

**Panel on Environmental Affairs**

**CB(1) 1443/09-10(01)**

**List of follow-up actions**

(position as at 23 March 2010)

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Date of meeting</b>	<b>Follow-up action required</b>	<b>Administration's response</b>
1. <u>Green measures in the Government</u>	20.12.06	The Administration to provide -  (a) an updated information paper to respond to members' concerns on targets of green measures in the Government; and  (b) a written response to the submission from the Green Council on the green measures in the Government which was tabled at the meeting.	The Administration advised that a consultancy study was commissioned by the Environmental Protection Department to update the existing "green" specifications and develop "green specifications" for more items commonly used by the Government. The study is expected to be completed in the second quarter of 2009. The Panel will be informed of the latest progress after completion of the study.
2. <u>Promoting the use of electric vehicles</u>	22.6.09	The Administration to provide a progress report on promoting electric vehicles within three months, setting out the following information -  (a) history of electric vehicles and the measures taken to overcome the operational difficulties encountered in the past;	Response awaited.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(b) promotion plans for electric vehicles, including the incentives to encourage the switch to electric vehicles, the time frame for introduction of legislative amendments and the provision of battery charging facilities in Government and private multi-storey car parks and roadside metered car parks;</li> <li>(c) supply of electric and hybrid vehicles as well as details of the studies and testing being conducted on these vehicles, including "My Car";</li> <li>(d) vehicles in the Government and bus fleets which could be replaced with electric models and their replacement programmes,</li> <li>(e) measures taken to encourage the development of green industries associated with the manufacture of accessory parts for electric vehicles;</li> <li>(f) impact on electricity supply arising from charging of all electric vehicles at night time; and</li> <li>(g) promotion plans for electric motorcycles.</li> </ul>	
3. <u>The United Nations Climate</u>	21.1.10	The Administration to provide information on	Administration's response was

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<u>Change Conference 2009</u>		the availability of hybrid vehicles in Hong Kong.	circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(1) 1275/09-10(01) on 2 March 2010.
4. <u>A new producer responsibility scheme for waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE)</u>	22.2.2010	The Administration to provide -  (a) more information on overseas experience in selected jurisdictions taking into account deputations' views; and  (b) supplementary information on the feasibility of setting up a commercially viable WEEE treatment plant in Hong Kong and the role of the Government in this respect.	Response awaited.