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**Position Report on Bills Committees/subcommittees
(as at 16 November 2004)**

Summary	(a) Number of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in action	:	1	(see <u>List A</u> for details)
	(b) Number of other subcommittees under House Committee in action	:	4	(see <u>List B</u> for details)
	(c) Number of Bills Committees in action	:	5	(see <u>List C</u> for details)
	(d) Bills pending decision of House Committee	:	1	(see <u>List D</u> for details)

List A : Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in action

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on Waste Disposal (Designated Waste Disposal Facility) (Amendment) Regulation 2004 and Waste Disposal (Charges for Disposal of Construction Waste) Regulation - Miss Becky YU CCS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213	5.11.04 Hon CHOY So-yuk	1 12.11.04		Next meeting to be held on 25.11.04 to meet with deputations and the Administration.

List B : Other subcommittees under House Committee in action

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee to examine the implementation in Hong Kong of resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to sanctions - Miss Polly YEUNG CCS(1)3 Tel : 2869 9246	8.10.04 Hon Margaret NG	1 29.10.04		Next meeting to be scheduled.
2. Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement - Mrs Anna LO PCS(A) Tel : 2869 9480	15.10.04 Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing, SBS, JP	2 1.11.04 11.11.04	19.11.04 (First report)	First report to the House Committee on 19.11.04. Next meeting to be held on 6.12.04.
3. Subcommittee to consider a mechanism for handling complaints and allegations concerning Members' Operating Expenses Reimbursement claims - Mrs Anna LO PCS(A) Tel : 2869 9480	15.10.04 Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP	2 1.11.04 16.11.04		Next meeting to be scheduled.

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
4. Subcommittee to study the subject of combating poverty - Mrs Constance LI CCS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	12.11.04			First meeting to be held on 9.12.04 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.

List C : Bills Committees in action

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Vocational Training Council (Amendment) Bill 2004 - Mrs Sharon TONG CCS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	13.10.04	15.10.04 Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO Chung-tai, S.B.St.J., JP	1 4.11.04			Next meeting to be held on 1.12.04 to meet with the Administration.
2. Bills Committee on Construction Industry Council (No.2) Bill - Miss Odelia LEUNG CCS(1)4 Tel : 2869 9245	13.10.04	15.10.04 Hon KWONG Chi-kin	1 5.11.04			Next two meetings to be held on 2.12.04 and 9.12.04 to meet with deputations and the Administration.
3. Bills Committee on Bankruptcy (Amendment) Bill 2004 - Miss Salumi CHAN CCS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	13.10.04	15.10.04 Hon TAM Heung-man	1 3.11.04			Next meeting to be held on 15.12.04 to meet with deputations and the Administration.

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4. Bills Committee on Companies (Amendment) Bill 2004 - Miss Salumi CHAN CCS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	13.10.04	15.10.04 Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP	1 8.11.04			Next meeting to be held on 16.12.04 to meet with deputations and the Administration.
5. Bills Committee on Undesirable Medical Advertisements (Amendment) (No.2) Bill 2004 - Ms Doris CHAN CCS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	13.10.04	15.10.04 Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-ye, GBS, JP	1 2.11.04			Next meeting to be held on 23.11.04 to meet with deputations and the Administration.

List D : Bills pending decision of House Committee

Name of Bill	Object(s) of the Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of House Committee meeting(s) at which the Bill was/will be considered	Remarks
1. Trade Descriptions (Amendment) Bill 2004	To amend the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362) and its subsidiary legislation so that the origin of goods is expressed by reference to a “place”, instead of to a “country”.	10.11.04	12.11.04	At the House Committee meeting on 12.11.04, the Legal Service Division reported that it had sought clarification from the Administration on some technical aspects of the Bill and was awaiting its reply. Members agreed to defer a decision on the Bill pending the Division's further report.