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#### **Business Activity Statistics – Financial Year 2008/2009**

#### Foreword

This is the twelth issue of a regular publication of the Central Statistics Office on business activity statistics.

Data refer to business activities undertaken in the island of Mauritius, which are either licensed with the local authorities (municipalities and district councils) or registered with the appropriate organisations such as the Medical Council, the Ministry of Education, Culture and Human Resources, the National Transport Authority, etc. However, all agricultural related activities, except those in the manufacture of food products, are not covered.

The business activities have been coded according to the National Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (NSIC) which is an adapted version of the International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (ISIC) Rev. 3, 1990.

It is hoped that this report will be of valuable help to the public in general and to planners and policy makers in particular.

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#### **Technical Notes**

#### 1. General

Data compiled in this publication provide the information on demography and trend of business activities in the different economic sectors of the country.

#### 2. Concepts and Coverage

An operator is required to obtain a licence from the Municipal or District Councils or to register with the appropriate Ministry or organisations (e.g Ministry of Education, Culture and Human Resources, the Medical Council, the National Transport Authority, the Tourism Authority, etc.) in order to operate. Statistics published in this report pertain only to activities that are either licensed or registered. However, all agricultural related activities, except those in the manufacture of food products, are not covered.

Statistics on licences relate to the number of licences as delivered by the local authorities. Similarly statistics on registrations are those as registered with the appropriate Ministries or organisations. In some cases, an operator may hold both a licence and a registration certificate. To avoid double counting, while compiling statistics on both licences and registrations, such activities have been accounted for in registration only. For example the owner of a bus, besides registering his vehicle with the National Transport Authority may also hold a licence issued by a district council. In the table giving figures for both licences and registrations, the activity of the bus owner is accounted for in registration only.

#### 3. Classification and presentation of data

To cater for the wide range and diverse business activities and for classification purposes, each activity has been assigned an activity code according to the **National Standard Industrial classification of Economic Activities (NSIC),** which is an adapted version of the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC), Rev. 3, 1990.

#### The NSIC consists of 5 levels of classification namely:

Level 1	Section:	17 sections identified by one of the letters A to Q
Level 2	<b>Division:</b>	56 divisions identified by the first 2 digits
Level 3	Group:	151 groups identified by the first 3 digits
Level 4	Classes:	302 classes identified by the first 4 digits
Level 5	<b>Sub-classes:</b>	548 sub-classes identified by the 5 digits

#### The 17 sections are as follows:

Section	Description	Division
A	Agriculture, Hunting & Forestry	01 and 02
В	Fishing	05
C	Mining & Quarrying	14
D	Manufacturing	15 - 37
E	Electricity, Gas & Water supply	40 and 41
F	Construction	45
G	Wholesale and Retail trade; Repair of	
	motor vehicles, motorcycles & personal	50 - 52
	and households goods	
Н	Hotels and Restaurants	55
I	Transport, Storage & Communications	60 - 64
J	Financial Intermediation	65 - 67
K	Real Estate, Renting & Business activities	70 - 74
L	Public administration & Defence; Compulsory	
	Social security	75
M	Education	80
N	Health & Social work	85
O	Other Community, Social & Personal service	
	activities	90 – 93
P	Private households with employed persons	95
Q	Extra-territorial organisations & bodies	99

#### 3. Data sources

**Licences:** - Municipalities and District Councils

**Registrations:** - National Transport Authority (Public transport)

- Ministry of Education, Culture and Human Resources (Private schools)

- Judicial Department (Legal activities)

- Professional Councils (Medical Practitioners, Dentists, Architects, etc.)

- Customs Department (Freeport companies)

- Financial Services Commission (Offshore companies)

- The Police Department (Driving schools)

- Tourism Authority

- Beach Authority

#### **Business Activity Statistics, July 2008 - June 2009**

#### Introduction

Statistics on business activities undertaken in the Island of Mauritius are compiled mainly from administrative records. They cover activities which are either licensed with the local authorities (registered with the municipalities appropriate and district councils) or organisations such as the Medical and Dental Council, the National Transport Authority, the Tourism Authority, etc. All agricultural activities are presently excluded.

It is to be noted that statistics on business activity presented in this publication refer to the total number of licensed or registered activities and not to the total number of operation units or enterprises.

With the coming into operation of the Business Registration and Business Facilitation Acts on the 1<sup>st</sup> of October 2006 and amendments brought to various regulations, several trades have been grouped under different clusters. As a result, an operator may carry out several activities grouped within the same cluster without having to hold separate licences.

Consequently, statistics on licences and registrations collected prior to 1<sup>st</sup> October 2006 are not strictly comparable with those collected after that date. Care should therefore be taken when comparing figures presented in this publication with figures published prior to October 2006.

### 2. Evolution of licences between July 2008 and June 2009

The total number of licences as at June 2009 worked out to 94,606, representing an increase of 6% over the figure of 89,597 as at end of June 2008 (Table 1). During the

period July 2008 to June 2009, 7,653 new licences were issued, the majority of which (4,947 or 65%) was in the industry group 'Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, personal and household goods'. For the period under review 2,644 licences were cancelled.

Table 1.1 gives the distribution of licences by industry group and district.

#### 3. Registrations by industry group

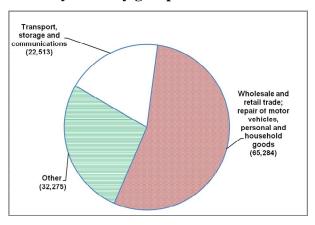
The number of registered activities increased by 7% from 29,591 in June 2008 to reach 31,618 in June 2009 (Table 3). This represents an increase of 2,027 activities of which 658 (32%) were from the industry group 'Transport, storage and communications', 564 (28%) from the industry group 'Hotels and restaurants' and 421 (21%) from the group 'Real estate, renting and business activities'.

