

Welcome address by

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at the

Corporate Identity launch of SIL at 18 hrs on 26 April 2009

Honorable Asraf Dullull, Minister of Information and Communication
Technology

Dr Ashveen Kissoonah, Chairman, State Informatics Ltd

Board Directors, State Informatics Ltd

Chairmen and CEOs

Distinguished guests

Members of the Press

Ladies and Gentlemen

On behalf of the State Informatics Limited, I wish to extend a very warm welcome to all our guests to the launch of SIL's new corporate identity today. I would like to take this opportunity to especially thank Honorable Asraf Dulull, the Minister of Information and Communication Technology, to have taken time to be with us this evening.

Ladies and Gentlemen

Our launch today gives us the opportunity to express what we, at SIL, believe very strongly about.

- We strongly believe in working as a partner with our customers;
- We strongly believe in investing in our human capital; and
- We strongly believe in an innovative and creative culture.

Allow me to start by describing SIL's business profile and the transformation that has taken place.

SIL was established in 1989, as a company to assist in the computerization of government departments. As a software development company initially, SIL has served numerous ministries and departments to meet their organizational challenges through the implementation of tailor-made software solutions. Subsequently, SIL was called upon to undertake projects in the private sector as well and has earned a reputation today that goes beyond the shores of Mauritius. In fact, SIL has implemented major projects in some 12 African countries. SIL has, as a result, acquired a solid and rich experience in the implementation of IT solutions, and in particular, a sound knowhow in managing the implementation of complex IT systems. Our portfolio of projects today covers not only the public sector, but the financial services sector, logistics and utilities.

SIL has accelerated over time the expansion of its activities to serve its customers with a comprehensive range of products and services that respond to the demanding needs of the industry. SIL can, today, undertake to provide turnkey solutions in almost all the sectors of the economy. Our partnership with world leading technology companies such as Oracle, Sun Microsystems, IBM, Microsoft, Cisco, EMC and Symantec, enable us to provide state-of-the-art solutions to our customers.

In order to better service our customers, we have recently revisited our organizational structure so that we are more focused on the business

needs of our customers rather than being driven by technology only. In this respect, SIL has restructured its activities into three business clusters, namely Public Sector, Financial Services and Logistics & Utilities. These clusters focus on domain knowledge and are supported by the technology groups.

SIL has a resource base of over 120 highly qualified professionals and we have made certification on the various technologies we support, the basic foundation of our human resource development programme.

The new corporate identity that we are launching today was created to better reflect the high-tech environment that we are operating in today. Our new logo, that you will see shortly, can be interpreted in different ways. Whatever you see in our new logo ... we hope that you see talent, professionalism and dedication.

SIL is committed to building long-term relationships with its customers based on an in-depth knowledge about your business, your philosophy and most importantly your business direction. We are prepared to face the new challenges of the ever-changing business environment and we will continue to focus on our customers to help them stay a step ahead and to reach new heights.

Let me conclude by a word of thanks to all of you for your presence this evening and I would also like to thank my management team for their support.

Thank you.