

COMMUNIQUE

The Ministry of Tertiary Education, Science, Research and Technology is informing responsible parties, students and the public in general that it is a legal requirement, in accordance with the Licensing of Recruiting Agents for Overseas Educational and Training Institutions Act 2006, for Recruiting Agents to be duly licensed with the Ministry.

2. The public is hereby informed that the following Institutions have ceased to operate as Recruiting Agents :

- (i) Anand Multi Business Ltd;
- (ii) Edustrust Consultant Agency;
- (iii) Eden Further Education Ltd;
- (iv) Best Education Services Consultancy Ltd;
- (v) SMC Co. Ltd;
- (vi) Mr Harvin Appadoo (Advanced Education Pathway);
- (vii) Total Business Solutions; and
- (viii) Can Consulting Ltd.

3. Moreover, Campus Abroad (Mauritius) Ltd is no longer authorised to recruit students for the under-mentioned Universities :

- (i) Sun Yat Sen University, China ;
- (ii) Vishwakarma Institute of Technology;
- (iii) College of Computer Training (CCT) Dublin, Ireland;
- (iv) International Design School Pty Ltd, Australia;
- (v) Meridian International Hotel School Pty Ltd, Australia;
- (vi) Meridian International School Pty Ltd, Australia;
- (vii) Sheila Baxter Training School Pty Ltd, Australia;
- (viii) S.P. Jain Center of Management, Singapore; and
- (ix) Melbourne Institute of Technology, Australia.

4. It is illegal for any person to recruit students unless he holds a Licence.

5. The public is further informed that as per the conditions of their Licence, the authorised Recruiting Agents are bound to display, in a conspicuous place within their office, the following:

- (i) the Licence bearing the names of the educational institutions for which the institution is authorized to operate;
- (ii) the quality and cost of the courses offered;
- (iii) reasonable monthly living costs of a student;
- (iv) the quality and cost of health facilities available to a student; and
- (v) the level of security at the institution.

6. Members of the public who have been aggrieved by Recruiting Agents are advised to report the matter to the Police so that necessary action may be initiated against those Recruiting Agents.

7. The public is invited to consult the following Ministry's Website for the **List of Licensed Recruiting Agents**:

<http://ministry-education.gov.mu>

8. Students wishing to pursue studies in Australia are requested to visit the website of the Australian Government – www.studyinaustralia.gov.au

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