

Panel on Environmental Affairs

**List of outstanding items for discussion
(position as at 22 May 2009)**

**Proposed timing for
discussion**

- 1. Odour management in sewage treatment works of Hong Kong**

June 2009
(New item proposed by the Administration)
- 2. Promoting the use of electric vehicles**

June 2009
(New item proposed by the Administration)
- 3. Mandatory Implementation of the Building Energy Codes**

July 2009
(The item was originally scheduled for discussion in second quarter of 2009)
- 4. 4353DS - Outlying Islands sewerage, stage 2 - upgrading of Mui Wo Village sewerage phase 2 and Mui Wo sewage treatment works**

October 2009

Part upgrade of the sewerage item to Category A.
- 5. Proactively promoting waste recovery and recycling as well as developing environmental industries to create job opportunities**

To be confirmed

To follow up the motion on “Developing environmental industries to create job opportunities” and on "Proactively promoting waste recovery and recycling", which were carried at the Council meetings on 4 July 2007 and 2 July 2008. Consideration should also be given to introducing a licensing system for waste recyclers.

Proposed timing for discussion

6. Measures to strengthen the control of emissions from petrol and Liquefied Petroleum Gas vehicles

To be confirmed

(Suggest inviting the Transport Panel members to join the meeting since the proposal would affect the transport sector.)

7. Excessive glare from advertisement boards

Subject to the findings of a study to be conducted

Information note on "Light pollution and the regulation of outdoor lighting in selected places" prepared by the Research and Library Services Division (LC Paper No. CB(1) 960/08-09).

8. Formulating a roadmap for a low carbon economy

To be confirmed

To follow up the motion on "Formulating a roadmap for a low carbon economy", which was carried at the Council meeting on 26 November 2008.

9. Noise pollution from large commercial television screens

To be confirmed

Raised by Hon Regina IP LAU Suk-ye who concerns are set out in LC Paper No. CB(1) 1116/08-09.