

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

## MINUTES

### No. 1

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Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 10 October 2001 at 2:30 pm

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#### Present:

The Hon TUNG Chee-hwa, JP  
The Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

#### Members present:

President  
The Hon Mrs Rita FAN HSU Lai-tai, GBS, JP  
The Hon Kenneth TING Woo-shou, JP  
The Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP  
The Hon David CHU Yu-lin, JP  
The Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan  
The Hon Albert HO Chun-yan  
Ir Dr the Hon Raymond HO Chung-tai, JP  
The Hon LEE Cheuk-yan  
The Hon Martin LEE Chu-ming, SC, JP  
The Hon Eric LI Ka-cheung, JP  
Dr the Hon David LI Kwok-po, GBS, JP  
The Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, JP  
Dr the Hon LUI Ming-wah, JP  
The Hon NG Leung-sing, JP

The Hon Margaret NG

The Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-yee, JP

The Hon James TO Kun-sun

The Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong

The Hon HUI Cheung-ching, JP

The Hon CHAN Kwok-keung

The Hon CHAN Yuen-han, JP

The Hon Bernard CHAN

The Hon CHAN Kam-lam

The Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG LAU Yau-fun, SBS, JP

The Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung

The Hon SIN Chung-kai

The Hon Andrew WONG Wang-fat, JP

Dr the Hon Philip WONG Yu-hong

The Hon WONG Yung-kan

The Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, JP

The Hon Howard YOUNG, JP

Dr the Hon YEUNG Sum

The Hon YEUNG Yiu-chung, BBS

The Hon LAU Chin-shek, JP

The Hon LAU Kong-wah

The Hon LAU Wong-fat, GBS, JP

The Hon Mrs Miriam LAU Kin-yee, JP

The Hon Ambrose LAU Hon-chuen, GBS, JP

The Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP

The Hon CHOY So-yuk

The Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo

The Hon SZETO Wah  
The Hon Timothy FOK Tsun-ting, SBS, JP  
The Hon LAW Chi-kwong, JP  
The Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP  
Dr the Hon TANG Siu-tong, JP  
The Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, JP  
The Hon LI Fung-ying, JP  
The Hon Henry WU King-cheong, BBS  
The Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, JP  
The Hon Michael MAK Kwok-fung  
The Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip  
Dr the Hon LO Wing-lok  
The Hon WONG Sing-chi  
The Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee  
The Hon IP Kwok-him, JP  
The Hon LAU Ping-cheung  
The Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP  
The Hon MA Fung-kwok

**Member absent:**

The Hon LEUNG Fu-wah, MH, JP

**Public officers attending:**

The Honourable Donald TSANG Yam-kuen, JP  
The Chief Secretary for Administration  
  
The Honourable Antony LEUNG Kam-chung, GBS, JP  
The Financial Secretary  
  
The Honourable Elsie LEUNG Oi-sie, JP  
The Secretary for Justice  
  
Mr Michael SUEN Ming-yeung, GBS, JP

Secretary for Constitutional Affairs

Mr CHAU Tak-hay, JP  
Secretary for Commerce and Industry

Mr Nicholas NG Wing-fui, JP  
Secretary for Transport

Mr Dominic WONG Shing-wah, GBS, JP  
Secretary for Housing

Mr Joseph WONG Wing-ping, GBS, JP  
Secretary for the Civil Service

Miss Denise YUE Chung-yee, GBS, JP  
Secretary for the Treasury

Mr LAM Woon-kwong, GBS, JP  
Secretary for Home Affairs

Mr Stephen IP Shu-kwan, GBS, JP  
Secretary for Financial Services

Mrs Lily YAM KWAN Pui-ying, JP  
Secretary for the Environment and Food

Dr YEOH Eng-kiong, JP  
Secretary for Health and Welfare

Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee, JP  
Secretary for Security

Mr LEE Shing-see, JP  
Secretary for Works

Mrs Carrie YAU TSANG Ka-lai, JP  
Secretary for Information Technology and Broadcasting

Mrs Fanny LAW FAN Chiu-fun, JP  
Secretary for Education and Manpower

Ms Sandra LEE Suk-yee, JP  
Secretary for Economic Services

Mr John TSANG Chun-wah, JP  
Secretary for Planning and Lands

Dr Edgar CHENG Wai-kin, JP  
Head, Central Policy Unit

**Clerk in attendance:**

Mr Ricky FUNG Choi-cheung, JP, Secretary General

### Taking of Legislative Council Oath

Hon MA Fung-kwok took the Legislative Council Oath.

