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**Position Report on Bills Committees and subcommittees  
(as at 5 December 2006)**

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| <b>Summary</b> | 1. | Number of Bills Committees in action   | : | 8 | (see <u>List A</u> for details) |
|                | 2. | Number of vacant slots of Bills Committees   | : | 8 |                                 |
|                | 3. | Number of bill pending resumption of Second Reading debate   | : | 1 | (see <u>List B</u> for details) |
|                | 4. | Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement                                 | : |   | (see <u>List C</u> for details) |
|                | 5. | Number of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation/other instruments in action                              | : | 3 | (see <u>List D</u> for details) |
|                | 6. | Number of subcommittee on subsidiary legislation/other instruments reporting to House Committee on 8.12.06 | : | 1 | (see <u>List E</u> for details) |
|                | 7. | Number of other subcommittees under House Committee in action  | : | 5 | (see <u>List F</u> for details) |
|                | 8. | Number of subcommittees under Panels in action   | : | 5 | (see <u>List G</u> for details) |

## List A : Bills Committees in action

| Name of Bills Committee Clerk   | Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council | Date of formation of Bills Committee<br>Chairman/Deputy Chairman | Date and number of meetings held  | Date to report to House Committee | Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate | Remarks  |
|---|---|--|---|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| 1. Bills Committee on Building Management (Amendment) Bill 2005<br>- Miss Flora TAI<br>CCS(2)2<br>Tel : 2869 9252 | 27.4.05   | 29.4.05<br><br>Hon James TO Kun-sun                              | 45<br>17.5.05<br>2.6.05<br>14.6.05<br>23.6.05<br>25.6.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>30.6.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>12.7.05<br>4.10.05<br>10.10.05<br>10.11.05<br>17.11.05<br>15.12.05<br>4.1.06<br>10.1.06<br>26.1.06<br>9.2.06<br>21.2.06<br>9.3.06<br>23.3.06<br>6.4.06<br>20.4.06<br>27.4.06<br>2.5.06 | 7.10.05<br>(Verbal report)        |   | Next three meetings to be held on 7.12.06, 14.12.06 and 19.12.06 to continue discussion with the Administration. |

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| 1. Bills Committee on Building Management (Amendment) Bill 2005<br>- Miss Flora TAI<br>CCS(2)2<br>Tel : 2869 9252<br><i>(Continued from previous page)</i> |   |  | 11.5.06<br>18.5.06<br>25.5.06<br>30.5.06<br>6.6.06<br>13.6.06<br>20.6.06<br>27.6.06<br>18.7.06<br>19.7.06<br>21.9.06<br>28.9.06<br>5.10.06<br>17.10.06<br>24.10.06<br>2.11.06<br>7.11.06<br>9.11.06<br>16.11.06<br>21.11.06<br>24.11.06<br>29.11.06 |                                   |   |   |
| 2. Bills Committee on Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications Bill<br>- Mrs Sharon TONG<br>CCS(2)1<br>Tel : 2869 9254                      | 6.7.05  | 8.7.05<br><br>Hon TAM Yiu-chung,<br>GBS, JP                      | 15<br>22.7.05<br>10.10.05<br>11.11.05<br>18.11.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>12.12.05   | 14.10.05<br>(Verbal report)       |   | Next three meetings to be held on 19.12.06, 3.1.07 and 26.1.07 to meet with the Administration. |

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|--|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| 2. Bills Committee on Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications Bill<br>- Mrs Sharon TONG<br>CCS(2)1<br>Tel : 2869 9254<br><i>(Continued from previous page)</i> |   |   | 12.1.06<br>21.2.06<br>17.3.06<br>7.4.06<br>16.5.06<br>9.10.06<br>31.10.06<br>14.11.06<br>23.11.06<br>4.12.06   |                                   |   |  |
| 3. Bills Committee on Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2006<br>- Miss Polly YEUNG<br>CCS(1)5<br>Tel : 2869 9246  | 29.3.06   | 31.3.06<br><br>Hon SIN Chung-kai, JP                          | 14<br>7.4.06<br>25.4.06<br>8.5.06<br>(2 sessions)<br>12.5.06<br>23.5.06<br>8.6.06<br>19.6.06<br>6.7.06<br>19.7.06<br>21.9.06<br>4.10.06<br>23.10.06<br>20.11.06<br>1.12.06 | 7.7.06<br>(Verbal report)         |   | Next meeting to be held on 15.12.06 to meet with the Administration. |

