

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES

No. 16

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 19 January 2005 at 2:30 pm

Members present:

President

The Hon Mrs Rita FAN HSU Lai-tai, GBS, JP

The Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP

The Hon Albert HO Chun-yan

The Hon LEE Cheuk-yan

The Hon Martin LEE Chu-ming, SC, JP

The Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, JP

The Hon Margaret NG

The Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-yea, GBS, JP

The Hon James TO Kun-sun

The Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong

The Hon Bernard CHAN, JP

The Hon CHAN Kam-lam, JP

The Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung

The Hon SIN Chung-kai, JP

Dr the Hon Philip WONG Yu-hong, GBS

The Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, GBS, JP

Dr the Hon YEUNG Sum

The Hon LAU Chin-shek, JP

The Hon LAU Wong-fat, GBS, JP

The Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP

The Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo

The Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP

The Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, JP

The Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip

The Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, JP

The Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP

The Hon Vincent FANG Kang, JP

The Hon WONG Kwok-hing, MH

The Hon LEE Wing-tat

The Hon LI Kwok-ying, MH

Dr the Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long

The Daniel LAM Wai-keung, BBS, JP

The Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, SBS, JP

The Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC

The Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung

Dr the Hon KWOK Ka-ki

Dr the Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung

The Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming, SBS, JP

The Hon WONG Ting-kwong, BBS

The Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, SC

The Hon CHIM Pui-chung

The Hon Albert Jinghan CHENG

The Hon KWONG Chi-kin

The Hon TAM Heung-man

Members absent:

Ir Dr the Hon Raymond HO Chung-tai, S.B.St.J., JP

Dr the Hon David LI Kwok-po, GBS, JP

Dr the Hon LUI Ming-wah, JP

The Hon CHAN Yuen-han, JP

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

The Hon WONG Yung-kan, JP

The Hon Howard YOUNG, SBS, JP

The Hon LAU Kong-wah, JP

The Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee, GBS, JP

The Hon CHOY So-yuk

The Hon Timothy FOK Tsun-ting, GBS, JP

The Hon LI Fung-ying, BBS, JP

The Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, JP

The Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung, SBS, JP

The Hon MA Lik, JP

The Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing, SBS, JP

Public officers attending:

The Hon Donald TSANG Yam-kuen, GBM, JP

The Chief Secretary for Administration

The Hon Elsie LEUNG Oi-sie, GBM, JP

The Secretary for Justice

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

Dr the Hon Sarah LIAO Sau-tung, JP
Secretary for the Environment, Transport and Works

Clerk in attendance:

Mr Ricky FUNG Choi-cheung, JP, Secretary General

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. Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 1) (Hong Kong Sports Institute Limited) Order (gazetted on 14.1.2005)	4/2005
2. The Ombudsman Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 1) (Hong Kong Sports Institute Limited) Order (gazetted on 14.1.2005)	5/2005
3. Specification of Public Office (gazetted on 14.1.2005)	6/2005
4. Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Pollution by Sewage) Regulation (gazetted on 14.1.2005)	7/2005
5. Merchant Shipping (Prevention and Control of Pollution) (Fees) Regulation (gazetted on 14.1.2005)	8/2005

Other Papers

No.52 - Legal Aid Services Council
Annual Report 2003-2004 (published on 13.1.2005)

Questions

When the President was about to start the question time, some twenty-odd Members remained standing. While the President was asking them to be seated, Hon LEE Cheuk-yan shouted from his seat, urging Members to remain standing to observe one minute's silence for Mr ZHAO Ziyang. The President stated that Hon LEE Cheuk-yan was behaving in a disorderly manner. She then suspended the meeting. The meeting was suspended at 2:31 pm.

The Council resumed at 3:03 pm.

The Clerk drew the attention of the President to the absence of a quorum. The President directed the Clerk to summon Members to the meeting.

Next Meeting

As a quorum was not present 15 minutes after Members had been summoned, in accordance with Rule 17(2) of the Rules of Procedure, the President adjourned the Council until 2.30 p.m. on 26 January 2005.

The Council was adjourned at 3:18 pm.

(Mrs Rita FAN HSU Lai-tai)
President

Council Chamber
Hong Kong