

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES

No. 21

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 12 March 2008 at 11:00 am

Members present:

President

The Hon Mrs Rita FAN HSU Lai-tai, GBM, GBS, JP

The Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP

The Hon Albert HO Chun-yan

Ir Dr the Hon Raymond HO Chung-tai, SBS, S.B.St.J., JP

The Hon LEE Cheuk-yan

The Hon Martin LEE Chu-ming, SC, JP

Dr the Hon David LI Kwok-po, GBM, GBS, JP

The Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, JP

The Hon Margaret NG

The Hon James TO Kun-sun

The Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong

The Hon CHAN Yuen-han, SBS, JP

The Hon Bernard CHAN, GBS, JP

The Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung

The Hon SIN Chung-kai, SBS, JP

Dr the Hon Philip WONG Yu-hong, GBS

The Hon WONG Yung-kan, SBS, JP

The Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, GBS, JP

Dr the Hon YEUNG Sum, JP

The Hon LAU Chin-shek, JP

The Hon LAU Kong-wah, JP

The Hon LAU Wong-fat, GBM, GBS, JP

The Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee, GBS, JP

The Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP

The Hon CHOY So-yuk, JP

The Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo

The Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, SBS, JP

The Hon LI Fung-ying, BBS, JP

The Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, SBS, JP

The Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip

The Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, SBS, JP

The Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP

The Hon Vincent FANG Kang, JP

The Hon WONG Kwok-hing, MH

The Hon LEE Wing-tat

Dr the Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, JP

The Hon Daniel LAM Wai-keung, SBS, JP

The Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC

The Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung

Dr the Hon KWOK Ka-ki

Dr the Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung

The Hon WONG Ting-kwong, BBS

The Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, SC

The Hon CHIM Pui-chung

Prof the Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing, SBS, JP

The Hon Albert Jinghan CHENG, JP

The Hon KWONG Chi-kin

The Hon TAM Heung-man

The Hon Mrs Anson CHAN, GBM, JP

Members absent:

Dr the Hon LUI Ming-wah, SBS, JP

The Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-yee, GBS, JP

The Hon CHAN Kam-lam, SBS, JP

The Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG LAU Yau-fun, GBS, JP

The Hon Howard YOUNG, SBS, JP

The Hon Timothy FOK Tsun-ting, GBS, JP

The Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP

The Hon LI Kwok-ying, MH, JP

The Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung, SBS, JP

The Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, SBS, JP

The Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming, SBS, JP

Public officers attending:

The Hon Henry TANG Ying-yen, GBS, JP
The Chief Secretary for Administration

The Hon Michael SUEN Ming-yeung, GBS, JP
Secretary for Education

Dr the Hon York CHOW Yat-ngok, SBS, JP
Secretary for Food and Health

The Hon Denise YUE Chung-yee, GBS, JP
Secretary for the Civil Service

The Hon Eva CHENG, JP
Secretary for Transport and Housing

Clerks in attendance:

Mr Ricky FUNG Choi-cheung, JP, Secretary General

Ms Pauline NG Man-wah, Assistant Secretary General (1)

Mrs Vivian KAM NG Lai-man, Assistant Secretary General (2)

Mrs Justina LAM CHENG Bo-ling, Assistant Secretary General (3)

Tabling of Papers

The following papers were laid on the table pursuant to Rule 21(2) of the Rules of Procedure:

<u>Subsidiary Legislation / Instruments</u>	<u>L.N. No.</u>
1. Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 6) Order 2008 (gazetted on 7.3.2008)	49/2008
2. Drug Addiction Treatment Centre (Lai King Correctional Institution) Order (gazetted on 7.3.2008)	50/2008
3. Prisons (Amendment) Order 2008 (gazetted on 7.3.2008)	51/2008
4. Rehabilitation Centres (Appointment) (Amendment) Order 2008 (gazetted on 7.3.2008)	52/2008
5. Training Centre (Consolidation) (Amendment) Declaration 2008 (gazetted on 7.3.2008)	53/2008

Other Papers

- No.77 - Employees Retraining Board
Annual Report 2006-2007 (published on 6.3.2008)
- No.78 - Report of changes to the approved Estimates of Expenditure approved during the third quarter of 2007-2008 (Public Finance Ordinance : Section 8)
(published on 7.3.2008)
- No.79 - The Lord Wilson Heritage Trust
Annual Report 2006-2007 (published on 10.3.2008)
- Report of the Bills Committee on The English Schools Foundation (Amendment) Bill 2007 (published on 5.3.2008)

Questions

1. Hon Martin LEE asked Question 1.

The Secretary for the Civil Service replied.