#### 4. Adjusted licences and registrations

Table 4 shows the total number of licensed and registered activities as at June 2009, adjusted for double counting. Activities which are both licensed and registered are included in registrations only.

The total number of adjusted licensed and registered activities went up by 6% from 113,054 in June 2008 to 120,076 in June 2009. An analysis by industry group, shows that the majority of activities (65,284 or 54%) falls under the group 'Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, personal and household goods', followed by 'Transport, storage and communications' with 22,513 activities (19%).

Fig.1: Number of licences and registrations by industry group as at June 2009



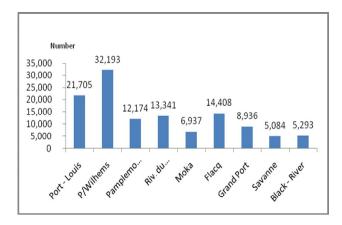
## 5. Distribution of adjusted licences and registrations by industry group and region

Table 5.1 shows the distribution of adjusted licensed and registered activities by industry group and region (urban and rural). The number of activities was slightly higher (55%) in rural areas compared to urban ones. Activities predominant in the rural regions were from the industry groups 'Other community, social and personal service activities' (66%) and 'Hotels and restaurants' (65%). On the other hand, activities pertaining to the following industry groups were found mostly in the urban areas: 'Health and social work' (74%), 'Real estate, renting and business activities' (62%) and 'Education' (56%).

# 6. Distribution of adjusted licences and registrations by activity, district and industry group

Table 6.1 shows that the district of Plaines Wilhems accounted for the highest number of licensed and registered activities (32,198 or 27%), followed by the district of Port Louis (21,705 or 18%) whilst the district of Savanne had the smallest number with 5,084 or 4% of activities.

Fig.2: Licences and registrations by district as at June 2009



### 7. Licences and registrations by activity, district and industry group

Tables 6.2a to 6.2h give a breakdown of the licensed and registered activities for the different industry groups, by activity and district.

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Table 1 - Evolution of licences between July 2008 and June 2009  $\,$ 

NSIC	Activity	20081	July 2008 to	20091	
NSIC	Activity	(as at June)	Issued	Cancelled	(as at June)
	Total	89,597	7,653	2,644	94,606
C	Mining and quarrying	5	0	0	5
D	Manufacturing	6,717	714	224	7,207
E	Electricity, gas and water supply	1	0	0	1
F	Construction	1,333	248	33	1,548
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	60,936	4,947	1,744	64,139
Н	Hotels and restaurants	5,163	527	212	5,478
I	Transport, storage and communications	5,606	40	27	5,619
J	Financial intermediation	469	56	23	502
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	3,907	583	188	4,302
M	Education	453	2	4	451
N	Health and social work	324	36	10	350
O	Other community, social and personal service activities	4,683	500	179	5,004

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revised

Table 1.1 -	Licences by 1	industry gro	oup and distric	ct as at June 2009 <sup>1</sup>	
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NSIC	Industry group	Port - Louis	Plaines Wilhems	Pamplem ousses	Riv. du Rempart	Moka	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Black - River	All districts
	Total	16,981	25,821	8,295	9,632	5,416	11,300	8,140	4,384	4,637	94,606
С	Mining and quarrying	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
D	Manufacturing	1,223	2,187	673	606	419	770	590	387	352	7,207
Е	Electricity, gas and water supply	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
F	Construction	180	612	92	60	109	229	135	74	57	1,548
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, personal and household goods	11,553	17,546	6,112	7,188	3,791	7,958	4,875	2,509	2,606	64,138
Н	Hotels and restaurants	755	1,423	527	593	335	724	544	302	276	5,479
I	Transport, storage and communications	980	1,079	232	316	155	403	1,140	520	794	5,619
J	Financial intermediation	145	122	26	52	18	62	38	23	16	502
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	1,227	1,063	295	428	281	360	209	109	330	4,302
M	Education	130	193	13	20	18	36	20	6	15	451
N	Health and social work	88	167	15	30	8	15	9	3	15	350
О	Other community, social and personal services	700	1,429	310	339	282	743	579	451	171	5,004

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revised

Table 1.2a - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Manufacturing

NSIC	Activity	20081	July 2008 to	2009 <sup>1</sup>	
NSIC	Activity	2008	Issued	Cancelled	2009
	Total	6,717	714	224	7,207
15 & 16	Food product, beverages and tobacco	1,566	286	50	1,802
17 & 18	Textiles and wearing apparel	1,566	228	67	1,727
19	Tanning and dressing of leather & footwear	139	10	6	143
20, 36101- 36109	Wood product including furniture	898	36	18	916
21,22	Paper product, publishing and printing	348	14	5	357
23	Coke, refined petroluem products and nuclear fuel	2	0	0	2
24	Chemicals and chemical products	83	8	4	87
25	Rubber and plastic products	222	3	4	221
26	Non-metallic mineral products	107	4	2	109
27, 28, 29	Basic & fabricated metals and machinery n.e.c	628	47	19	656
30000	Office, accounting and computing machinery	20	1	0	21
31, 32	Electrical machinery, apparatus, radio & tv equipment	28	0	0	28
33	Medical optical instrument, watches and clocks	60	2	1	61
34, 35	Motor vehicles, trailers and other transport equipment	16	1	0	17
36911- 36919	Jewellery and related products	546	26	23	549
36920- 36999	Manufacturing n.e.c.	477	47	25	499
37	Recycling	11	1	0	12

