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Committee on Members' Interests Paper for the tenth meeting on 29 May 2012

Outcome of consultation with Members on registration of Members' interests

Purpose

This paper invites members of the Committee on Members' Interests ("CMI") to note the outcome of consultation with Members on the proposed changes to the existing registration of Members' interests.

Background

2. In view of the rising public expectation of the conduct and propriety of Members of the Legislative Council ("LegCo"), CMI is conducting a review of the requirements for the registration of Members' interests by making reference to the registration requirements of the House of Commons of the Parliament of the United Kingdom¹ and those of the Executive Council of Hong Kong.

Proposed changes

3. At the CMI meeting held on 16 March 2012, members agreed that the following changes should be made to the types of registrable interests and particulars of these interests to enhance transparency and accountability:

- (a) the nature of work to which the remuneration relates should be provided under "directorships", "remunerated employment, offices, etc." and "clients";
- (b) the estimated amount/value of the sponsorship received by Members or their spouses arising out of the membership of the

The requirements for registration of interests as well as the compilation and maintenance of the Register of Members' Interests were first introduced by the former Legislative Council in 1991. They were modelled on those in use by the House of Commons of the Parliament of the United Kingdom at that time.

Council should be provided under "overseas visits";

- (c) the location and usage of each land or property owned or held by Members (except for self-occupation) should be provided under "land and property"; and
- (d) a new category of "remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations", for instance, membership of statutory bodies and non-governmental organizations for which an honorarium is payable, should be added.
- 4. CMI further considers that improvements should be made to the existing Registration Form on Members' Interests ("the Registration Form") to facilitate Members to report to the Clerk to LegCo particulars of any change in their registrable interests of "directorships", "remunerated employment, offices, etc.", "clients", "shareholdings" and "land and property" within the requisite 14-day time period².
- 5. CMI also proposes certain changes to the format of the Registration Form to make it more user-friendly and informative.

Consultation with Members and outcome of consultation

- 6. CMI decided that all Members should be consulted on the proposed changes set out in paragraphs 3 to 5 above using a questionnaire to assist CMI in considering the matter further.
- 7. The questionnaire was issued to Members on 13 April 2012. A total of 54 Members completed and returned the questionnaire. Five Members verbally informed the Secretariat that they had no comments on the proposed changes. A summary and details of the responses are set out in **Appendices I and II** respectively. An analysis of the findings is set out in the ensuing paragraphs.
- 8. According to the findings of the consultation, the majority of Members agree to or have no comment on the following proposed changes:
 - (a) 57% of all Members agree to or have no comment on the proposed change that the nature of work to which the remuneration relates under "directorships", "remunerated employment, offices, etc." and "clients" should be provided while 42% of all Members disagree with the proposed change;

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Rule 83(3) of the Rules of Procedure stipulates that "Every Member shall furnish to the Clerk, in such form as may be approved by the President, particulars of any change in such registrable interests, within 14 days of any such change."

- (b) 58% of all Members agree to or have no comment on the proposed change that the estimated amount/value of the sponsorship received by Members or their spouses arising out of the membership of the Council should be provided under "overseas visits" while 40% of all Members disagree with the proposed change;
- (c) 67% of all Members agree to or have no comment on the proposed change that the location and usage of each land or property owned or held by Members (except for self-occupation) should be provided under "land and property" while 32% disagree with the proposed change;
- (d) 77% of all Members agree to or have no comment on the proposed change that a new category of "remunerated membership of boards, committees and other organizations" should be added while 22% disagree with the proposed change;
- (e) 78% to 80% of all Members agree to or have no comment on the proposed change that additional information on particulars of any change to their registrable interests of "directorships", "remunerated employment, offices, etc.", "clients", "shareholdings" and "land and property" within the requisite 14-day time period should be provided³ while 18% to 20% disagree with the proposed change; and
- (f) 78% of all Members agree to or have no comment on the proposed change to the format of the existing Registration Form while 20% disagree with the proposed change.
- 9. One Member suggests that a new category of "gifts" should be introduced and that Members should be required to register any gift worth HK\$2,000 or more which they or their spouses received in relation to their being Members.

