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**Statistics on Government Bills introduced/to be introduced
into the Legislative Council
(as at 16 April 2002)**

A : Statistics

Term	Bills to be introduced	Bills introduced	Passage through LegCo
Provisional LegCo		63	63
First term of LegCo		171	157
1998-99 session		(122)	(65)
1999-00 session		(49)	(92) ^{Note (i)}
Second term of LegCo		70	38
2000-01 session		(54) ^{Note (ii)}	(26)
2001-02 session	17 ^{Note (iii)}	(16) ^{Note (iv)}	(12) ^{Note (v)}

Notes

- (i) Include 52 bills which were introduced in the 1998-99 session.
- (ii) Of the 54 bills introduced in the 2000-01 session :
- 36 were passed;
 - 12 are being studied by Bills Committees;
 - 1 is on the waiting list;
 - 2 are awaiting resumption of Second Reading debate;
 - 2 are being held in abeyance; and
 - 1 is pending the decision of the House Committee.
- (iii) Of the 17 bills to be introduced :
- 5 bills will be introduced on 17 April 2002. These are: the Revenue Bill 2002, Revenue (No. 2) Bill 2002, Marine Fish Culture (Amendment) Bill 2002, United Nations (Anti-terrorism Measures) Bill and Occupational Deafness (Compensation) (Amendment) Bill 2002; and

- 2 other bills will be introduced on 24 April 2002. These are: the Mandatory Provident Schemes (Amendment) Bill 2002 and Land (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Bill 2002.
- (iv) Of the 16 bills introduced in the 2001-02 session :
- 2 bills were passed;
 - 3 are being studied by Bills Committees;
 - 9 are on the waiting list; and
 - 2 are awaiting resumption of Second Reading debate (including the Appropriation Bill 2002).
- (v) Include 10 bills which were introduced in the 2000-01 session.

B : Legislative Programme for 2001-02 session

Members may wish to note that 32 bills were included in the Legislative Programme for the 2001-02 session provided by the Administration on 3 November 2001 (issued to Members vide LC Paper No. CB(2) 276/01-02 dated 5 November 2001) and 15 of these bills have already been introduced into the Council. The Appropriation Bill 2002 introduced on 6 March 2002 is not included in the Legislative Programme. (Please also see note (iv) above.)

2. An updated list of 16 bills which the Administration intends to introduce into the Legislative Council for the remaining months of the current session was provided by the Administration on 12 March 2002 and issued to Members vide LC Paper No. CB(2) 1328/01-02 dated 13 March 2002.

3. Of the 16 bills on the updated March list (in the Appendix for Members' easy reference), 14 were also on the November list while two are new items i.e. item 14, the Independent Police Complaints Council Bill and item 15, the United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) Bill.

4. The following four bills have been removed from the Legislative Programme (items 2, 10, 25 and 26 on the November list) -

- (a) Administrative of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill -- to amend related ordinances to provide for open civil proceedings and publishing of information about such proceedings;
- (b) Sewage Services (Amendment) Bill -- to improve the existing trade effluent surcharge scheme;

- (c) Buildings (Amendment) Bill -- to implement the recommendations arising from the Comprehensive Strategy for the Building Safety and Timely Maintenance Implementation Plan; and
- (d) Land Title Bill -- to introduce a title registration system for land in Hong Kong.

5. Of the 16 bills on the updated list, one bill has been introduced; three bills will be introduced on 17 April 2002 and another two bills will be introduced on 24 April 2002. (Please also see note (iii) above; the two Revenue Bills are not included in the Legislative Programme.)

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