

Panel on Environmental Affairs

**List of outstanding items for discussion
(position as at 18 March 2005)**

	Proposed timing for discussion
1. Proposed legislative amendments to tighten the control over movement of vessels in marine parks	April 2005
2. Application of the Convention on Biological Diversity and the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to Hong Kong	April 2005
3. Outcome of Harbour Area Treatment Scheme Stage 2 consultation and the way forward	May 2005
4. Control plan on volatile organic compounds – outcome of consultation	June 2005
5. Modification of Chemical Waste Treatment Centre to receive clinical waste	Third quarter 2005 (tentative, depending on the timing of passage of the Waste Disposal (Amendment) Bill)
6. The Advisory Group's recommendations on the options for development of large-scale waste treatment facilities to handle municipal solid waste	To be confirmed
7. Land contamination policy	To be confirmed (pending the outcome of the legal pursuits arising from the decommissioning of the Cheoy Lee Shipyard)

**Proposed timing
for discussion**

8. Renewable energy

To be confirmed

The subject should be jointly discussed with the Panel on Economic Services.

9. Reviewing the basis for charging the trade effluent surcharge and its appeal mechanism

To be confirmed

To follow up on the motion on the subject which was raised by Hon Tommy CHEUNG and carried at the Legislative Council meeting on 8 December 2004.

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