Matters for consideration

10. Members are invited to note the outcome of the consultation exercise and consider whether recommendation should be made for the proposed

Nine Members belonging to the Democratic Alliance for the Betterment and Progress of Hong Kong are of the view that it should be made clear in the Registration Form on Members' Interests that the requirements for Members to provide the starting dates of holding paid employment and holding/owning shareholdings and land and property do not apply to these registrable interests which have been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council before the first meeting of the term.

changes set out in paragraphs 3 to 5 above to be put in place and implemented with effect from the next legislative term which commences in October 2012. Subject to members' decision, the Secretariat will prepare a paper to seek the views of the Committee on Rules of Procedure ("CRoP") at its meeting on 12 June 2012 on the proposed amendments to the Rules of Procedure ("RoP") (in **Appendix III**) to make the revised Registration Form (in **Appendix IV**) a part of RoP⁴ and to add a new category of "remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations" for implementation on 10 September 2012⁵.

11. Subject to CRoP's views on the proposed amendments (Appendix III refers), CMI will advise the House Committee at its meeting on 22 June 2012 on the proposed changes, and subject to further views that the House Committee may have, a motion will be moved by the Chairman of CMI at the Council meeting of 11 July 2012 to amend the Rules with effect from 10 September 2012.

Advice sought

12. Members are invited to note the outcome of the consultation exercise and to advise on the matters in paragraphs 10 and 11 above.

Council Business Division 3
<u>Legislative Council Secretariat</u>
25 May 2012

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⁴ At the meeting of Committee on Members' Interests held on 16 March 2012, members agreed that the Registration Form on Members' Interests ("the Registration Form") should be made a part of the Rules of Procedure ("RoP") to put beyond doubt that Members are not only required to comply with Rule 83(5) of RoP but also to provide the particulars as required in the Registration Form.

The reason for setting 10 September 2012 as the date for implementing the proposed changes is because this date is the date following the holding of general election to elect Members for the fifth term of office of the Legislative Council.

Summary of Members' responses to the questionnaire on registration of Members' interests issued by the Committee on Members' Interests

1. Additional information to be provided under the following				N	Number of N	Members .			
r	registrable interests:		1	11	21	31	41	51	60
(a)	Dire	ctorships, remunerated employment and clients	Agree or h	ave no c	omment		Disagree		_
	(i)	the nature of work to which the remuneration relates	(34) [57%]]			(25) [42%	<u>[</u>	
	(ii)	starting date of holding the paid employment during the term	(47) [78%]]				(12) [20%]	
	(iii)	date of ceasing to hold the paid employment which has been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council ("LegCo") before the first meeting of the term or during the term	(47) [78%]					(12) [20%]	
(b)	Ove	rseas visits							, l
		nated amount/value of sponsorship which Members or their uses received arising from their membership of the Council	(35) [58%]]			(24) [409	⁹ / ₀]	
(c)	Lanc	d and property							
	(i)	location and usage of each land or property owned/held	(40) [67%]]				(19) [32%]	
	(ii)	date of owning/holding each land or property during the term	(48) [80%]]				(11) [18%]]
	(iii)	date of ceasing to own/hold each land or property which has been registered with the Clerk to LegCo before the first meeting of the term or during the term	(48) [80%]	l				(11) [18%]]
(d)	Shar	reholdings							
	(i)	date of owning/holding more than 1% of the issued share capital of each company during the term	(47) [78%]]				(12) [20%]	
	(ii)	date of ceasing to own/hold more than 1% of the issued share	(48) [80%]]				(11) [18%]]
		capital of each companywhich has been registered with the Clerk to LegCo before the first meeting of the term or during the term							
	2. Proposed addition of a new category of "remunerated membership		(46) [77%]]				(13) [22%]	
0	of boards, committees or other organizations''								_
3. I	ropos	sed revised format of the Registration Form on Members'	(47) [78%]]				(12) [20%]	
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Committee on Members' Interests

Consultation with Members on registration of Members' interests

Detailed results

Item 1: Additional information to be provided under -

(a) Directorships, remunerated employment and clients

(i) the nature of work to which the remuneration relates

No. of Members who have responded to this question	53
Agree	28
Disagree	25
No. of Members who have no comment	6

