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**Position Report on Bills Committees and subcommittees  
(as at 17 June 2008)**

**Summary**

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| 1. Number of Bills Committees in action   | : | 3  | (see <u>List A</u> for details) |
| 2. Number of Bills Committees reporting to House Committee on 20.6.08   | : | 2  | (see <u>List B</u> for details) |
| 3. Number of vacant slots of Bills Committee  | : | 11 |                                 |
| 4. Number of bills pending resumption of Second Reading debate  | : | 12 | (see <u>List C</u> for details) |
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| 5. Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement                                 | : |    | (see <u>List D</u> for details) |
| 6. Number of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation/draft subsidiary legislation/other instruments in action | : | 4  | (see <u>List E</u> for details) |
| 7. Number of other subcommittees under House Committee in action  | : | 2  | (see <u>List F</u> for details) |
| 8. Number of other subcommittees under House Committee reporting to House Committee on 20.6.08                | : | 2  | (see <u>List G</u> for details) |
| 9. Number of subcommittees under Panels in action   | : | 3  | (see <u>List H</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 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 Race Discrimination Bill - Miss Flora TAI CCS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	13.12.06	15.12.06  Hon Margaret NG (Chairman)  Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, SBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)	34 16.1.07 29.1.07 5.2.07 28.2.07 3.3.07 23.3.07 19.4.07 23.4.07 15.5.07 31.5.07 26.6.07 8.10.07 29.10.07 21.11.07 7.12.07 13.12.07 10.1.08 21.1.08 13.2.08 25.2.08 12.3.08 26.3.08 9.4.08 16.4.08 21.4.08 25.4.08	13.4.07 (Verbal report) 20.6.08 (Verbal report)	9.7.08	Verbal report to the House Committee on 20.6.08.

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1. Bills Committee on Race Discrimination Bill - Miss Flora TAI CCS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			6.5.08 23.5.08 26.5.08 3.6.08 6.6.08 11.6.08 14.6.08 17.6.08			
2. Bills Committee on Independent Police Complaints Council Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CCS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	11.7.07	5.10.07  Hon LAU Kong-wah, JP	28 18.10.07 6.11.07 14.11.07 23.11.07 6.12.07 13.12.07 15.1.08 22.108 29.1.08 21.2.08 6.3.08 28.3.08 15.4.08 24.4.08 8.5.08 13.5.08 (2 sessions) 22.5.08 27.5.08 30.5.08	11.1.08 (Verbal report) 20.6.08 (Verbal report)	9.7.08	Verbal report to the House Committee on 20.6.08. Next two meetings to be held on 21.6.08 and 23.6.08 to meet with the Administration.

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3. Bills Committee on Product Eco-responsibility Bill - Miss Becky YU CCS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213	9.1.08	11.1.08  Hon CHOY So-yuk, JP	15 24.1.08 23.2.08 13.3.08 26.3.08 15.4.08 29.4.08 13.5.08 27.5.08 29.5.08 5.6.08 10.6.08 (2 meetings) 12.6.08 (2 meetings) 16.6.08	18.4.08 (Verbal report) 20.6.08 (Verbal report)	9.7.08	Verbal report to the House Committee on 20.6.08.

## List B : Bills Committees reporting to House Committee on 20.6.08

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee 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 West Kowloon Cultural District Authority Bill - Ms Anita SIT CCS(1)4 Tel : 2525 3331	20.2.08	22.2.08  Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-ye, GBS, JP (Chairman)  Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming, SBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)	15 29.2.08 27.3.08 12.4.08 (2 sessions) 21.4.08 24.4.08 29.4.08 8.5.08 15.5.08 20.5.08 22.5.08 29.5.08 (2 sessions) 3.6.08 6.6.08 12.6.08 16.6.08	23.5.08 (Verbal report) 13.6.08 (Verbal report) 20.6.08	2.7.08	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.08.
2. Bills Committee on Air Pollution Control (Amendment) Bill 2008 - Miss Becky YU CCS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213	20.2.08	22.2.08  Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP	13 10.4.08 22.4.08 6.5.08 15.5.08 19.5.08 26.5.08 2.6.08 3.6.08 (2 meetings) 5.6.08 6.6.08 13.6.08 16.6.08	20.6.08	9.7.08	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.08.