Five Members asked supplementary questions and the Secretary for the Civil Service replied.

2. Hon WONG Kwok-hing asked Question 2.

The Secretary for Transport and Housing replied.

Six Members asked supplementary questions and the Secretary for Transport and Housing replied.

3. Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki asked Question 3.

The Secretary for Food and Health replied.

Four Members asked supplementary questions and the Secretary for Food and Health replied.

4. Dr Hon YEUNG Sum asked Question 4.

The Secretary for Education replied.

Four Members asked supplementary questions and the Secretary for Education replied.

5. Hon Albert HO asked Question 5.

The Secretary for Food and Health replied.

Six Members asked supplementary questions and the Secretary for Food and Health replied.

6. Hon LAU Kong-wah asked Question 6.

The Secretary for Education replied.

Six Members asked supplementary questions and the Secretary for Education replied.

Written replies to Questions 7 to 20 were tabled for Members' information.

Motions

Proposed resolution under the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance

The Secretary for Education moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

RESOLVED that the Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications (Appeal) Rules, published in the Gazette as Legal Notice No. 25 of 2008 and laid on the table of the Legislative Council on 20 February 2008, be amended -

- (a) in section 2, by adding -
- “ appeal” (上訴) means an appeal under section 11 of the Ordinance;
- “appellant” (上訴人) means an operator, assessment agency or granting body lodging a notice of appeal under section 11 of the Ordinance;”.
- (b) in section 3(3)(b), in the Chinese text, by repealing “充分而不偏不倚” and substituting “全面而中肯”;
- (c) in section 4(1), by repealing “may specify” and substituting “may on application allow”;
- (d) in section 11, by repealing “notice or thing required to be served or lodged under these Rules” and substituting “statement, notice or article required to be served or lodged for the purposes of an appeal”.

Question on the motion proposed, put and agreed to.

Proposed resolution under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance

The Secretary for Food and Health moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

RESOLVED that the following Regulations, made by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board on 15 February 2008, be approved -

- (a) the Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Regulation 2008; and
- (b) the Poisons List (Amendment) Regulation 2008.

Question on the motion proposed, put and agreed to.

Proposed resolution under the Magistrates Ordinance

The Secretary for Transport and Housing moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

RESOLVED that, with effect from 21 March 2008, the Third Schedule to the Magistrates Ordinance (Cap. 227) be amended by adding -

- “18. Tsing Sha Control Area

(1) Any offence against the Tsing Sha Control Area (General) Regulation (L.N. 222 of 2007).

(2) Any offence against the Tsing Sha Control Area (Tolls, Fees and Charges) Regulation (L.N. 237 of 2007)."

Question on the motion proposed, put and agreed to.

Members' Bills

The English Schools Foundation (Amendment) Bill 2007

Resumption of Second Reading debate

The debate on the Second Reading which was moved on 30 May 2007 resumed.

Dr Hon YEUNG Sum, Chairman of the Bills Committee on The English Schools Foundation (Amendment) Bill 2007, addressed the Council on the Committee's Report.

While Dr Hon YEUNG Sum was addressing the Council, the President left the chair at 1:23 pm temporarily and the President's Deputy, Hon Miriam LAU, took the chair.

After the address, Dr Hon YEUNG Sum spoke on the Bill in his personal capacity as a Member.

Hon Tommy CHEUNG declared that he was a member, nominated by Members of the Legislative Council, of The English Schools Foundation. Hon Tommy CHEUNG then spoke on the Bill.

Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG spoke on the Bill. As Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG would move amendments to include in the objects of The English Schools Foundation a requirement to provide education with the aim of non-discrimination against students with special education needs, he declared that he had a daughter who was severely handicapped. He also declared that one of his two other children graduated from a school of The English Schools Foundation, and the other child was a current student.

Another Member and Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki spoke on the Bill.

At 2:11 pm, while Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki was speaking, the President resumed the chair.

Two more Members spoke on the Bill.

Prof Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing declared that he had done a lot of work for schools of the Foundation, and the West Island School was designed by him. He then spoke on the Bill.