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revised

Table 1.2b - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Electricity, Gas and Water Supply

NSIC		Activity	2008	July 2008 to	2009	
		•		Issued	Cancelled	
	40 & 41	Electricity, gas and water supply	1	0	0	1
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Table 1.2c - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Construction

Number

NSIC	Activity	2008	July 2008 to	June 2009	2009
	v		Issued	Cancelled	
45	Construction	1,333	248	33	1,548

Table 1.2d - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Hotels and Restaurants

NSIC	Activity	20081	July 2008 to	20091	
	· ·		Issued	Cancelled	
	Total	5,163	527	212	5,478
55203	Bars	1,555	2	30	1,527
55204 - 55209	Canteens and other eating places	3,608	525	182	3,951

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revised

Table 1.2e - Licences by industry group as at June, 2008 and 2009 - Wholesale and retail trade; Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods

NSIC	Activity	2008	July 2008 to	June 2009	20091
TIDIC	neuvity	2000	Issued	Cancelled	2007
	Total	60,936	4,947	1,744	64,13
501 & 502	Sale and repairs of motor vehicles	727	77	19	78
503	Sale of motor vehicle spare parts and accessories	771	51	22	80
504	Sale and repairs of motorcycles/spare parts	440	40	12	46
505	Retail sale of automotive fuel	161	11	4	16
51	Wholesaler/Commission Agent except of motor vehicles	7,262	888	323	7,82
5211	General retailer foodstuff and non-foodstuff	6,585	1,284	299	7,57
5219	General retailer non-foodstuff (non-specialised)	7,245	285	134	7,39
5220	Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	10,955	349	326	10,9
5231	Retail sale of pharmaceutical goods	320	35	13	34
5232	Retail sale of textiles and footwear	986	195	40	1,14
5233	Retail sale of household appliances	699	56	25	7.
5234	Retail of hardware, paints and glass	1,086	112	38	1,1
5235	Sale of furniture	580	18	12	5
5236	Bookshop	243	6	7	2
5237	Jewellers shop	180	38	8	2
5239	Retail sale in specialised stores	2,243	190	88	2,3
5240	Retail sale of second hand goods in stores	18	0	0	
5252	Retail at market place and fairs	13,790	1,020	273	14,5
5259	Hawkers, street vendors and mobile victualler	5,762	228	79	5,9
5260	Repair of personal and household goods	883	64	22	9:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revised

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Table 1.2f - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Transport, storage and communications

NGIG	A	2000	July 2008 to	June 2009	2000
NSIC	Activity	2008	Issued	Cancelled	2009
	Total	5,606	40	27	5,619
60211 - 60219	Bus transport	1,301	1	0	1,302
60221	Taxi car	2,079	0	0	2,079
60231 - 60239	Freight transport by road	1,761	0	0	1,761
63010 - 63030 & 63090	Supporting and auxilliary transport activities	457	37	27	467
63041 - 63042	Travel agencies and tour operators	2	0	0	2
64	Post and telecommunications	6	2	0	8

Table 1.2g - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Financial intermediation; Real estate and business activities

NSIC	Activity	20081	July 2008 to	o June 2009	20091
NSIC	Activity	2000	Issued	Cancelled	2009
	Total	4,376	639	211	4,804
65	Financial intermediation except insurance & pension funding	229	14	12	231
66	Insurance and pension funding except compulsory social security	138	16	5	149
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	102	26	6	122
70	Real estate activities	415	83	28	470
71	Renting of machinery and equipment	1,754	75	52	1,777
72	Computer and related activities	254	121	17	358
74111	Attorney	129	0	0	129
74112	Notary	55	0	0	55
74113	Barrister	0	0	0	0
74121 & 74122	Accounting and Tax consultancy	73	1	4	70
7413	Market research and public opinion polling	2	0	0	2
7414	Business and management consultancy activities	328	176	24	480
74211	Engineer	25	1	0	26
74212 & 74213	Quantity and Land surveyors	71	0	2	69
74214	Architect	42	7	3	46
7422	Motor surveyors	124	1	8	117
74300	Advertising	88	5	6	87
749	Business activities n.e.c	547	113	44	616

<sup>1</sup> Revised

Table 1.2h - Licences by industry group as at June 2008 and 2009 - Education: Health and Social work:

Table 1.211 - Electrices by industry group as at sunc 2000 and 2007 - Education, freatth and Social work,
Community, social and personal service activities

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NSIC	Activity	2008	July 2008 to	June 2009	2009
Noic	Acuvity	2000	Issued	Cancelled	2007
	Total	5,460	538	193	5,805
80101	Pre-Primary	0	0	0	0
80102	Primary	0	0	0	0
80210	Secondary	0	0	0	0
80220	Vocational training centre	384	0	2	382
80301 - 80309	Higher education	9	0	0	9
80901 - 80909	Adult & other education	60	2	2	60
85121 - 85122	Medical practioner	95	1	2	94
85123	Dentist	43	2	0	45
85124 - 85320	Optician, Other health and Social work activities	186	33	8	211
70	Sewage and refuse disposal, sanitation and similar activities	27	1	2	26
91	Activities of membership organisations n.e.c	66	4	2	68
92	Recreational cultural & sporting activities	2,525	241	89	2,677
93	Other service activities	2,065	254	86	2,233

