UPDATE ON SCHOOLS IMPACTED BY THE PASSAGE OF HURRICANE BERYL

After the passage of Hurricane Beryl, the Permanent Secretary instructed the Planning Division and Technical Services Unit to create a database in Google Docs to capture pertainment information for the schools impacted, all the Regions and key personnel have access to input the required data. As such to date, **Three Hundred and Two (302)** schools were impacted at a preliminary cost of **Two Billion Seven Hundred and Seven Million Two Hundred and Forty Thousand Dollars ($2,707,240,000.00)** to carry out repairs and re-construction activities.

SUMMARY			
ITEM	REGION	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	PRELIMINARY COST $
1	1	12	$ 44,200,001.00
2	2	20	$ 171,320,002.00
3	3	43	$ 284,800,003.00
4	4	77	$ 647,750,004.00
5	5	55	$ 802,500,005.00
6	6	61	$ 557,870,006.00
7	7	34	$ 198,800,007.00
TOTALS		302	$ 2,707,240,000.00

Schools impacted were prioritised by three (3) categories:

- Priority 1: **Severely Damaged** - may affect school reopening
- Priority 2: **Moderately Damaged -** Significant repairs. School can operate while repairs are done
- Priority 3: **Minor Damaged** - school can operate while repairs are done

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The schools most severely impacted are in Regions 3,4,5,6 and 7.

Number of schools for priority 1: **Eighty-five (85) schools at approximately $1.46B**

Number of schools priority 2: **One Hundred and Nine (109) schools at approximately $921.9M**

Number of schools priority 3: **One Hundred and Fourteen (108) schools at approximately $323.7M**

PRIORITY 1- SUMMARY			
ITEM	REGION	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	PRELIMINARY COST $
1	1	2	$14,500,000.00
2	2	8	$140,500,000.00
3	3	10	$130,000,000.00
4	4	21	$285,100,000.00
5	5	22	$595,000,000.00
6	6	8	$162,000,000.00
7	7	14	$134,500,000.00
TOTALS		85	$1,461,600,000.00

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PRIORITY 2 - SUMMARY			
ITEM	REGION	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	PRELIMINARY COST $
1	1	3	$12,000,000.00
2	2	8	$27,500,000.00
3	3	8	$54,000,000.00
4	4	37	$312,500,000.00
5	5	14	$153,000,000.00
6	6	35	$344,400,000.00
7	7	4	$18,500,000.00
TOTALS		109	$921,900,000.00

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PRIORITY 3- SUMMARY			
ITEM	REGION	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	PRELIMINARY COST $
1	1	7	$17,700,000.00
2	2	4	$3,320,000.00
3	3	25	$100,800,000.00
4	4	19	$50,150,000.00
5	5	19	$54,500,000.00
6	6	18	$51,470,000.00
7	7	16	$45,800,000.00
TOTALS		108	$323,740,000.00

To date, the Technical Team has identified contractors for schools under **Priority 1**:Severely Damaged, which may affect school reopening.

The Technical Team is currently in the field carrying out final assessment to finalise procurement documentation and to assign registered contractors with the Public Procurement Commission to carry out repairs and reconstruction using the **Single-Source Procurement Methodology** under emergency conditions, in keeping with the **Public Procurement Act**.

Additionally, all Regions will be disburse emergency funds to assist schools affects in priorties two and three with cleaning up exercise other critical emergencies.