## RECYCLING OF USED MOBILE PHONES AND BATTERIES

The Ministry of Local Government and Outer Islands is carrying out an awareness campaign on used mobiles and batteries and their adverse effects on human health and the environment, if wrongly disposed of, due to their hazardous contents.

To ensure safe disposal of these used mobiles and batteries and in order to mitigate their impacts on human health and the environment, the Ministry, together with the Mauritius Telecom Foundation, has come up with the initiative of recycling of used mobiles and batteries. 235 recycling boxes have been placed at strategic points all over the island. Of these, 50 boxes have been distributed to the following Local Authorities:

| 1. Municipal City Council of Port Louis              | 405 6600 |
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| 2. Municipal Town Council of Beau Bassin - Rose Hill | 454 9500 |
| 3. Municipal Town Council of QuatreBornes            | 454 8054 |
| 4. Municipal Town Council of Vacoas - Phoenix        | 696 2975 |
| 5. Municipal Town Council of Curepipe                | 670 4939 |
| 6. District Council of Riviere du Rempart            | 266 2095 |
| 7. District Council of Pamplemousses                 | 243 8300 |
| 8. District Council of Moka                          | 435 5531 |
| 9. District Council of Flacq                         | 413 2600 |
| 10. District Council of Grand Port                   | 627 4575 |
| 11. District Council of Savanne                      | 603 7930 |
| 12. District Council of Black River                  | 452 1113 |

For more information on exact locations of the recycling boxes, please contact the above-mentioned Local Authorities.