The President granted permission for Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG to elucidate a point he had made earlier which he considered to be misunderstood by Prof Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing. While Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG was speaking, the President interrupted him and reminded him that he should elucidate the point he had made which was misunderstood, and not comment on Prof Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing's speech. Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG explained that the amendments which he would move later had been mentioned in Prof Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing's speech. The President stated that at the Second Reading debate on a bill, Members might speak only once. However, Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG would have the opportunity to move his amendments later and he might then respond to Members' comments on his amendments.

Another Member spoke on the bill.

Hon Abraham SHEK replied.

Question on the Second Reading put and agreed to.

Bill read the second time and committed to a committee of the whole Council.

Committee Stage

The Council went into Committee and considered **The English Schools Foundation (Amendment) Bill 2007**.

Question that clauses 1, 2, 3, 5, 9 to 16, 18 and 19 stand part of the Bill proposed, put and agreed to.

Question that clauses 4, 8 and 17 stand part of the Bill proposed.

Hon Tommy CHEUNG moved the amendments to the aforesaid clauses. Hon Tommy CHEUNG declared that several children of him had studied in schools under The English Schools Foundation and since 2001, he had been nominated by Members of the Legislative Council to serve as a Member of The English Schools Foundation. Hon Tommy CHEUNG then addressed the Committee.

Two Members and Hon Abraham SHEK spoke on the amendments.

Hon Tommy CHEUNG spoke again.

Question on the amendments put and agreed to.

The Chairman stated that since Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG's amendment to clause 4 was already included in Hon Tommy CHEUNG's amendment thereto, which had been passed, there was no need for Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG to move his amendment to the clause later.

Hon Abraham SHEK moved the further amendments to clauses 4, 8 and 17 and addressed the Committee.

Question on the amendments proposed, put and agreed to.

Question that clauses 4, 8 and 17 as amended stand part of the Bill proposed, put and agreed to.

Question that clause 6 stand part of the Bill proposed.

Hon Abraham SHEK moved the amendment to clause 6 and addressed the Committee.

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

Question that clause 6 as amended stand part of the Bill proposed, put and agreed to.

Question that clause 7 stand part of the Bill proposed.

Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG moved the amendment to clause 7 and addressed the Committee.

Two Members and Hon Abraham SHEK spoke on the amendment.

Question on the amendment put.

Hon Abraham SHEK claimed a division. The Chairman then ordered the Committee to proceed to a division under Rule 47(1) of the Rules of Procedure.

The Chairman announced that among the Members returned by functional constituencies, 19 were present, five were in favour of the amendment, 12 against it and two abstained; while among the Members returned by geographical constituencies through direct elections, 15 were present, 10 were in favour of the amendment, three against it and one abstained. (Voting record in the Appendix.) Since the question was not agreed by a majority of each of the two groups of Members present, she declared that the amendment was negatived.

Question that clause 7 stand part of the Bill put and agreed to.

New clause 9A read the first time.

Hon Abraham SHEK moved the Second Reading of new clause 9A and addressed the Committee.

Question on the Second Reading of new clause 9A proposed, put and agreed to.

New clause 9A read the second time.

Hon Abraham SHEK moved the addition of new clause 9A to the Bill.

Question on the addition proposed, put and agreed to.

The Council then resumed.

Third Reading

Hon Abraham SHEK reported that

The English Schools Foundation (Amendment) Bill 2007

had passed through the Committee with amendments. He moved that the Bill be read the third time and do pass.

Question on the Third Reading proposed, put and agreed to.

Bill read the third time and passed.

Members' Motions

Proposed resolutions under the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance

1. Antiquities and Monuments (Withdrawal of Declaration of Proposed Monument) (No. 128 Pok Fu Lam Road) Notice

Hon Audrey EU moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

RESOLVED that in relation to the Antiquities and Monuments (Withdrawal of Declaration of Proposed Monument) (No. 128 Pok Fu Lam Road) Notice, published in the Gazette as Legal Notice No. 21 of 2008 and laid on the table of the Legislative Council on 20 February 2008, the period for amending subsidiary legislation referred to in section 34(2) of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1) be extended under section 34(4) of that Ordinance to the meeting of 9 April 2008.

Question on the motion proposed, put and agreed to.

