

**Bills Committee on Waste Disposal (Amendment) Bill 2005
(as at 10 January 2006)**

| Checklist of outstanding issues | | |
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| I. Committee stage amendments (CSAs) to be proposed by the Administration | | |
| (1) | <u>Clause 2(g)</u> - to split paragraph (a) into two paragraphs, so as to bring out better the two separate scenarios in paragraph (a) | |
| (2) | <u>Clause 8</u> - to delete proposed section 20A(4)(f) regarding Hong Kong's obligation under the Basel Convention from the Bill | |
| (3) | <u>Clause 9</u> - to delete proposed section 20B(4)(g) regarding Hong Kong's obligation under the Basel Convention from the Bill | |
| (4) | <u>Clause 18</u> - to amend the Chinese version of proposed section 23D(e) for better linguistic flow | |
| (5) | <u>Clause 21</u> - to amend proposed section 33(1A)(a)(ix) to authorize healthcare professionals who transported clinical waste received at their clinics (as collection points) to a reception point | |
| (6) | <u>Schedule 8</u> - to add an exception to Group 3 clinical waste to the effect that extracted teeth should not be classified as clinical waste | |
| (7) | <u>Schedule 8</u> - to replace "veterinary sources" in Group 3 clinical waste with "veterinary practices" | |
| (8) | <u>Schedule 8</u> - to include a new pathogen in Group 4 | |
| (9) | <u>Schedule 9</u> - to specify that member countries of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development and European Union will be included in the Schedule | |
| II. Follow-up actions required of the Administration | | |
| | Timing | |
| (1) | To consult members of Kwai Tsing District Council (K&T DC) on the proposal of setting up a committee under K&T DC to monitor the modification works and operation of CWTC and report the outcome of consultation to the Bills Committee | To be advised |
| (2) | To advise the Bills Committee the clinical waste collection arrangement for outlying islands | Before passage of the Bill |