LegCo Select Committee to Summon Two Other Witnesses

The following is issued on behalf of the Legislative Council Secretariat:

The Legislative Council Select Committee on Building Problems of Public Housing Units met today (Tuesday, June 5) to take evidence from Mrs Fanny FAN Chiu-fan, Deputy Director of Housing (Housing Management and Works) from January 1995 to September 1996, concerning the management of the Housing Department and the staffing establishment in anticipation of the bunching of production of public housing.

For the purpose of better understanding the working and monitoring mechanisms for the production of public housing, the Select Committee decided today to summon Mr Stephen POON Sing-chi, Senior Assistant Director (of Housing)/New Development in 1995 and Deputy Director of Housing/Works in 1997 and Mr YUEN Tze-chu, Assistant Director (of Housing)/Development in 1995 and Business Director/Development in 1997 to give evidence on June 19, 2001 (Tuesday) and June 23, 2001 (Saturday) respectively. The Select Committee will continue to take evidence from Mr Daniel LAM Chun, Chairman of the Building Committee of the Housing Authority from 1996/97 to 2000/01 on June 9 (Saturday).

The Select Committee was set up to inquire into the building problems in the production of public housing units in Tin Chung Court (Tin Shui Wai), Shatin Area 14B Phase 2, Tung Chung Area 30 Phase 3 and Shek Yam Estate Phase 2.

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