### Tabling of Papers

The following papers were laid on the table pursuant to Rule 21(2) of the Rules of Procedure:

<u>Subsidiary Legislation / Instruments</u>	<u>L.N. No.</u>
1. Import and Export (Fees) (Amendment) Regulation 2001 (L.N. 128 of 2001) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 13.7.2001)	170/2001
2. Import and Export (Strategic Commodities) Regulations (Amendment of Schedules 1 and 2) Order 2001 (L.N. 132 of 2001) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 13.7.2001)	171/2001
3. Revenue (No. 2) Ordinance 2001 (15 of 2001) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 20.7.2001)	177/2001
4. Revenue (No. 3) Ordinance 2001 (22 of 2001) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 20.7.2001)	178/2001
5. Immigration (Amendment) Ordinance 2001 (17 of 2001) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 20.7.2001)	179/2001
6. Tax Reserve Certificates (Rate of Interest) (No. 8) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 3.8.2001)	180/2001
7. Clubs (Safety of Premises) (Exclusion) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2001 (gazetted on 31.8.2001)	181/2001
8. Tax Reserve Certificates (Rate of Interest) (No. 9) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 31.8.2001)	182/2001
9. Drug Addiction Treatment Centre (Lai Sun Correctional Institution) Order (gazetted on 7.9.2001)	183/2001
10. Legal Tender Notes Issue Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 21.9.2001)	184/2001
11. Administrative Appeals Board (Witnesses' Allowances) Rules (Cap. 442 sub. leg.) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on	185/2001

21.9.2001)	
12. Municipal Services Appeals Board (Witnesses' Allowances) Regulation (Cap. 220 sub. leg.) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 21.9.2001)	186/2001
13. Chief Executive Election Ordinance (Cap. 569) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 21.9.2001)	187/2001
14. Revenue (No. 2) Ordinance 2001 (15 of 2001) (Commencement) (No. 2) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 21.9.2001)	188/2001
15. Securities and Futures Commission (Levy) (Securities) (Amendment) Order 2001 (gazetted on 28.9.2001)	189/2001
16. Securities and Futures Commission (Levy) (Futures Contracts) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2001 (gazetted on 28.9.2001)	190/2001
17. Commodities Trading (Contract Levy) (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules 2001 (gazetted on 28.9.2001)	191/2001
18. Designation of Libraries (No. 3) Order 2001 (gazetted on 28.9.2001)	192/2001
19. Tax Reserve Certificates (Rate of Interest) (No. 10) Notice 2001 (gazetted on 28.9.2001)	193/2001
20. Rehabilitation Centres Regulation (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	195/2001
21. Election Committee (Appeals) Regulation (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	196/2001
22. Election Committee (Registration) (Voters for Subsectors) (Members of Election Committee) (Appeals) Regulation (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	197/2001
23. Legislative Council (Formation of Election Committee) (Appeals) (Repeal) Regulation 2001 (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	198/2001
24. Registration of Electors (Appeals) (Amendment) Regulation 2001 (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	199/2001
25. Electoral Affairs Commission (Registration) (Electors for Functional Constituencies) (Voters for Subsectors) (Members of Election Committee) (Legislative Council) (Amendment) Regulation 2001 (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	200/2001
26. Marine Parks (Designation) (No. 3) Order (gazetted on 5.10.2001)	201/2001

27. Shipping and Port Control (Closure of 202/2001  
Waters) (No. 2) Notice 2001 (gazetted on  
5.10.2001)

**Other Papers**

- No.1 - Report by the Trustee of the Prisoners' Education Trust Fund for the period from 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001 (published on 27.9.2001)
- No.2 - Report by the Commissioner of Correctional Services on the administration of the Prisoners' Welfare Fund for the year ended 31 March 2001 (published on 27.9.2001)
- No.3 - Environment and Conservation Fund Trustee Report 2000-2001 (published on 4.10.2001)

**The Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region presents the Policy Address to the Council**

The Chief Executive attended the Council and presented the 2001 Policy Address.

**Next meeting**

The President declared that the next meeting of the Council would be held on 11 October 2001 at 3:00 pm.

The Council was adjourned at 4:10 pm.

(Mrs Rita FAN HSU Lai-tai)  
President

Council Chamber  
Hong Kong