

# **BEACH AUTHORITY**

### **COMMUNIQUE**

## <u>Life Saving and Beach Patrol Programme</u> <u>Easter Monday - Monday 21 April 2025</u>

1. In the context of the celebration of the **Easter Monday on 21 April 2025**, the Beach Authority is organising its Life Saving and Beach Patrol Programme to ensure the safety and security of all beach users on the public beaches as from **9.00 hrs to 18.00 hr**s in collaboration with the following stakeholders:

Beach Authority	Provision of marquees, chairs, T-Shirts for Life Savers and First Aid Kit Boxes  The Beach Enforcement Officers of the Authority will coordinate and monitor the services provided by all stakeholders including relevant cleaning contractors on public beaches.	
Mauritius Police Force (including NCG and SMF)	Provision of Life Saving assistance and afloat patrol to ensure the safety and security of public at sea and enforcement of legislations, including illegal trading activities, on public beaches and traffic control  Special lookouts at dark spots considered as dangerous for swimming in particular at Le Goulet Public Beach.	
Mauritius Fire and Rescue Service	Provision of Life Saving assistance on public beaches	
Ministry of Blue Economy, Marine Resources, Fisheries and Shipping (Fisheries Division)	Provision of patrol boats and personnel  Proper enforcement and monitoring of the appropriate legislation/regulations with a view to prevent any incident at sea which might occur due to presence of fishing boats and/ or activities on public beaches.	
Ministry of Health & Wellness	Provision of Ambulance services on some specific public beaches such as Albion, Mon Choisy, P.G Union Ribet and Pereybere. <b>See Annex A</b>	

Tourism Authority	Proper enforcement and monitoring of the appropriate legislation/regulations with a view to prevent any incident at sea which might occur due to presence of pleasure crafts and/ or activities on public beaches.	
Central Water Authority	Provisions to ensure that:-  (i). there is adequate supply of water on public beaches, including in Toilet Blocks;  (ii). there is no interruption of water on public beaches;  (iii). a tanker service at highly frequented beaches to supplement water supply near the public toilets and to give priority to Pereybere, Mare La Raie, Bain Boeuf, Mon Choisy, Belle Mare, Le Morne, La Preneuse, Wolmar, Albion, Poste Lafayette, Sable Noir, Blue Bay, La Cambuse, Flic en Flac, and other public beaches;  (iv) there is a stand-by tanker service at La Cambuse, Blue Bay, Flic en Flac, Belle Mare, Palmar, Mon Choisy and Le Morne public beaches and;	
Albion Life Saving Group	Life Saving assistance to beach users at Albion public beach	
<b>Cleaning Contractors:</b>	To mount a special cleanliness programme prior to,	
Maxiclean Co. Ltd, Mauriclean Ltd,	during and after the event	
Atics Ltd, Norba Nettoyage Ltée,		
Keep Clean Ltd, Compagnie	To ensure water pump are in good running condition.	
Regionale et Services et de		
L'Environnement		

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### Provision of Ambulance Services by the Ministry of Health & Wellness

#### (i). Posting of Standby Ambulances on Public Beaches

SN	Public Beaches (Standby)	Other Beaches to Cover when called upon	Hospital
1.	Albion (near National Coast Guard Post)	-	Dr A.G. Jeetoo Hospital
2.	Mont Choisy (Nr toilet block)	,	SSRN Hospital
4.	Pereybere	La Cuvette, Bain Bouef, Anse La Raie, Mare La Raie, Butte A L' Herbe	SSRN Hospital
5.	Poste Lafayette (Nr toilet block)	Bras D' Eau	SAJ Hospital
6.	Belle Mare	Palmar, Trou D' Eau Douce	SAJ Hospital
7.	Blue Bay		J. Nehru Hospital
8.	La Cambuse	Le Bouchon	J. Nehru Hospital
9.	Le Morne (near Dinarobin Hotel)		Victoria Hospital
10.	Flic en Flac	Wolmar	Victoria Hospital

#### (ii). SAMU Ambulance

In addition, one SAMU ambulance from each Regional Hospital will be on alert from at their respective hospitals for emergency intervention at beaches falling under their catchment area.

#### (iii). Patrol Ambulance

Besides the above-mentioned arrangements, the Ministry of Health & Wellness will also provide patrol ambulance for Bel Ombre, St. Felix, Ste. Marie, Riviere des Galets, La Prairie, La Preneuse and Baie du Cap. The patrol ambulance will be based at St Felix public beach.

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