Table 2 - Registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009

NSIC	Activity	Port - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamplemousses	Riv. du Rempart	Moka	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Black - River	All districts
	Total	5,976	7,488	4,102	4,145	1,674	3,519	1,904	1,223	1,587	31,618
С	Mining and quarrying	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D	Manufacturing	8	1	0	2	0	2	2	2	1	18
Е	Electricity, gas and water supply	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	4
F	Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, personal and household goods	226	0	235	106	0	201	78	40	259	1,145
Н	Hotels and restaurants	124	308	325	441	21	214	143	46	376	1,998
I	Transport, storage and communications	3,800	5,475	2,932	3,103	1,265	2,658	1,378	915	512	22,038
J	Financial intermediation	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	1,530	870	241	130	304	31	65	22	74	3,267
M	Education	184	399	112	91	58	124	93	56	36	1,153
N	Health and social work	94	430	33	34	26	34	17	16	7	691
О	Other community, social and personal services	7	4	223	238	0	253	128	125	322	1,300

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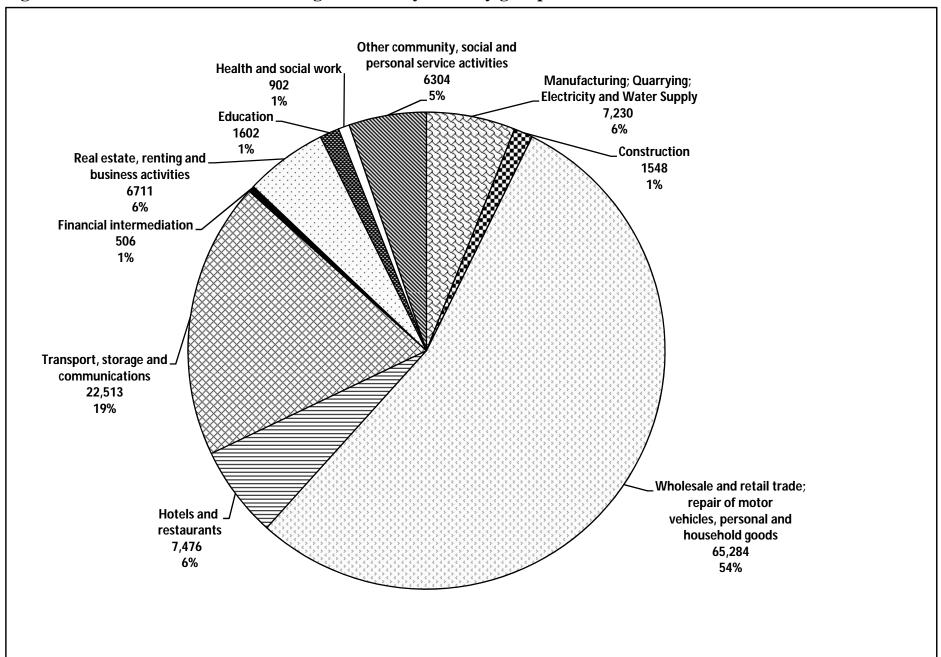
Table 3 - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group as at June, 2008 and 2009

			2008 <sup>2</sup>			2009 <sup>2</sup>	
NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	83,463	29,591	113,054	88,458	31,618	120,076
С	Mining and quarrying	5	0	5	5	0	5
D	Manufacturing	6,711	20	6,731	7,202	18	7,220
Е	Electricity, gas and water supply	1	4	5	1	4	5
F	Construction	1,333	0	1,333	1,548	0	1,548
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles and personal and household goods	60,936	980	61,916	64,139	1,145	65,284
Н	Hotels and restaurants	5,163	1,434	6,597	5,478	1,998	7,476
I	Transport, storage and communications	471	21,380	21,851	475	22,038	22,513
J	Financial intermediation and insurance	469	9	478	502	4	506
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	3,054	2,846	5,900	3,444	3,267	6,711
M	Education	451	1,150	1,601	449	1,153	1,602
N	Health and social work	186	673	859	211	691	902
О	Other community, social and personal service activities	4,683	1,095	5,778	5,004	1,300	6,304

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

Fig. 1: Total number of licences and registrations by industry group as at June 2009

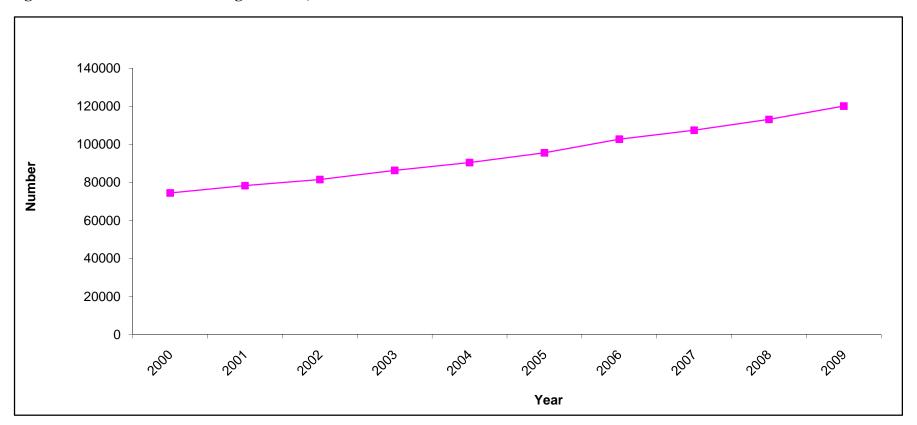


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Table 3.1 - Evolution of licences<sup>1</sup> & registrations, June 2000 - 2009

Year	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Number	74393	78227	81471	86271	90370	95501	102653	107380	113054	120076

Fig 2- Evolution of licences<sup>1</sup> & registrations, June 2000 - 2009



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

Table 3.2a - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group as at June 2009² - Manufacturing

