

Panel on Home Affairs**List of follow-up actions**

(as at 8 January 2009)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
1. Funding support for the arts groups and manpower training for culture and the arts	30.6.08	The Administration was requested to provide - (a) information on the unmet funding demands handled by the Hong Kong Arts Development Council; and (b) details of the research study that would be undertaken by the Home Affairs Bureau to develop a new set of assessment criteria for the major performing arts groups, such as the timetable for conducting the study and specific issues to be studied, as well as any plan to promote the development of inclusive arts.	Response awaited.
2. National education	20.10.08	The Administration was requested to provide a response to a member's view that all government offices and buildings should be required to display the national flag every day, and supplementary information on the number of government offices and buildings where had been installed with two flag masts.	The Administration's response was issued vide LC Paper No. CB(2)554/08-09(01) on 31 December 2008.
3. Listing of indigenous villages	14.11.08	The Administration was requested to provide a written response on the issue related to Yuen Long Kau Hui so that members could consider how the matter could be further pursued.	The Administration's response was issued vide LC Paper Nos. CB(2)391/08-09(01) and CB(2)485/08-09(01) on 2 and 11 December 2008 respectively.

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
4. Female participation in Village Representative (VR) elections	14.11.08	The Administration was requested to provide a paper to report on the effort made by the Administration to encourage high female participation in the forthcoming VR elections.	Response awaited.
5. Procurement of third party risks insurance by owners' corporations and issues related to building management	12.12.08	<p>The Administration was requested to provide -</p> <p>(a) information on the current number of BD staff deployed for the clearance of UBWs, the total number of illegal sign boards across the territory and the number of those sign boards which had been cleared; and</p> <p>(b) quarterly work target and progress report to the Panel for members' monitoring of the progress on insurance procurement of the 9% of OCs currently without insurance policy.</p>	Response awaited.
6. Major Upgrade of Multimedia Information System (MMIS)	12.12.08	The Administration was requested to provide further details on the proposed upgrade of MMIS, including the strategy to publicise MMIS, the target usage rate, measures to enhance the accessibility of MMIS and the work plan for monitoring the upgraded MMIS.	The Administration's response was issued vide LC Paper No. CB(2)582/08-09(01) on 5 January 2009.