For information

LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene

Extension of Public Market Rental Freeze

Purpose

This note informs Members of the Administration's decision to extend the rental freeze of public market stalls for another nine months until 30 September 2005.

Details

2. The rentals of public market stalls were reduced across-the-board by 30% in 1998 and have been frozen since then. The last rental freeze extension announced by the Administration in December 2003 will expire on 31 December 2004. The Administration has now decided to extend the rental freeze for another nine months ending 30 September 2005.

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