### List C : Bills 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. Domestic Violence (Amendment) Bill 2007	27.6.07	29.6.07 12.10.07 30.5.08	18.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 18.6.08.
2. Buildings (Amendment) Bill 2007	5.12.07	7.12.07 7.3.08 30.5.08 6.6.08	18.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 18.6.08.
3. Trade Descriptions (Amendment) Bill 2007	9.1.08	11.1.08 18.4.08 30.5.08	18.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 18.6.08.
4. Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2007	9.1.08	11.1.08 18.4.08 30.5.08	18.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 18.6.08.
5. The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Amendment) Bill 2008	11.6.08	13.6.08	25.6.08	Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.08.
6. Prevention of Bribery (Amendment) Bill 2007	11.7.07	5.10.07 25.1.08 13.6.08	25.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.08.
7. Road Traffic Legislation (Amendment) Bill 2008	20.2.08	22.2.08 13.6.08	25.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.08.

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8. Revenue Bill 2008	7.5.08	9.5.08 13.6.08	25.6.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.08.
9. Supplementary Appropriation (2007-2008) Bill	11.6.08	13.6.08	2.7.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.08.
10. West Kowloon Cultural District Authority Bill	20.2.08	22.2.08 23.5.08 13.6.08 20.6.08	2.7.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.08.
11. Fixed Penalty (Smoking Offences) Bill	20.2.08	22.2.08 13.6.08	2.7.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.08.
12. Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2008	20.2.08	22.2.08 13.6.08	2.7.08	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.08.

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

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Remarks
Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement - Mrs Anna LO PCS(A) Tel : 2869 9480	15.10.04  Prof Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing, SBS, JP	20 1.11.04 11.11.04 6.12.04 1.3.05 25.4.05 2.6.05 17.6.05 18.5.06 26.5.06 2.6.06 6.6.06 12.6.06 2.8.06 1.11.06 30.7.07 18.9.07 12.10.07 18.10.07 10.1.08 2.6.08	19.11.04 (1st report) 24.6.05 (2nd report) 8.7.05 (3rd report)	Next meeting to be held on 19.6.08 to meet with the Administration.



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

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on Sewage Services (Trade Effluent Surcharge) (Amendment) Regulation 2008 - Ms Debbie YAU SCS(1)1 Tel : 2509 4417	16.5.08  Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP	5 26.5.08 2.6.08 3.6.08 12.6.08 17.6.08	20.6.08 (Verbal report)	Next meeting to be held on 19.6.08 to meet with the Administration.
2. Subcommittee on Building (Planning) (Amendment) Regulation 2008 - Miss Betty MA CCS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	23.5.08  Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP	5 30.5.08 6.6.08 10.6.08 12.6.08 16.6.08		Next meeting to be held on 19.6.08 to meet with the Administration.
3. Subcommittee on Building (Refuse Storage and Material Recovery Chambers and Refuse Chutes) (Amendment) Regulation 2008 - Mr Andy LAU CCS(1)2 Tel : 2869 9577	23.5.08  Hon CHOY So-yuk, JP	2 30.5.08 16.6.08	27.6.08	Reporting to the House Committee on 27.6.08.
4. Subcommittee on Subsidiary Legislation to Introduce a Unified Carrier Licence under the Telecommunications Ordinance - Ms YUE Tin-po CCS(1)3 Tel : 2869 9244	23.5.08  Hon Bernard CHAN, GBS, JP	2 6.6.08 14.6.08		Next meeting to be held on 20.6.08 to meet with the Administration.

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

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee to Study the Subject of Combating Poverty - Miss Betty MA CCS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	12.11.04  Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, SBS, JP (Chairman)  Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)	40 9.12.04 14.1.05 23.2.05 (2 sessions) 22.3.05 28.4.05 19.5.05 23.6.05 12.7.05 21.7.05 14.10.05 30.11.05 13.12.05 17.1.06 25.1.06 28.2.08 17.3.08 27.4.06 18.5.06 30.5.06 22.6.06 18.7.06 5.10.06 9.11.06 14.12.06 19.1.07 1.2.07 8.3.07	10.2.06 (Report on Working Poverty) 16.6.06 (Report on Women in Poverty) 8.6.07 (Report on Elderly in Poverty) 27.6.08 (Report on Development of Social Enterprise)	Reporting to the House Committee on 27.6.08.