2. Rating (Exemption) Order 2008 and the Trade Descriptions (Definition of Diamond) Regulation

Hon Miriam LAU moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

RESOLVED that in relation to the -

- (a) Rating (Exemption) Order 2008, published in the Gazette as Legal Notice No. 34 of 2008; and
- (b) Trade Descriptions (Definition of Diamond) Regulation, published in the Gazette as Legal Notice No. 43 of 2008,

and laid on the table of the Legislative Council on 5 March 2008, the period for amending subsidiary legislation referred to in section 34(2) of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1) be extended under section 34(4) of that Ordinance to the meeting of 23 April 2008.

Question on the motion proposed, put and agreed to.

Improving the public hospital services in Kowloon East

Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

That, as the current funding provision for the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster is far more insufficient than other clusters and lags far behind the needs of the population and the communities of Kwun Tong and Tseung Kwan O, resulting in the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster failing to provide comprehensive health care services, which is not only contrary to the vision of "meeting community demands and expectations" but also exerts tremendous pressure on the frontline health care personnel and impedes their provision of most suitable services for the residents within the districts, this Council strongly urges the Administration to:

- (a) taking the opportunity of the present huge surplus and not affecting the services of other hospital clusters, allocate more resources, according to the population and community structure of the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster, to expeditiously improve the public hospital services in Kwun Tong and Tseung Kwan O, and solve the problem of residents in the two districts having to seek medical treatments in other clusters, and in particular, the implementation of the United Christian Hospital's reconstruction plan must be expedited; and
- (b) focusing on the long-term demand of health care services in various districts, study and review the mechanism of hospital cluster planning as well as the logic of operation of hospital services.

Question on Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion proposed.

The President stated that eight Members intended to move amendments to the motion, and one Member intended to move an amendment to amendment. She pointed out that as there were 383 different versions of the motion as amended by such amendments, which ran into more than 900 pages, hard copies of these versions were not provided to individual Members. Members might, if necessary, ask her to read out the motion as amended by the amendments when the motion and the amendments were put to vote.

Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Fred LI and Hon Albert HO, who intended to move amendments to the motion, spoke on the motion and the amendments.

While Hon Albert HO was speaking, the President left the chair at 4:33 pm temporarily and the President's Deputy, Hon Fred LI, took the chair.

Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah and Hon James TO, who intended to move amendments to the motion, spoke on the motion and the amendments.

At 4:50 pm while Hon James TO was speaking, the President resumed the chair.

Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, Hon LAU Kong-wah, Hon Frederick FUNG and Hon Tommy CHEUNG, who intended to move amendments to the motion, spoke on the motion and the amendments.

The Secretary for Food and Health spoke on the motion and the amendments.

Another Member spoke on the motion and the amendments.

Hon Vincent FANG Kang declared that he was the Chairman of the Hospital Governing Committee of the Kwai Chung and Princess Margaret Hospital. Hon Vincent FANG Kang then spoke on the motion and the amendments.

Seven Members spoke on the motion and the amendments.

Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit spoke on the amendments.

The Secretary for Food and Health spoke again.

Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki moved the following amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion:

To delete "as the current" after "That," and substitute with "since the formation of hospital clusters by the Hospital Authority, many clusters are facing the problem of insufficient funding provision for a long time, and the"; to delete "expeditiously improve" after "the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster, to" and substitute with "increase health care manpower, set up specialties which are lacking in the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster, and provide more general and rehabilitation beds in the districts, thereby expeditiously improving"; and to add "expeditiously" after "(b)".

Question on Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion proposed.

Hon Tommy CHEUNG moved the following amendment to Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment:

To add ", particularly the New Territories West Cluster," after "many clusters"; to add "this cluster is allocated the least resources among all of the seven hospital clusters," after "a long time, and"; and to add "should especially implement expeditiously the provision of specialist services, such as obstetrics and gynaecology, ophthalmology and ear, nose and throat, psychiatry, etc, in the Tseung Kwan O Hospital, and additionally provide oncology and neurosurgery services as well as" after "Kowloon East Hospital Cluster, and".

Question on Hon Tommy CHEUNG's amendment to Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment proposed, put and agreed to.

Question on Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment, as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG, to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion put and agreed to.

As Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG had been agreed, the President granted leave for Hon Fred LI to revise the terms of his amendment and explain them to the Council.

Hon Fred LI moved the following further amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki and Hon Tommy CHEUNG, and explained the revised terms of his amendment to the Council:

To add "; (c) focusing on the problem that the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster is the only one without a cancer centre among the seven hospital clusters, look for improvement options to ensure that cancer patients in Kowloon East can obtain convenient and appropriate health care services; and (d) set up an independent committee and invite the participation of representatives of frontline staff and patients' groups to comprehensively review the clustering arrangement" immediately before the full stop.

