

Review of: "A Mathematical Characterisation of COVID-19 in Mauritius"

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The paper is well written. The authors try to study an epidemic model related to the novel coronavirus. The authors have to revise minor the following points:

- 1. Why can this present model described in Eq. (1) to Eq. (3) describe the novel coronavirus?
- 2. Explain the time delay in the modeling, and what it means for the present model. It is important for modeling COVID when the information has a delay, please clarify this point.
- 3. How did the authors get the reproduction number in Eq. (4), what does it mean in the present paper?
- 4. Please give the reference of Eq. (6).