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**DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY**

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**Botanical Name:** *Hyophorbe lagenicaulis* (L.H.Bailey) H.E.Moore

**Family:** Arecaceae.

**Common Name:** Bottle palm.

**Origin:** Round Island, Mauritius.

**General Characters:**

- It grow as a container plant.
- It is an indoor plant,
- It is also a source of food.
- It is shelter for wild life.
- It has large swollen trunk.
- It has four to six leaves open at any leaves.
- It stores water in trunk.
- It grows up to 20-30 meters.

