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**Extract from the Report of the Subcommittee to Study the Proposed
Accountability System for Principal Officials and Related Issues**

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Splitting, merging and retention of bureaux

Portfolios of Health, Welfare and Food

64. Hon Fred LI considers that the bureau overseeing the portfolios of Health, Welfare and Food will become a "super bureau" as the Director of Bureau will be responsible for almost one-third of government expenditure for providing services to the community and an enormous number of staff. As the Food portfolio covers both food safety and environmental hygiene matters, he is concerned whether the Director will be overburdened.

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