Question on Hon Fred LI's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki and Hon Tommy CHEUNG proposed, put and agreed to.

As Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG and Hon Fred LI's amendment had been agreed, the President granted leave for Hon Albert HO to revise the terms of his amendment.

Hon Albert HO moved the following further amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG and Hon Fred LI:

To add "; and (e) when taking the opportunity of the present huge surplus and not affecting the services of other hospital clusters to allocate more resources for the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster to expeditiously improve the public hospital services in Kwun Tong and Tseung Kwan O, also allocate additional resources to hospital clusters which are in serious shortage of resources, such as the New Territories West Hospital Cluster which covers Tin Shui Wai, Tung Chung and Tuen Mun, so as to enable them to provide services at standards comparable to those of other clusters" immediately before the full stop.

Question on Hon Albert HO's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG and Hon Fred LI proposed, put and agreed to.

As Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI's and Hon Albert HO's amendments had been agreed, the President granted leave for Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah to revise the terms of his amendment.

Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah moved the following further amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI and Hon Albert HO:

To add "; and (f) focusing on the needs of residents in Tseung Kwan O, expand and upgrade the Tseung Kwan O Hospital to a general hospital, and increase the health care manpower, particularly to expeditiously provide additional services in neonatology, etc" immediately before the full stop.

Question on Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI and Hon Albert HO proposed, put and agreed to.

As Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI's, Hon Albert HO's and Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah's amendments had been agreed, the President granted leave for Hon James TO to revise the terms of his amendment.

Hon James TO moved the following further amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO and Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah:

To add "; and (g) when taking the opportunity of the present huge surplus and not affecting the services of other hospital clusters to allocate more resources for the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster to expeditiously improve the public hospital services in Kwun Tong and Tseung Kwan O, at the same time provide the resources required to address the specific needs of the population in various clusters (such as providing interpretation services at the Kwong Wah Hospital to meet the needs of the many South Asians in the Kowloon West Hospital Cluster, and enhancing the public health care services in districts such as Sham Shui Po where the elderly and low-income populations are relatively high and have to rely on public health care services)" immediately before the full stop.

Question on Hon James TO's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO and Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah proposed, put and agreed to.

As Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI's, Hon Albert HO's, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah's and Hon James TO's amendments had been agreed, the President granted leave for Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long to revise the terms of his amendment.

Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long moved the following further amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah and James TO:

To add "; and (h) regarding the study and review of the mechanism of hospital cluster planning as well as the logic of operation of hospital services, especially focus on the demand related to elderly health care services, and examine the long-term health care manpower planning, so as to alleviate the pressure faced by frontline health care personnel and enhance the quality of public hospital services" immediately before the full stop.

Question on Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah and James TO proposed, put and agreed to.

The President stated that Hon LAU Kong-wah had withdrawn his amendment.

As Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki's amendment as amended by Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI's, Hon Albert HO's, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah's, Hon James TO's and Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long's amendments had been agreed, the President granted leave for Hon Frederick FUNG to revise the terms of his amendment

Hon Frederick FUNG moved the following further amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, James TO and Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long:

To add "; and (i) taking into account the ageing population situation in the Kowloon East Hospital Cluster, appropriately increase the resources for elderly health care services and additionally provide Chinese medicine services in the public hospitals in Kwun Tong and Tseung Kwan O" immediately before the full stop.

Question on Hon Frederick FUNG's amendment to Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, Hon James TO and Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long proposed, put and agreed to.

Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit replied.

Question on Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit's motion as amended by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki, Hon Tommy CHEUNG, Hon Fred LI, Hon Albert HO, Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, Hon James TO, Dr Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long and Hon Frederick FUNG put and agreed to.

Enhancing sex education

Hon SIN Chung-kai moved the following motion and addressed the Council:

That, as the recent circulation of pornographic photos purporting to be artistes on the Internet has aroused public concern and wide media coverage, some members of the education sector and parents worry that the incident may adversely affect the values and personal conduct of children and youngsters; in this connection, this Council urges the Government to:

- (a) pay proper attention to the impact of Internet information on children and youngsters, and allocate additional resources to facilitate parents and educational and youth groups to promote moral education, respect for privacy and sex education; and
- (b) review the contents of sex education programmes in schools so as to enable children and youngsters to acquire correct knowledge and concepts about sex at a suitable time.

