

## **LegCo Panel on Security**

### **Follow-up to the special meeting on 14 February 2001 Statistics on provision of Registration of Persons records**

#### **INTRODUCTION**

A Member has recently requested the Immigration Department to provide additional information on release of Registration of Persons data in large quantities in the three years prior to the enactment of the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance.

#### **THE REQUESTED STATISTICS**

2. The Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance was enacted in August 1995 and brought into force on 20 December 1996. For the purpose of this paper, we continue to define records provided in “large quantities” as records involving over 100 data subjects.

3. The relevant statistics for the three-year period from 20 December 1993 to 19 December 1996 are tabulated at Annex. The Immigration Department is unable to provide detailed breakdowns on the reasons leading to these requests as all such records have been destroyed after the lapse of time. The Department could only compile the statistics by checking the relevant registers, which do not record the reasons for the requests in question. However, based on experience, the requests should all be related to the prevention and detection of crime, enforcement of law, and recovery of money due to the Government.

Security Bureau  
19 March 2001

**Number of ROP Records provided by Immigration Department  
from 20.12.93 - 19.12.94 with over 100 data subjects in one single request**

<b>Serial No.</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>No. of data subjects</b>
1.	Hong Kong Police Force	102
2.	- " -	110
3.	- " -	147
4.	- " -	110
5.	- " -	144
6.	- " -	111
7.	- " -	102
8.	- " -	133
9.	- " -	135
10.	- " -	101
11.	- " -	117
12.	- " -	116
13.	- " -	125
14.	- " -	101
15.	- " -	114
16.	- " -	136
17.	- " -	128
18.	- " -	169
19.	- " -	170
20.	- " -	161
21.	- " -	137
22.	- " -	131
23.	- " -	136
24.	- " -	155
25.	- " -	150
26.	Housing Department	413
27.	- " -	167
28.	- " -	111
29.	- " -	120
30.	- " -	120
31.	Hospital Authority	160

**Number of ROP Records provided by Immigration Department  
from 20.12.94 - 19.12.95 with over 100 data subjects in one single request**

<b>Serial No.</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>No. of data subjects</b>
1.	Hong Kong Police Force	130
2.	- " -	147
3.	- " -	214
4.	- " -	120
5.	- " -	131
6.	- " -	173
7.	- " -	162
8.	- " -	165
9.	- " -	115
10.	- " -	141
11.	- " -	126
12.	- " -	150
13.	- " -	101
14.	- " -	146
15.	- " -	105
16.	- " -	127
17.	- " -	130
18.	- " -	158
19.	- " -	120
20.	- " -	152
21.	- " -	117
22.	- " -	120
23.	- " -	264
24.	- " -	178
25.	- " -	154
26.	- " -	193
27.	Housing Department	229
28.	- " -	244
29.	- " -	100
30.	- " -	269
31.	- " -	292
32.	- " -	102
33.	- " -	103
34.	- " -	105
35.	- " -	201
36.	- " -	218
37.	- " -	310
38.	ICAC	648
39.	Student Financial Assistance Agency	116

**Number of ROP Records provided by Immigration Department  
from 20.12.95 - 19.12.96 with over 100 data subjects in one single request**

<b>Serial No.</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>No. of data subjects</b>
1.	Hong Kong Police Force	146
2.	- " -	144
3.	- " -	141
4.	- " -	210
5.	- " -	200
6.	- " -	140
7.	- " -	127
8.	- " -	229
9.	- " -	104
10.	- " -	221
11.	- " -	164
12.	- " -	145
13.	- " -	232
14.	- " -	195
15.	- " -	158
16.	- " -	132
17.	- " -	142
18.	- " -	168
19.	- " -	378
20.	- " -	139
21.	- " -	153
22.	- " -	199
23.	- " -	161
24.	- " -	136
25.	- " -	156
26.	- " -	160
27.	- " -	105
28.	- " -	119
29.	- " -	178
30.	- " -	191
31.	- " -	333
32.	- " -	164
33.	- " -	113
34.	Housing Department	294
35.	- " -	185
36.	Kowloon Canton Railway Corporation	128