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|--|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| 4. Bills Committee on Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel Bill<br>- Mrs Percy MA<br>CCS(2)3<br>Tel : 2869 9253 | 17.5.06   | 19.5.06<br><br>Hon Margaret NG                                | 2<br>1.6.06<br>31.7.06  | 6.10.06<br>(Verbal report)        |   | Next meeting to be scheduled.  |
| 5. Bills Committee on Hazardous Chemicals Control Bill<br>- Miss Becky YU<br>CCS(1)1<br>Tel : 2869 9213                      | 24.5.06   | 26.5.06<br><br>Hon CHOY So-yuk, JP                            | 2<br>28.6.06<br>20.11.06  | 6.10.06<br>(Verbal report)        |   | Next meeting to be held on 6.12.06 to meet with the Administration.  |
| 6. Bills Committee on Rail Merger Bill<br>- Mr Andy LAU<br>CCS(1)2<br>Tel : 2869 9577  | 5.7.06  | 7.7.06<br><br>Hon Miriam LAU<br>Kin-ye, GBS, JP               | 9<br>27.7.06<br>20.9.06<br>5.10.06<br>24.10.06<br>28.10.06<br>(2 sessions)<br>2.11.06<br>14.11.06<br>24.11.06<br>30.11.06 | 20.10.06<br>(Verbal report)       |   | Next meeting to be held on 12.12.06 to meet with the Administration. |

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|---|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| 7. Bills Committee on Unsolicited Electronic Messages Bill<br>- Ms Anita SIT<br>CCS(1)4<br>Tel : 2525 3331                    | 12.7.06   | 21.7.06<br><br>Hon Howard YOUNG,<br>SBS, JP                   | 9<br>2.8.06<br>27.9.06<br>10.10.06<br>31.10.06<br>7.11.06<br>14.11.06<br>21.11.06<br>28.11.06<br>5.12.06 | 20.10.06<br>(Verbal report)       |   | Next meeting to be held on 12.12.06 to meet with the Administration.                 |
| 8. Bills Committee on City University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Bill 2006<br>- Miss Odelia LEUNG<br>CCS(2)6<br>Tel : 2509 0640 | 18.10.06  | 20.10.06<br><br>Hon Emily LAU<br>Wai-hing, JP                 | 2<br>1.11.06<br>10.11.06   |                                   |   | Next meeting to be held on 13.12.06 to meet with deputations and the Administration. |

## List B : Bill pending resumption of Second Reading debate

| Name of Bill  | Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council | Date of House Committee meeting(s) at which the Bill was considered | Date of resumption of Second Reading debate (if known) | Remarks  |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| 1. Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Amendment) Bill 2006 | 5.7.06  | 7.7.06<br>20.10.06<br>24.11.06                                      | 6.12.06  | The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 6.12.06. |

## List C : Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk  | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held  | Date to report<br>to House<br>Committee                                       | Remarks |
|--|---|--|---|---------|
| Subcommittee on Members'<br>Remuneration and Operating<br>Expenses Reimbursement<br>- Mrs Anna LO<br>PCS(A)<br>Tel : 2869 9480 | 15.10.04<br><br>Prof Hon Patrick LAU<br>Sau-shing, SBS, JP          | 14<br>1.11.04<br>11.11.04<br>6.12.04<br>1.3.05<br>25.4.05<br>2.6.05<br>17.6.05<br>18.5.06<br>26.5.06<br>2.6.06<br>6.6.06<br>12.6.06<br>2.8.06<br>1.11.06 | 19.11.04<br>(1st report)<br>24.6.05<br>(2nd report)<br>8.7.05<br>(3rd report) |         |

### List D : Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation/other instruments in action

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk  | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held | Expected date<br>to report to<br>House<br>Committee | Remarks  |
|--|---|---|---|--|
| 1. Subcommittee on Fugitive Offenders (Germany) Order and Fugitive Offenders (Republic of Korea) Order<br>- Miss Mary SO<br>CCS(2)5<br>Tel : 2869 9269 | 24.11.06  |   |   | First meeting to be held on 11.12.06 to elect the Chairman and meet with the Administration. |
| 2. Subcommittee on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Germany) Order<br>- Mrs Sharon TONG<br>CCS(2)1<br>Tel : 2869 9254                      | 24.11.06  |   |   | First meeting to be held on 14.12.06 to elect the Chairman and meet with the Administration. |
| 3. Subcommittee on Air Pollution Control (Volatile Organic Compounds) Regulation<br>- Miss Becky YU<br>CCS(1)1<br>Tel : 2869 9213                      | 1.12.06   |   |   | First meeting to be held on 15.12.06 to elect the Chairman and meet with the Administration. |