While Hon SIN Chung-kai was addressing the Council, the President left the chair at 7:00 pm temporarily and the President's Deputy, Hon Fred LI, took the chair.

Question on the motion proposed.

The Secretary for Education spoke on the motion.

Five Members and Hon WONG Kwok-hing spoke on the motion.

At 7:54 pm, while Hon WONG Kwok-hing was speaking, the President resumed the chair.

Five other Members spoke on the motion.

The Secretary for Education spoke again.

Hon SIN Chung-kai replied.

Question on the motion put and agreed to.

Next meeting

The President declared that the next meeting of the Council would be held on 9 April 2008 at 11:00 am.

The Council was adjourned at 8:50 pm.

(Mrs Rita FAN HSU Lai-tai)
President

Council Chamber
Hong Kong

投票 VOTE: 1
 日期 DATE: 12/03/2008
 時間 TIME: 03:43:22 下午pm

動議 MOTION: 《2007年英基學校協會（修訂）條例草案》- 全體委員會審議階段 - 修正第7條
 THE ENGLISH SCHOOLS FOUNDATION (AMENDMENT) BILL 2007 - COMMITTEE STAGE -
 AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 7

動議人 MOVED BY: 張超雄 Dr Fernando CHEUNG

	功能團體 Functional Constituencies	地方選區 Geographical Constituencies	最後結果 Final Result
出席 Present	19	15	
投票 Vote	19	14	
贊成 Yes	5	10	
反對 No	12	3	
棄權 Abstain	2	1	
結果 Result	否決 Negatived	通過 Passed	否決 Negatived

個別表決如下 THE INDIVIDUAL VOTES WERE AS FOLLOWS:

議員 MEMBER	投票 VOTE	議員 MEMBER	投票 VOTE
功能團體 Functional Constituencies		地方選區 Geographical Constituencies	
何鍾泰 Dr Raymond HO		范徐麗泰 Mrs Rita FAN	出席 PRESENT
李國寶 Dr David LI		田北俊 James TIEN	反對 NO
呂明華 Dr LUI Ming-wah		何俊仁 Albert HO	贊成 YES
吳靄儀 Margaret NG	贊成 YES	李卓人 LEE Cheuk-yan	贊成 YES
張文光 CHEUNG Man-kwong		李柱銘 Martin LEE	
陳智思 Bernard CHAN	反對 NO	李華明 Fred LI	贊成 YES
梁劉柔芬 Mrs Sophie LEUNG		周梁淑怡 Mrs Selina CHOW	
單仲偕 SIN Chung-kai	贊成 YES	涂謹申 James TO	
黃宜弘 Dr Philip WONG	反對 NO	陳婉嫻 CHAN Yuen-han	
黃容根 WONG Yung-kan	反對 NO	陳鑑林 CHAN Kam-lam	
楊孝華 Howard YOUNG		梁耀忠 LEUNG Yiu-chung	贊成 YES
劉皇發 LAU Wong-fat	反對 NO	曾鈺成 TSANG Yok-sing	反對 NO
劉健儀 Miriam LAU	反對 NO	楊森 Dr YEUNG Sum	贊成 YES
霍震霆 Timothy FOK		劉千石 LAU Chin-shek	
石禮謙 Abraham SHEK	反對 NO	劉江華 LAU Kong-wah	
李鳳英 Li Fung-ying	反對 NO	Emily LAU	贊成 YES
張宇人 Tommy CHEUNG	反對 NO	蔡素玉 CHOY So-yuk	反對 NO
方剛 Vincent FANG		鄭家富 Andrew CHENG	
王國興 WONG Kwok-hing	棄權 ABSTAIN	TAM Yiu-chung	
李國麟 Dr Joseph LEE	反對 NO	陳偉業 Albert CHAN	
林偉強 Daniel LAM	反對 NO	馮檢基 Frederick FUNG	贊成 YES
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郭家麒 Dr KWOK Ka-ki	贊成 YES	李國英 LI Kwok-ying	
張超雄 Dr Fernando CHEUNG	贊成 YES	Alan LEONG	贊成 YES
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詹培忠 CHIM Pui-chung		張學明 CHEUNG Hok-ming	
劉秀成 Prof Patrick LAU	反對 NO	湯家驊 Ronny TONG	贊成 YES
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