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	7202	18	7220
15 & 16	Food product, beverages and tobacco	1802	13	1815
17 & 18	Textiles and wearing apparel	1727	1	1728
19	Tanning and Dressing of leather and footwear	143	0	143
20, 36101- 36109	Wood Product including furniture	916	0	916
21,22	Paper product, publishing and printing	357	0	357
23	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	2	0	2
24	Chemicals and chemical products	87	0	87
25	Rubber and plastic products	221	1	222
26	Non-metallic mineral product	109	0	109
27, 28, 29	Basic and fabricated metals and machinery n.e.c	656	0	656
30000	Office equipment	16	0	16
31, 32	Electrical machinery, apparatus, radio & tv equipment	28	2	30
33	Medical optical instrument, watches and clocks	61	0	61
34, 35	Motor vehicles, trailers and other transport equipment	17	1	18
36911- 36919	Jewellery and related products	549	0	549
36920- 36999	Manufacturing n.e.c.	499	0	499
37	Recycling	12	0	12

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 3.2b - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by industry group as at June 2009 - Electricity, Gas and Water Supply

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
40 & 41	Electricity, gas and water supply	1	4	5

Table 3.2c - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by industry group as at June 2009<sup>2</sup> - Construction

Number

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
45	Construction	1,548	0	1,548

Table 3.2d - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by industry group as at June 2009<sup>2</sup> - Hotels and Restaurants

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	5,478	1,998	7,476
55101 - 55109	Hotel and boarding houses	0	1,076	1,076
55201 - 55202	Restaurants	0	922	922
55203	Bars	1,527	0	1,527
55204 - 55209	Canteens and other eating places	3,951	0	3,951

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 3.2e - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group as at June 2009² - Wholesale and retail trade; Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	64139	1145	65284
501 & 502	Sale and repairs of motor vehicles	785	0	785
503	Sale of motor vehicle spare parts and accessories	800	0	800
504	Sale and repairs of motorcycles/spare parts	468	0	468
505	Retail sale of automotive fuel	168	0	168
51	Wholesaler/Commission Agent except motor vehicles	7827	237	8064
5211	General Retailer foodstuff and non-foodstuff	7570	0	7570
5219	General Retailer non-foodstuff (non-specialised)	7396	0	7396
5220	Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	10978	0	10978
5231	Retail sale of pharmaceutical goods	342	0	342
5232	Retail sale of textiles and footwear	1141	0	1141
5233	Retail sale of household appliances	730	0	730
5234	Retail of hardware, paints and glass	1160	0	1160
5235	Sale of furniture	586	0	586
5236	Bookshop	242	0	242
5237	Jewellers shop	210	0	210
5239	Retail sale in specialised stores	2345	0	2345
5240	Retail sale of second hand goods in stores	18	0	18
5252	Retail at market place and fairs	14537	0	14537
5259	Hawkers, street vendors and mobile victualler	5911	908	6819
5260	Repair of personal and household goods	925	0	925

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 3.2f - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group as at June 2009 - Transport, storage & communications

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	475	22038	22513
60211 - 60219	Bus transport	0	5476	5476
60221	Taxi	0	6928	6928
60231 - 60239	Freight transport by road	0	9129	9129
63010 - 63030 & 63090	Supporting and auxilliary transport activities	467	27	494
63041 - 63042	Travel agencies and tour operators	0	478	478
64	Post and telecommunications	8	0	8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

Table 3.2g - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group as at June 2009² - Financial intermediation; Real estate and business activities

NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	3,946	3,271	7,217
65	Financial intermediation except insurance & pension funding	231	4	235
66	Insurance and pension funding except compulsory social security	149	0	149
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	122	0	122
70	Real estate activities	470	0	470
71	Renting of machinery and equipment	1,148	2,400	3,548
72	Computer and related activities	358	0	358
74111	Attorney	0	149	149
74112	Notary	0	57	57
74113	Barrister	0	406	406
74121 & 74122	Accounting & tax consultancy activities	71	0	71
74130	Market research and public opinion polling	2	0	2
7414	Business and management consultancy activities	480	132	612
74211	Engineer	26	0	26
74212 & 74213	Quantity and Land surveyors	69	0	69
74214	Architect	0	121	121
7422	Motor surveyors	116	2	118
74300	Advertising	87	0	87
749	Business activities n.e.c	617	0	617

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 3.2h - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group as at June 2009 - Education; Health and Social work; Community, social and personal service activities

				Number
NSIC	Activity	Licences only	Registrations	Total
	Total	5664	3144	8808
80101	Pre-Primary	0	785	785
80102	Primary	0	78	78
80210	Secondary	0	105	105
80220	Vocational training centre	382	0	382
8030	Higher education	7	48	55
80901 - 80909	Adult & other education	60	137	197
85121 - 85122	Medical practioner	0	539	539
85123	Dentist	0	152	152
85124 - 85320	Optician, Other health and Social work activities	211	0	211
90	Sewage and refuse disposal, sanitation and similar activities	26	0	26
91	Activities of membership organisations n.e.c	68	0	68
92	Recreational cultural & sporting activities	2681	1276	3957
93	Other service activities	2229	24	2253

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 4 - Net changes in licences¹ and registrations by industry group, June 2008 to June 2009²

NSIC	Activity	20082	2009 <sup>2</sup>	Net change		
NSIC	Activity	2000-	2009	Number	%	
	Total	113,054	120,076	7,022	6	
C	Mining and quarrying	5	5	0	0	
D	Manufacturing	6,731	7,220	489	7	
Е	Electricity, gas and water supply	5	5	0	0	
F	Construction	1,333	1,548	215	16	
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	61,916	65,284	3,368	5	
Н	Hotels and restaurants	6,597	7,476	879	13	
I	Transport, storage and communications	21,851	22,513	662	3	
J	Financial intermediation and insurance	478	506	28	6	
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	5,900	6,711	811	14	
M	Education	1,601	1,602	1	0	
N	Health and social work	859	902	43	5	
O	Other community, social and personal service activities	5,778	6,304	526	9	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

