

## Site Visit to PUC Ile Aurore Storage Area

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Date of Visit: Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2023

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Objectives of the visit: To assess the physical security infrastructure of the PUC storage area located at Ile Aurore, in accordance with the recommendation provided by FPAC.

Visit Findings:

- The visit was conducted by myself at 8am.
- The premises covers an area of 24,000 sq metres.
- The building is properly gated and fenced and is being guarded by security personnel
- During the day, one security is on duty whilst two officers guard the area during the night.
- A store-keeper is available during the normal working hours to ensure stock is being properly controlled
- Security cameras were visible
- Pole lights were seen on the perimeter of the area
- Materials being stored in the storage area include electrical poles, electrical cables, various pipes of different sizes – see pictures below.
- The building has made provisions to cater for staff facilities for the security personnel as well as the store-keeper.
- Preparatory work was ongoing for the construction of a new warehouse on the same premises which is expected to store materials for PUC. Currently the materials are being stored in containers.
- Upon discussions with the CEO, he confirmed that additional security cameras would be installed in the near future.
- The visit confirmed that PUC has made significant improvements in securing their storage facilities which is housing various equipment and materials required for their ongoing work.