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Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon CHAN Kam-lam	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	Hon WONG Yung-kan	(NWSC) (1 Member)
Hon James TO Kun-sun	Hon LAU Kong-wah	
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	Hon TAM Yiu-chung	
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	
Hon LEE Wing-tat	Hon WONG Ting-kwong	
Hon KAM Nai-wai	Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	
Hon WONG Sing-chi	Hon CHAN Hak-kan	
(DP) (8 Members)	Hon IP Kwok-him	
	(DAB) (9 Members)	
Dr Hon Margaret NG		Hon Abraham SHEK*
Hon Audrey EU	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	Hon CHIM Pui-chung*
Hon Ronny TONG	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	(Political affiliation undeclared/
Hon Alan LEONG	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	Independents) (2 Members)
Hon Tanya CHAN	(Political affiliation undeclared/	
(CP) (5 Members)	Independents) (3 Members)	Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung*
		(LSD) (1 Member)
Hon Albert CHAN	Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG	
(PP) (1 Member)	Hon LAU Wong-fat	Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee*
	Hon Jeffrey LAM	(HKADPL) (1 Member)
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan	Hon Andrew LEUNG	
(HKCTU) (1 Member)	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)	Hon WONG Yuk-man*
		(PP) (1 Member)
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Hon Andrew CHENG	(PF) (1 Member)	
Hon Timothy FOK		
Dr Hon Joseph LEE	Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee	
Hon Paul CHAN	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan	
Hon CHAN Kin-por	Hon Vincent FANG Kang	
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau	(LP) (3 Members) ¹	
Hon Paul Tse	(Li) (5 Members)	
Dr Hon Samson TAM	Hon WONG Kwok-hing	
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Independents) (9 Members)	Hon IP wai-ming	
	Dr Hon PAN Pey-chyou	
Hon Mrs Regina IP	(HKFTU) (4 Members)	
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(HKSWGU) (1 Member)		
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^{*} Members verbally replied to the Secretariat that they have no comment on this item.

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¹ The three Members consider that requiring Members to register the nature of work to which the remuneration relates for their paid employment is impracticable to comply as the scope involved is very wide and complicated.

(a) <u>Directorships</u>, remunerated employment and clients

(ii) starting date of holding the paid employment during the term

No. of Members who have responded to this question	53
Agree	41
Disagree	12
No. of Members who have no comment	6

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	Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee	(HKADPL) (1 Member)
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Hon Audrey EU	Hon Vincent FANG Kang	Hon WONG Yuk-man*
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(a) <u>Directorships</u>, remunerated employment and clients

(iii) date of ceasing to hold the paid employment which has been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council ("LegCo") before the first meeting of the term or during the term

No. of Members who have responded to this question	52
Agree	40
Disagree	12
No. of Members who have no comment	7

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon Ronny TONG	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
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Hon James TO Kun-sun		Independents) (1 Member)
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Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
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Hon TAM Yiu-chung		
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	Dr Hon Philip WONG	
Hon WONG Ting-kwong	(BPA) (1 Member)	Hon Abraham SHEK*
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king		Hon CHIM Pui-chung*
Hon CHAN Hak-kan	Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG	(Political affiliation undeclared/
Hon IP Kwok-him	(PF) (1 Member)	Independents) (2 Members)
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Dr Hon Margaret NG	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan	(LSD) (1 Member)
Hon Audrey EU	Hon Vincent FANG Kang	(ESD) (1 Member)
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(b) Overseas visits

estimated amount/value of sponsorship which Members or their spouses received arising from their membership of the Council

No. of Members who have responded to this question	52
Agree	28
Disagree	24
No. of Members who have no comment	7

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon CHAN Kam-lam	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	Hon WONG Yung-kan	(NWSC) (1 Member)
Hon James TO Kun-sun	Hon LAU Kong-wah	
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	Hon TAM Yiu-chung	Hon LAU Wong-fat
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Hon KAM Nai-wai	Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	
Hon WONG Sing-chi	Hon CHAN Hak-kan	
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	(DAB) (9 Members)	
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(PP) (1 Member)	Hon Jeffrey LAM	(LSD) (1 Member)
	Hon Andrew LEUNG	
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	Dr Hon Philip WONG	
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan	(BPA) (1 Member)	Hon WONG Yuk-man*
(CA) (1 Member)		(PP) (1 Member)
	Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG	
Dr Hon David LI	(PF) (1 Member)	
Hon Andrew CHENG		
Hon Timothy FOK	Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee	
Dr Hon Joseph LEE	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan	
Hon CHAN Kin-por	Hon Vincent FANG Kang	
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¹ The Member considers that it is difficult for Members to come up with an estimate of the amount/value of sponsorship which they or their spouses received arising from their membership of the Council. Further, such an estimate may be opened to question.