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Table 5.1 - Licences  $^{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$  and registrations by industry group and region as at June  $2009^{\scriptscriptstyle 2}$ 

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
	Total	53,903	66,173	120,076
C	Mining and quarrying	0	5	5
D	Manufacturing	3,419	3,801	7,220
E	Electricity, gas and water supply	0	5	5
F	Construction	792	756	1,548
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	29,326	35,958	65,284
Н	Hotels and restaurants	2,609	4,867	7,476
I	Transport, storage and communications	9,638	12,875	22,513
J	Financial intermediation and insurance	271	235	506
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	4,137	2,574	6,711
M	Education	905	697	1,602
N	Health and social work	666	236	902
O	Other community, social and personal service activities	2,140	4,164	6,304

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 5.2a - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by industry group and region as at June  $2009^2$  - Manufacturing

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
	Total	3,419	3,801	7,220
15 & 16	Food product, beverages and tobacco	762	1,053	1,815
17 & 18	Textiles and wearing apparel	746	982	1,728
19	Tanning and dressing of leather & footwear	90	53	143
20, 36101- 36109	Wood product including furniture	488	428	916
21,22	Paper product, publishing and printing	247	110	357
23	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	2	2
24	Chemicals and chemical products	44	43	87
25	Rubber and plastic products	129	93	222
26	Non-metallic mineral products	34	75	109
27, 28, 29	Basic & fabricated metals and machinery n.e.c	319	337	656
30000	Office equipment	16	0	16
31, 32	Electrical machinery, apparatus, radio & tv equipment	20	10	30
33	Medical optical instrument, watches and clocks	29	32	61
34, 35	Motor vehicles, trailers and other transport equipment	11	7	18
36911- 36919	Jewellery and related products	261	288	549
36920- 36999	Manufacturing n.e.c.	217	282	499
37	Recycling	6	6	12

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 5.2b - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and region as at June 2009 - Electricity, Gas and Water Supply

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
40 & 41	Electricity, gas and water	0	5	5

Table 5.2c - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and region as at June 2009² - Construction

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
45	Construction	792	756	1,548

Table 5.2d - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and region as at June 2009² - Hotels and Restaurants

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
	Total	2,609	4,867	7,476
55101 - 55109	Hotels and boarding houses	120	956	1,076
55201 - 55202	Restaurants	312	610	922
55203	Bars	397	1,130	1,527
55204 - 55209	Canteens and other eating places	1,780	2,171	3,951

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

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Table 5.2e - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and region as at June 2009² - Wholesale and retail trade; Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
	Total	29,326	35,958	65,284
501 & 502	Sale and repairs of motor vehicles	406	379	785
503	Sale of motor vehicle spare parts and accessories	492	308	800
504	Sale and repairs of motorcycles/spare parts	250	218	468
505	Retail sale of automotive fuel	79	89	168
51	Wholesaler/Commission Agent except of motor vehicles	4,621	3,443	8,064
5211	General retailer foodstuff and non-foodstuff	3,024	4,546	7,570
5219	General retailer non-foodstuff (non-specialised)	4,328	3,068	7,396
5220	Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco	4,615	6,363	10,978
5231	Retail sale of pharmaceutical goods	208	134	342
5232	Retail sale of textiles and footwear	801	340	1,141
5233	Retail sale of household appliances	447	283	730
5234	Retail of hardware, paints and glass	578	582	1,160
5235	Sale of furniture	243	343	580
5236	Bookshop	149	93	242
5237	Jewellers shop	106	104	210
5239	Retail sale in specialised stores	1,019	1,326	2,345
5240	Retail sale of second-hand goods in stores	12	6	18
5252	Retail at market place and fairs	5,578	8,959	14,537
5259	Hawkers, street vendors and mobile victualler	1,894	4,925	6,819
5260	Repair of personal and household goods	476	449	92

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 5.2f - Licences¹ and registrations by activity and region as at June 2009 - Transport, storage and communications

Number **NSIC** Activity Urban Rural **Total Total** 9,638 12,875 22,513 60211 - 60219 **Bus Transport** 2,806 2,670 5,476 60221 Taxi car 2,813 4,115 6,928 60231 - 60239 Freight transport by road 5,609 3,520 9,129 63010 - 63030 Supporting and auxilliary transport activities 372 122 494 & 63090 Travel agencies and tour operators 63041 - 63042 256 222 478 Post and telecommunications 64 7 1 8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

Table 5.2g - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and region as at June 2009² - Financial intermediation; Real estate and business activities

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NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
	Total	4,408	2,809	7,217
65	Financial intermediation except insurance & pension funding	117	118	235
66	Insurance and pension funding except compulsory social security	88	61	149
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	66	56	122
70	Real estate activities	224	246	470
71	Renting of machinery and equipment	1,914	1,634	3,548
72	Computer and related activities	203	155	358
74111	Attorney	149	0	149
74112	Notary	57	0	57
74113	Barrister	406	0	406
74121 - 74122	Accounting and tax consultancy	64	7	71
7413	Market research and public opinion polling	2	0	2
7414	Business and management consultancy activities	441	171	612
74211	Engineer	24	2	26
74212 & 74213	Quantity and land surveyors	63	6	69
74214	Architect	98	23	121
7422	Motor surveyors	87	31	118
74300	Advertising	68	19	87
749	Business activities n.e.c	337	280	617