**List E : Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation/other instruments reporting to House Committee on 8.12.06**

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk  | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held | Expected date<br>to report to<br>House<br>Committee | Remarks                                      |
|--|---|---|---|--|
| 1. Subcommittee on Six Items<br>of Subsidiary Legislation<br>Relating to the Relocation of<br>Juveniles to the Tuen Mun<br>Children and Juvenile Home<br>- Miss Betty MA<br>CCS(2)4<br>Tel : 2869 9255 | 10.11.06<br><br>Hon Albert HO Chun-yan                              | 2<br>20.11.06<br>30.11.06                 | 24.11.06<br>(Verbal report)<br>8.12.06              | Reporting to the House Committee on 8.12.06. |

## List F : Other subcommittees under House Committee in action

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk  | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman   | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held   | Date to report<br>to House<br>Committee  | Remarks   |
|--|---|---|--|---|
| <p>1. Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions</p> <p>- Miss Polly YEUNG<br/>CCS(1)5<br/>Tel : 2869 9246</p> | <p>8.10.04</p> <p>Hon Margaret NG</p>   | <p>7</p> <p>29.10.04</p> <p>15.4.05</p> <p>12.5.05</p> <p>12.7.05</p> <p>13.12.05</p> <p>7.2.06</p> <p>3.4.06</p>   |  | Next meeting to be scheduled.                                 |
| <p>2. Subcommittee to Study the Subject of Combating Poverty</p> <p>- Miss Betty MA<br/>CCS(2)4<br/>Tel : 2869 9255</p>  | <p>12.11.04</p> <p>Hon Frederick FUNG<br/>Kin-kee, SBS, JP<br/>(Chairman)</p> <p>Hon James TIEN<br/>Pei-chun, GBS, JP<br/>(Deputy Chairman)</p> | <p>23</p> <p>9.12.04</p> <p>14.1.05</p> <p>23.2.05<br/>(2 sessions)</p> <p>22.3.05</p> <p>28.4.05</p> <p>19.5.05</p> <p>23.6.05</p> <p>12.7.05</p> <p>21.7.05</p> <p>14.10.05</p> <p>30.11.05</p> <p>13.12.05</p> <p>17.1.06</p> <p>25.1.06</p> | <p>10.2.06<br/>(Report on<br/>Working<br/>Poverty)</p> <p>16.6.06<br/>(Report on<br/>Women in<br/>Poverty)</p> | Next meeting to be held on 14.12.06 to meet with deputations. |

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk   | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held   | Date to report<br>to House<br>Committee | Remarks   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2. Subcommittee to Study the<br>Subject of Combating Poverty<br>- Miss Betty MA<br>CCS(2)4<br>Tel : 2869 9255<br><i>(Continued from previous<br/>page)</i>  |   | 28.2.06<br>17.3.06<br>27.4.06<br>18.5.06<br>30.5.06<br>22.6.06<br>18.7.06<br>5.10.06<br>9.11.06   |   |   |
| 3. Subcommittee to Study<br>Issues Relating to the<br>Provision of Boarding<br>Places, Senior Secondary<br>Education and Employment<br>Opportunities for Children<br>with Special Educational<br>Needs<br>- Miss Odelia LEUNG<br>CCS(2)6<br>Tel : 2509 0640 | 14.1.05<br><br>Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG<br>Chiu-hung                  | 16<br>22.2.05<br>30.3.05<br>25.4.05<br>30.5.05<br>27.6.05<br>1.11.05<br>25.11.05<br>16.12.05<br>20.1.06<br>17.2.06<br>17.3.06<br>21.4.06<br>19.5.06<br>16.6.06<br>21.7.06<br>23.11.06 |   | Next meeting to be held on 22.12.06 to meet with deputations<br>and the Administration. |

