

**Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms**  
**Circular Letter No. 50 of 2011**  
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From: *Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms*

To: *Supervising Officers i/c Ministries/Departments*

**Australia Awards – Short-term Courses 2012**

The Australian Government is offering short-term courses in 2012 to African countries including Mauritius.

2. The priority sector and sub-sectors for the short courses details of which are annexed, are as follows:

➤ Priority Sector: **Agriculture**

Sub-Sectors:

- Course 1: Dryland Farming
- Course 2: Post-harvest management of maize, rice and legumes
- Course 3: Water harvesting and small scale irrigation
- Course 4: Livestock

➤ Priority Sector: **Public Policy**

Sub-sectors

- Course 1: International Diplomacy
- Course 2: Organizational Development
- Course 3: Public Private Partnerships (PPPs)
- Course 4: Technical and Vocational Education and Training Policy Reform
- Course 5: Technical and Vocational Education and Training Teacher Skills Upgrade

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3. Ministries/Departments are requested to select their preferred priority sector and sub-sectors for the short courses and submit this information to the Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms, Attn: Mr Lobind, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Atom House, Royal Street, Port Louis by latest on **Wednesday 21 September 2011** for onward transmission to the Australian authorities.

6. Kindly treat as urgent.

**G. Gukhool**  
**for Senior Chief Executive**

**Copy to: Secretary to Cabinet and Head of the Civil Service**