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 5.2h - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and region as at June 2009 - Education; Health and Social work; Community, social and personal service activities

NSIC	Activity	Urban	Rural	Total
	Total	3,711	5,097	8,808
80101	Pre-Primary	349	436	785
80102	Primary	39	39	78
80210	Secondary	65	40	105
80220	Vocational training centre	286	96	382
8030	Higher education	48	7	55
80901 - 80909	Adult and other education	118	79	197
85121 - 85122	Medical practioner	420	119	539
85123	Dentist	104	48	152
85124 - 85320	Optician, Other health and Social work activities	142	69	211
90	Sewage and refuse disposal, sanitation and similar activities	7	19	26
91	Activities of membership organisations n.e.c	33	35	68
92	Recreational cultural and sporting activities	845	3,112	3,957
93	Other service activities	1,255	998	2,253

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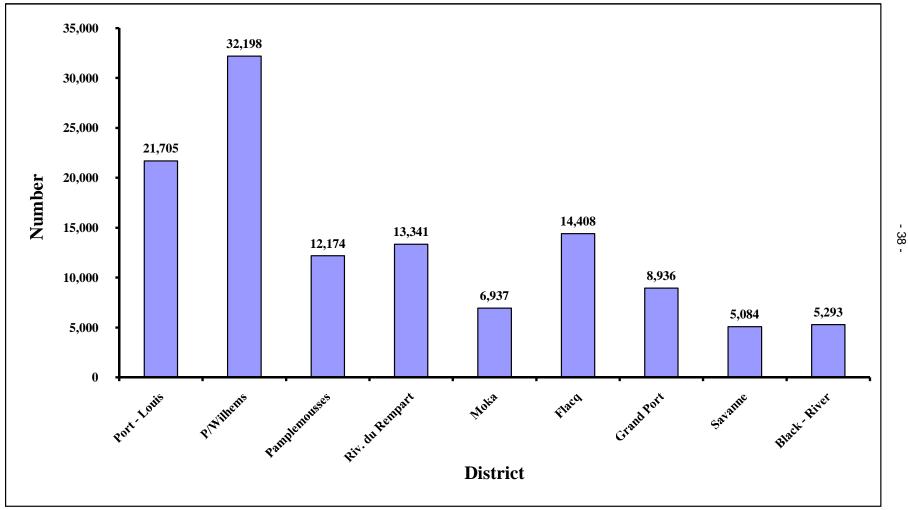
Table 6.1 - Licences $^{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$  and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009 $^{\scriptscriptstyle 2}$ 

NSIC	Activity	Port - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamplemousses	Riv. du Rempart	Moka	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Black - River	All districts
	Total	21,705	32,198	12,174	13,341	6,937	14,408	8,936	5,084	5,293	120,076
С	Mining and quarrying	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
D	Manufacturing	1,231	2,188	673	608	419	772	588	388	353	7,220
E	Electricity	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	5
F	Construction	180	612	92	60	109	229	135	74	57	1,548
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	11,779	17,547	6,347	7,294	3,791	8,159	4,953	2,549	2,865	65,284
Н	Hotels and restaurants	879	1,730	852	1,034	356	938	687	348	652	7,476
I	Transport, storage and communications	4,060	5,578	2,956	3,108	1,269	2,663	1,422	916	541	22,513
J	Financial intermediation and insurance	148	123	26	52	18	62	38	23	16	506
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	2,273	1,864	524	449	583	380	266	131	241	6,711
М	Education	314	591	124	111	76	160	113	62	51	1,602
N	Health and social work	134	532	46	48	34	47	26	16	19	902
О	Other community, social and personal services	707	1,433	533	577	282	996	707	576	493	6,304

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Fig 3 - Licences¹ and registrations by district as at June 2009



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 6.2a - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009² - Manufacturing

											Number
NSIC	Activity	Port - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamplemousses	Riv. du Rempart	Moka	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Black - River	All districts
	Total	1,231	2,188	673	608	419	772	588	388	353	7,220
15 & 16	Food product, beverages and tobacco	241	521	171	161	111	208	181	126	95	1,815
17 & 18	Textiles and wearing apparel	208	538	133	158	153	234	135	117	52	1,728
19	Tanning and dressing of leather & footwear	49	41	17	4	7	6	9	5	5	143
20, 36101- 36109	Wood product including furniture	147	341	65	64	43	105	84	36	31	916
21,22	Paper product, publishing and printing	144	103	24	16	10	13	15	9	23	357
23	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
24	Chemicals and chemical products	21	23	14	7	4	2	3	0	13	87
25	Rubber and plastic products	81	48	16	17	7	8	23	13	9	222
26	Non-metallic mineral products	19	15	25	3	6	14	12	2	13	109
27, 28, 29	Basic & fabricated metals and machinery, n.e.c	90	229	81	86	26	49	41	25	29	656
30000	Office equipment	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
31, 32	Electrical machinery, apparatus, radio & tv equipment	13	7	4	1	2	0	1	0	2	30
33	Medical optical instrument, watches and clocks	6	23	8	9	4	8	0	1	2	61
34, 35	Motor vehicles, trailers and other transport equipment	5	6	0	3	2	0	1	0	1	18
36911- 36919	Jewellery and related products	106	155	51	47	24	79	40	37	10	549
36920- 36999	Manufacturing, n.e.c.	89	128	61	31	20	45	41	17	67	499
37	Recycling	4	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	12

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

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Table 6.2b - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009 - Electricity, Gas and Water Supply

