

L.N. 217 of 2009

**THE OMBUDSMAN ORDINANCE (AMENDMENT
OF SCHEDULE 1) ORDER 2009**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 24 of
The Ombudsman Ordinance (Cap. 397))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on a day to be appointed by the Director of Administration by notice published in the Gazette.

2. Organizations to which this Ordinance applies

(1) Part I of Schedule 1 to The Ombudsman Ordinance (Cap. 397) is amended by repealing “Auxiliary Medical Service (department)” and substituting “Auxiliary Medical Service (Government department)”.

(2) Part I of Schedule 1 is amended by repealing “Civil Aid Service (department)” and substituting “Civil Aid Service (Government department)”.

(3) Part I of Schedule 1 is amended—

(a) by adding “Auxiliary Medical Service (as raised and maintained under section 3 of the Auxiliary Medical Service Ordinance (Cap. 517)).”;

(b) by adding “Civil Aid Service (as raised and maintained under section 3 of the Civil Aid Service Ordinance (Cap. 518)).”;

(c) by adding “Consumer Council.”;

(d) by adding “Estate Agents Authority.”.

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Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

27 October 2009

Explanatory Note

The purpose of this Order is to include in the list of organizations to which The Ombudsman Ordinance (Cap. 397) applies the following organizations—

- (a) Auxiliary Medical Service (as raised and maintained under section 3 of the Auxiliary Medical Service Ordinance (Cap. 517));
- (b) Civil Aid Service (as raised and maintained under section 3 of the Civil Aid Service Ordinance (Cap. 518));
- (c) Consumer Council; and
- (d) Estate Agents Authority.

2. This Order also makes clear that the Auxiliary Medical Service and the Civil Aid Service, to which The Ombudsman Ordinance (Cap. 397) currently applies, are Government departments. These Government departments were established before the enactment of the Auxiliary Medical Service Ordinance (Cap. 517) and the Civil Aid Service Ordinance (Cap. 518).