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PRESS RELEASE

In accordance with section 8(4) of the Public Inquiries Act 2025, Mr Paul LAM SHANG LEEN, who has been appointed as Chairperson of the Board of Inquiry set up to inquire into the circumstances surrounding and leading to the death of late Mr Andy SELMOUR, detainee at Melrose Prison, has today taken and subscribed the Oath of Office before His Excellency Mr Dharambeer GOKHOOL, G.C.S.K., President of the Republic, at the State House, Le Réduit.

26 January 2026

**The State House
Le Réduit**