiler registered: 1

5. <u>Training by the Occupational Safety and Health Training and Information Centre</u> (OSHTIC)

(i) No. of sessions at the OSHTIC: 22

No. of participants: 319

(ii) No. of sessions on site: **30**

No. of participants: 542

(iii) Total No. of participants: 861

6. <u>Safety and Health Officer</u>

(i) No. of Certificates of Registration issued: 8

7. <u>Accidents</u>

- (i) No. of notifiable non-fatal accidents: **17**
- (ii) No. of non-notifiable accidents: 14

8. <u>Prosecution</u>

(i) No. of cases lodged in Court: 21

(ii) Judgement was delivered in <u>18</u> cases:

1st Case: FM Denim Ltd

- Count I: Failing to ensure safety, health and welfare of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs12,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.
- 2nd Case: EPI Ltd
- Count I: Failing to ensure safety, health and welfare of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs8,000/-.
- Count II: Failing to notify accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/-.
- Count III: Failing to submit report of accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.
- 3rd Case: Chantier de Notre Dame Ltee
- Count I: Failing to ensure that any person not in its employment is not exposed to any risk to his safety and health. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs10,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.
- 4th Case: Tianli Construction Ltd
- Count I: Contravened a direction given by the Permanent Secretary. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,500/- and cost of Rs200/-.
- 5th Case: Arwan Enterprise Ltd
- Count I: Contravened a direction given by the Permanent Secretary. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,500/- and cost of Rs200/-.
- 6th Case: Wenseng Contracting Co Ltd
- Count I: Failing to make a risk assessment. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.
- 7th Case: Prada Shoes Ltd
- Count I: Failing to carry out a fire drill. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/-.
- Count II: Failing to review risk assessment. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.
- 8th Case: Prada Shoes Ltd
- Count I: Failing to examine air receiver. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/-.

- Count II: Failing to examine air receiver. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/-.
- Count III: Failing to examine air receiver. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for the three counts.

9th Case: L. Rughoonundun

- Count I: Failing to cause open sides to be fenced. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/-.
- Count II: Failing to cause opening in stairway to be fenced. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.
- 10th Case: Goindramen Const & Sons Ltd
- Count I: Failing to cause opening in stairway to be fenced. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.
- 11th Case: Perrine Jean Daniel
- Count I: Failing to notify an accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/-.
- Count II: Failing to send to the Director, Occupational Safety and Health a report of the accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

12th Case: Vedanta Boodhun

- Count I: Failing to notify an accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/-.
- Count II: Failing to send to the Director, Occupational Safety and Health a report of the accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,500/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.
- 13th Case: Compagnie Mauricienne de Textile Ltee
- Count I: Failing to notify an accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs7,000/-.
- Count II: Failing to send to the Director, Occupational Safety and Health a report of the accident. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs7,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

14th Case: Maydon Fashion Ltd

Count I: Failing to provide RCD of 30mA. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs1,500/- and cost of Rs100/-.

15th Case: Beijing Zhuzong Group Co. Ltd

Count I: Using a building as lodging accommodation for employees without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs4,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

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Count I: Using a building as lodging accommodation for employees without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs4,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

17th Case: Jupiter JMK Ltd

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

18th Case: Ramasawmy & Ramasawmy

Count I: Contravening a direction given by the Permanent Secretary in a prohibition order. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs4,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.