

**Supplementary information provided by the Administration
in response to members' requests raised at previous meetings of
the Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene**

Members' requests raised at the Panel meeting on 8 November 2005
- Information on the types of fish supplied by the 26 registered fish farms

The Administration's response -

The types of freshwater fish imported from the 26 registered fish farms via Man Kam To in year 2006 & 2007 include Bighead Carp, Grass Carp, Snakehead, Freshwater Grouper, Large Mouth Bass, Mud Carp, Tilapia, Freshwater Bream, Catfish and Cichlid.

Members' requests raised at the Panel meeting on 20 April 2006
- Information on the number of samples of vegetables tested by Vegetable Marketing Organisation which were found to have pesticide residues exceeding permitted levels

The Administration's response -

2. Pesticide Residue Testing Records of Vegetable Marketing Organisation

Year	2005 (Jan – Dec)	2006 (Jan – Dec)	2007 (Jan – Aug)	Total
No. of samples*	44,916	49,211	30,744	124,871
Sample tainted with pesticide residue and exceeded CODEX MRLs	6	68	17	91
Sample tainted with pesticide residue and complied with CODEX MRLs	1,154	675	241	2,070
Sample tainted with highly toxic and unregistered pesticide**	12	2	7	21
Sample suspected of being tainted with pesticide residue***	204	178	11	393

* only includes vegetable samples taken from Cheung Sha Wan Wholesale Vegetable Market

** only includes pesticides – Methamidophos, Isocarbophos, Methomyl, Methyl-Parathion, Sulfotep

*** pesticides not in the list of CODEX MRLs