P/Wilhems - River **NSIC** Activity All districts Flacq Electricity, Gas and water 0 0 0 0 2 0 5 40 & 41 1 1 1

Table 6.2c - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009² - Construction

Number

NSIC	Activity	P - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamp.	R.Rempart	Мока	Flacq	G - Port	Savanne	B - River	All districts
4520	Construction	180	612	92	60	109	229	135	74	57	1,548

Table 6.2d - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009² - Hotels and Restaurants

NSIC	Activity	P - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamp.	R.Rempart	Мока	Flacq	G - Port	Savanne	B - River	All districts
	Total	879	1,730	852	1,034	356	938	687	348	652	7,476
55101 - 55109	Hotels and boarding houses	29	91	200	304	2	94	82	11	263	1,076
55201 - 55202	Restaurants	95	217	125	137	19	120	61	35	113	922
55203	Bars	98	299	152	203	121	256	217	120	61	1,527
55204 - 55209	Canteens and other eating places	657	1,123	375	390	214	468	327	182	215	3,951

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 6.2e - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by activity and district as at June 2009<sup>2</sup> - Wholesale and retail trade; Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles & personal and household goods

Number R.Rempart P/Wilhems - River - Louis Port Savanne All **NSIC Activity** Pamp. Moka Flacq districts  $\mathbf{\omega}$ **Total** 11,779 17,547 6,347 7,294 3,791 8,159 4,953 2,549 2,865 65,284 501 & 502 Sale and repairs of motor vehicles Sale of motor vehicle spare parts and accessories Sale and repairs of motorcycles/spare parts Retail sale of automotive fuel Wholesaler/Commission Agent except of motor 2,347 2,274 8,064 vehicles General retailer foodstuff and non-foodstuff 7,570 2,066 General retailer non-foodstuff (non-specialised) 1,922 2,406 7,396 Retail sale of food, beverages and tobacco 10,978 1.429 3,186 1.055 1.031 1,496 Retail sale of pharmaceutical goods Retail sale of textiles and footwear 1,141 Retail sale of household appliances Retail of hardware, paints and glass 1,160 Sale of furniture Bookshop Jewellers shop Retail sale in specialised stores 2,345 Retail sale of second-hand goods in stores Retail at market place and fairs 1,590 1,792 14,537 3,988 2,555 1,981 1,066 Hawkers, street vendors and mobile victualler 1,368 1,113 6,819 Repair of personal and household goods 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

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Table 6.2f - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009 - Transport, storage and communications

NSIC	Activity	Port - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamplemousses	Riv. Du Rempart	Moka	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Black - River	All districts
	Total	4,060	5,578	2,956	3,108	1,269	2,663	1,422	916	541	22,513
60211 - 60219	Bus Transport	686	1,984	609	532	358	532	437	256	82	5,476
60221	Taxi car	1,130	1,683	584	811	248	1,437	524	249	262	6,928
60231 - 60239	Freight transport by road	1,841	1,679	1,693	1,686	650	655	405	397	123	9,129
63010 - 63030 & 63090	Supporting and auxilliary transport activities	272	100	24	8	4	5	45	5	31	494
63041 - 63042	Travel agencies and tour operators	127	129	46	71	9	34	11	9	42	478
64	Post and telecommunications	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjusted - some activities are both licensed and registered. To avoid double counting such activities are included under registrations only.

Table 6.2g - Licences¹ and registrations by industry group and district as at June 2009² - Financial intermediation; Real estate and business activities

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NSIC	Activity	P - Louis	P/Wilhems	Pamp.	R.Rempart	Moka	Flacq	G - Port	Savanne	B - River	All districts
	Total	2,421	1,987	550	501	601	442	304	154	257	7,217
65	Financial intermediation except insurance & pension funding	44	73	17	29	8	20	26	12	6	235
66	Insurance and pension funding except compulsory social security	58	30	4	14	5	21	6	9	2	149
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	46	20	5	9	5	21	6	2	8	122
70	Real estate activities	91	133	44	74	37	41	12	7	31	470
71	Renting of machinery and equipment	887	1,027	371	278	378	210	173	95	129	3,548
72	Computer and related activities	79	124	22	27	13	29	39	7	18	358
74111	Attorney	149	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	149
74112	Notary	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57
74113	Barrister	406	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	406
74121 & 74122	Accounting and Tax consultancy	45	19	2	1	1	2	1	0	0	71
7413	Market research and public opinion polling	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7414	Business and management consultancy activities	298	143	18	16	53	46	12	7	19	612
74211	Engineer	5	19	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	26
74212 & 74213	Quantity and Land surveyors	29	34	1	0	1	3	1	0	0	69
74214	Architect	31	67	5	4	6	2	2	1	3	121
7422	Motor surveyors	53	34	6	6	5	5	2	0	7	118
74300	Advertising	38	30	5	6	3	2	0	0	3	87
749	Business activities, n.e.c	104	233	50	37	85	40	24	14	30	617

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revised

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Table 6.2h - Licences<sup>1</sup> and registrations by activity and district as at June 2009 - Education; Health and Social work; Community, social and personal service activities

Number P/Wilhems R.Rempart - River - Louis All Savanne - Port **NSIC Activity** Pamp. Moka Flacq districts ڻ  $\mathbf{m}$ 1,155 2,556 1,203 Total 8,808 Pre-Primary Primary Secondary Vocational training centre Higher education Adult & other education 80901 - 80909 Medical practioner 85121 - 85122 Dentist Optician, Other health and Social work 85124 - 85320 activities Sewage and refuse disposal, sanitation and similar activities Activities of membership organisations n.e.c Recreational cultural & sporting activities 3,957 Other service activities 2,253 

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