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MRA HOSTS POST CLEARANCE AUDIT WORKSHOP

The Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) Regional Training Centre (RTC) is presently hosting a Workshop on Post Clearance Audit (PCA) at the MRA Custom House, Mer Rouge. The Workshop was declared open by the Director-General of the MRA, Mr. Sudhamo Lal, today in presence of Mr. Jun Tajima, Technical Attaché, Post Clearance Audit of the World Customs Organisation (WCO), WCO facilitators, MRA Management Team and members of the press.

The Workshop is organised by the WCO and is scheduled from Monday 28th November to 02nd December 2016. More than thirty delegates from countries of the East and Southern Africa region are participating in the Workshop. Post Clearance Audit is regarded as an effective measure for trade facilitation as well as compliance verification, in the face of growing international trade.

The Director-General of the MRA highlighted that the MRA Customs Department has undergone major changes in terms of international trade best practices and extensive usage of ICT (paperless Customs, Single Window, pre-arrival clearance, e-payment, e-auction and Deferred Payment). These initiatives are also in line with the Government's Vision of making Port Louis a hub for bunkering, seafood, transshipment and cruise. Mr. Sudhamo Lal concluded by thanking the WCO for its unwavering support in terms of capacity building of customs administrations.



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