

Panel on Commerce and Industry

List of follow-up actions
(position as at 6 June 2007)

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| 1. Government Electronic Trading Services (GETS) market | 14.6.2004 | The Administration was requested to report to the Panel the outcome of the complaint received and dealt with by the Administration. | The Administration's response has been issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1815/06-07 on 1 June 2007. |
| 2. Issues related to Television Broadcasts Limited (TVB)'s acquisition of a site in the Tseung Kwan O Estate | 6.7.2004 | The Administration was requested to consider conducting a review on the policy and procedures concerning the admission of industries into the industrial estates and the measures to ensure a level playing field and equitable treatment for interested parties seeking entry into the industrial estates; and to provide a paper on the outcome of the review to the Panel in due course. | The Administration will revisit relevant issues and provide a paper in due course. |

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| 3. Promotion of inward investment | 13.2.2007 | <p>The Administration has undertaken to provide the Panel with the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a progress report in two to three months' time on action taken by the Administration to facilitate the issuing of business visas to overseas applicants; and (b) the cost of the consultancy study on the review of the current strategy for inward investment promotion after completion of the tendering exercise. | <p>The Administration's response has been issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1462/06-07 on 26 April 2007.</p> <p>The information will be provided in due course.</p> |
| 4. Economic Summit – Action Agenda of the Focus Group on Trade and Business | 13.3.2007 | <p>The Administration has undertaken to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) follow up with the Celebrations Co-ordination Office on the provision of information relating to commercial sponsorships for celebration activities of the 10th anniversary of the HKSAR Establishment; and (b) provide a progress report in six months' time concerning the implementation of strategic proposals and proposed measures drawn up by the Focus Group, in particular the Central Government's stances and its response on the reports and Action Agenda as well as the area in which support would be rendered. | <p>The Administration's response has been issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1608/06-07 on 15 May 2007.</p> <p>The Administration to provide the report in six months' time.</p> |

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| <p>5. Maintaining Hong Kong's advantages in convention/exhibition services in the light of competition from other countries</p> | <p>13.3.2007</p> | <p>The Administration has undertaken to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) provide information on the profit and loss status of the Asia World-Expo as well as information relating to its utilization since its opening; and (b) convey members' views and suggestion to review the mere function of the Skypier as a transit facility and convert it into a Control Point to the relevant bureaux for consideration | <p>The Administration's response has been issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1850/06-07 on 6 June 2007.</p> <p>Members' views have been conveyed to relevant bureaux.</p> |
| <p>6. Issues relating to online data leakage by the Intellectual Property Department (IPD)</p> | <p>17.4.2007</p> | <p>The Administration has undertaken to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) apprise the Panel of the investigation result on the causes leading to the online data leakage and whether anyone should be held responsible for the case; (b) simplify Form T6 (the notice of opposition) and Form T7 (the counter-statement) relating to trade marks opposition process so that members of the public could easily ascertain the information required when filling in those forms to avoid providing unsolicited information to the Trade Mark Registry in future, and to provide the Panel with copies of the duly revised forms for reference; and | <p>The Administration to follow up accordingly.</p> <p>The Administration to follow up accordingly.</p> |

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| | | (c) apprise the Panel of the result after IPD had contacted and notified all the affected individuals of the disclosure of their data and their rights, etc, such as the responses of those individuals. | The Administration to follow up accordingly. |

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