

Appendix V

Panel on Environmental Affairs

List of outstanding items for discussion (position as at 10 October 2005)

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| 1. 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) |
| 2. Control plan on volatile organic compounds – outcome of consultation | To be confirmed |
| 3. Land contamination policy | To be confirmed

(pending the outcome of the legal pursuits arising from the decommissioning of the Cheoy Lee Shipyard) |
| 4. Renewable energy

The subject should be jointly discussed with the Panel on Economic Services. | To be confirmed |
| 5. Reviewing the basis for charging the trade effluent surcharge and its appeal mechanism

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

6. Proposed Mandatory Energy Efficiency Labelling Scheme To be confirmed

The Administration has embarked on a three-month public consultation on the proposed Mandatory Energy Efficiency Labelling Scheme in July 2005 and will be reporting to the Panel the outcome of the public consultation exercise. Information paper on the proposed Scheme has been provided by the Administration and issued under LC Paper No. CB(1) 1869/04-05(01) on 22 June 2005

7. Progress of measures to address noise impact of existing roads To be confirmed

The need for measures to address traffic noise has been repeatedly raised at the meetings of LegCo Members and the Kwai Tsing District Council, Shatin District Council, Sham Shui Po District Council and Tsuen Wan District Council. The subject will be jointly followed up by the Panel on Environmental Affairs and the Panel on Transport upon completion of the research paper on overseas experience in addressing traffic noise by the LegCo Research and Library Services Division.

8. Impact of the new nature conservation policy To be confirmed

The concern about the impact of the new nature conservation policy on landowners was raised at the meetings between LegCo Members and members of Heung Yee Kuk and Yuen Long District Council on 25 January and 5 May 2005 (LC Paper Nos. CB(1) 2327/04-05(01) and (02)) respectively.

9. Progress of measures taken by the two power companies to meet the Government's emission reduction targets by 2010 End 2005

At the special meeting on 29 September 2005, the Administration was requested to report to the Panel the progress of measures taken by the two power companies to ensure that the emission reduction targets could be met as scheduled.