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1. Subcommittee to Study the Subject of Combating Poverty - Miss Betty MA CCS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>		26.3.07 12.4.07 14.5.07 28.5.07 18.6.07 10.7.07 8.11.07 11.12.07 31.1.08 7.4.08 29.4.08 27.5.08 12.6.08		
2. Subcommittee to Study the Transport Needs of and Provision of Concessionary Public Transport Fares for Persons with Disabilities - Ms Connie SZETO CCS(1)6 Tel : 2869 9245	18.11.05  Hon LEE Cheuk-yan	17 2.12.05 9.1.06 16.2.06 4.4.06 12.5.06 10.7.06 15.1.07 27.2.07 12.4.07 22.5.07 29.6.07 24.7.07 (2 sessions) 9.10.07 15.1.08 11.3.08 29.4.08 22.5.08	27.6.08	Reporting to the House Committee on 27.6.08.

## List G : Other subcommittees under House Committee reporting to House Committee on 20.6.08

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions - Miss Polly YEUNG CCS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9246	8.10.04  Hon Margaret NG	12 29.10.04 15.4.05 12.5.05 12.7.05 13.12.05 7.2.06 3.4.06 30.10.07 18.12.07 1.2.08 3.4.08 2.6.08	18.5.07 (1st report) 20.6.08 (Further report)	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.08.
2. Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development - Ms Anita SIT CCS(1)4 Tel : 2525 3331	21.1.05  Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC (Chairman)  Hon James TO Kun-sun (Deputy Chairman)	53 4.2.05 21.2.05 16.3.05 23.3.05 8.4.05 22.4.05 (2 sessions) 6.5.05 13.5.05 17.6.05 (2 sessions) 24.6.05 29.6.05 2.9.05 13.9.05 (2 sessions)	18.2.05 (1st report) 8.7.05 (Report on Phase I Study)  6.1.06 (Report on Phase II Study)  9.3.07 (Progress report)  20.6.08 (Report on Phase III Study)	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.08.

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2. Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development - Ms Anita SIT CCS(1)4 Tel : 2525 3331 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>		28.9.05 15.10.05 29.10.05 (2 sessions) 12.11.05 (2 sessions) 14.11.05 (2 sessions) 25.11.05 13.12.05 20.12.05 3.2.06 10.2.06 21.2.06 6.4.06 23.6.06 4.10.06 (2 sessions) 6.1.07 (2 sessions) 29.1.07 (2 sessions) 26.2.07 18.6.07 12.9.07 3.10.07 9.10.07 (2 sessions) 23.10.07 (2 sessions) 29.11.07 (2 sessions)		

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2. Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development - Ms Anita SIT CCS(1)4 Tel : 2525 3331 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>		15.12.07 (2 sessions) 4.1.08 (2 sessions) 24.1.08 4.2.08 14.2.08 11.3.08 25.4.08 2.5.08 8.5.08 10.5.08 22.5.08 24.5.08 26.5.08 30.5.08 5.6.08 (2 meetings) 13.6.08		

## List H : Subcommittees under Panels in action

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Panel	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Terms of reference of the subcommittee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways - Mr Andy LAU CCS(1)2 Tel : 2869 9577	Panel on Transport	12.10.04  Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee, GBS, JP	To follow up various issues relating to the planning and implementation of new railway projects, and the operation of existing railways.	Reporting to the Panel on Transport on 27.6.08.
2. Subcommittee on Strategy and Measures to Tackle Family Violence - Miss Mary SO CCS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	Panel on Welfare Services	8.11.04  Hon CHAN Yuen-han, SBS, JP	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.	Reporting to the Panel on Welfare Services in late June 2008.
3. Subcommittee on Police's Handling of Searches of Detainees - Mrs Sharon TONG CCS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	Panel on Security	4.12.07	To study issues relating to the Police's practices in handling searches of detainees, and to make recommendations to the Panel where necessary.	Whether the Subcommittee will commence its work is for the Panel on Security to decide.