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk   | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman   | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held  | Date to report<br>to House<br>Committee   | Remarks  |
|---|---|--|---|--|
| 4. Subcommittee on West<br>Kowloon Cultural District<br>Development<br>- Ms Anita SIT<br>CCS(1)4<br>Tel : 2525 3331 | 21.1.05<br><br>Hon Alan LEONG<br>Kah-kit, SC<br>(Chairman)<br><br>Hon James TO Kun-sun<br>(Deputy Chairman) | 27<br>4.2.05<br>21.2.05<br>16.3.05<br>23.3.05<br>8.4.05<br>22.4.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>6.5.05<br>13.5.05<br>17.6.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>24.6.05<br>29.6.05<br>2.9.05<br>13.9.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>28.9.05<br>15.10.05<br>29.10.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>12.11.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>14.11.05<br>(2 sessions)<br>25.11.05<br>13.12.05<br>20.12.05<br>3.2.06<br>10.2.06<br>21.2.06 | 18.2.05<br>(1st report)<br>8.7.05<br>(Report on<br>Phase I Study)<br>6.1.06<br>(Report on<br>Phase II<br>Study) | Next meeting to be held on 6.1.07 to meet with deputations and the Administration. |

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk  | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Date and<br>number of<br>meetings<br>held                         | Date to report<br>to House<br>Committee | Remarks                       |
|--|---|---|---|-------------------------------|
| 4. Subcommittee on West<br>Kowloon Cultural District<br>Development<br>- Ms Anita SIT<br>CCS(1)4<br>Tel : 2525 3331<br><i>(Continued from previous<br/>page)</i>                                 |   | 6.4.06<br>23.6.06<br>4.10.06<br>(2 sessions)                      |   |                               |
| 5. Subcommittee to Study the<br>Transport Needs of and<br>Provision of Concessionary<br>Public Transport Fares for<br>Persons with Disabilities<br>- Miss Becky YU<br>CCS(1)1<br>Tel : 2869 9213 | 18.11.05<br><br>Hon LEE Cheuk-yan                                   | 6<br>2.12.05<br>9.1.06<br>16.2.06<br>4.4.06<br>12.5.06<br>10.7.06 |   | Next meeting to be scheduled. |

## List G : Subcommittees under Panels in action

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk  | Panel                        | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Terms of reference of the subcommittee  |
|--|------------------------------|---|---|
| 1. Subcommittee on Matters<br>Relating to Railways<br>- Mr Andy LAU<br>CCS(1)2<br>Tel : 2869 9577  | Panel on<br>Transport        | 12.10.04<br><br>Hon Miriam LAU<br>Kin-ye, GBS, JP                   | To follow up various issues relating to the planning and implementation of new railway projects, and the operation of existing railways.  |
| 2. Subcommittee on Review of<br>the Comprehensive Social<br>Security Assistance Scheme<br>- Miss Betty MA<br>CCS(2)4<br>Tel : 2869 9255  | Panel on Welfare<br>Services | 8.11.04<br><br>Dr Hon Fernando<br>CHEUNG Chiu-hung                  | To review the existing arrangements for the Comprehensive Social Security Assistance and the Social Security Allowance Schemes, taking into consideration the views of the public, service users and non-governmental organisations providing welfare services. |
| 3. Subcommittee on Strategy<br>and Measures to Tackle<br>Family Violence<br>- Miss Mary SO<br>CCS(2)5<br>Tel : 2869 9269   | Panel on Welfare<br>Services | 8.11.04<br><br>Dr Hon Fernando<br>CHEUNG Chiu-hung                  | To discuss with the Administration on how to improve the existing strategy and measures to tackle family violence, taking into consideration the views of the non-governmental organisations providing welfare services, other concerned groups and the public. |
| 4. Subcommittee to Follow Up<br>the Outstanding Leisure and<br>Cultural Services Projects of<br>the Former Municipal<br>Councils<br>- Miss Flora TAI<br>CCS(2)2<br>Tel : 2869 9252 | Panel on Home<br>Affairs     | 21.3.05<br><br>Hon LI Kwok-ying, MH, JP                             | To monitor the Government in following up the outstanding leisure and cultural services projects of the former municipal councils and implementing other relevant projects.   |

| Name of Subcommittee<br>Clerk   | Panel                                 | Date of formation of<br>Subcommittee<br>Chairman/Deputy<br>Chairman | Terms of reference of the subcommittee  |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| 5. Subcommittee to Review the<br>Planning for the Central<br>Waterfront (including the<br>Tamar Site)<br>- Ms Anita SIT<br>CCS(1)4<br>Tel : 2509 4189 | Panel on Planning,<br>Lands and Works | 17.12.05<br><br>Hon LAU Wong-fat,<br>GBM, GBS, JP                   | To review the planning for the Central waterfront (including the Tamar site). |