² The three Members consider it impractical for Members to quantify and estimate the amount/value of the sponsorship which they or their spouses received arising from their membership of the Council.

(c) Land and property

(i) location and usage of each land or property owned/held

No. of Members who have responded to this question	53
Agree	34
Disagree	19
No. of Members who have no comment	6

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon Ronny TONG	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	(CP) (1 Member)	(NWSC) (1 Member)
Hon James TO Kun-sun		
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Hon Timothy FOK	
Hon LEE Wing-tat	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	
Hon KAM Nai-wai	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau	
Hon WONG Sing-chi	Dr Hon Samson TAM	
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Hon WONG Ting-kwong	Hon LAU Wong-fat	(LSD) (1 Member)
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Hon CHAN Hak-kan	Hon Andrew LEUNG	Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee*
Hon IP Kwok-him	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)	(HKADPL) (1 Member)
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Hon Tanya CHAN	(PF) (1 Member)	
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Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan	Hon IP wai-ming	
Hon Vincent FANG Kang	Dr Hon PAN Pey-chyou	
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^{*} Members verbally replied to the Secretariat that they have no comment on this item.

The Member indicates that the reason why he disagrees with the requirement for Members to provide information on the usage of the land or property they own or hold is because Members will also be required to indicate in the Registration Form on Members' Interests whether the land or property concerned generates rental income.

(c) Land and property

(ii) date of owning/holding each land or property during the term

No. of Members who have responded to this question	52
Agree	41
Disagree	11
No. of Members who have no comment	7

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Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon Ronny TONG	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
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Hon WONG Ting-kwong		Hon CHIM Pui-chung*
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	Dr Hon Philip WONG	(Political affiliation undeclared/
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The nine Members are of the view that it should be made clear in the Registration Form on Members' Interests that the requirement to provide the starting date of holding the land or property does not apply to such land or property which has been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council before the first meeting of the term.

(c) Land and property

(iii) date of ceasing to own/hold each land or property which has been registered with the Clerk to LegCo before the first meeting of the term or during the term

No. of Members who have responded to this question	52
Agree	41
Disagree	11
No. of Members who have no comment	7

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Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon Ronny TONG	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	(CP) (1 Member)	(Political affiliation undeclared/
Hon James TO Kun-sun		Independents) (1 Member)
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
Hon LEE Wing-tat	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	(NWSC) (1 Member)
Hon KAM Nai-wai	Dr Hon Samson TAM	
Hon WONG Sing-chi	(Political affiliation undeclared/	
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Hon CHAN Kam-lam	Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG	
Hon WONG Yung-kan	Hon LAU Wong-fat	
Hon LAU Kong-wah	Hon Jeffrey LAM	Hon Abraham SHEK*
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	Hon Andrew LEUNG	Hon CHIM Pui-chung*
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)	(Political affiliation undeclared/
Hon WONG Ting-kwong	(Independents) (2 Members)
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	Dr Hon Philip WONG	
Hon CHAN Hak-kan	(BPA) (1 Member)	Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung*
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Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan		
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(d) Shareholdings

(i) date of owning/holding more than 1% of the issued share capital of each company during the term

No. of Members who have responded to this question	50
Agree	38
Disagree	12
No. of Members who have no comment	9

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon Ronny TONG	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	(CP) (1 Member)	(NWSC) (1 Member)
Hon James TO Kun-sun	(CI) (I Member)	(IVVISC) (I INCINDET)
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan
C	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	Hon Vincent FANG Kang
Hon LEE Wing-tat		<u> </u>
Hon KAM Nai-wai	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau	(LP) (3 Members)
Hon WONG Sing-chi	Dr Hon Samson TAM	
(DP) (8 Members)	(Political affiliation undeclared/	
	Independents) (5 Members)	
Hon CHAN Kam-lam		
Hon WONG Yung-kan	Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG	
Hon LAU Kong-wah	Hon LAU Wong-fat	
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	Hon Jeffrey LAM	
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	Hon Andrew LEUNG	
Hon WONG Ting-kwong	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)	Hon Abraham SHEK*
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king		Hon CHIM Pui-chung*
Hon CHAN Hak-kan	Dr Hon Philip WONG	(Political affiliation undeclared/
Hon IP Kwok-him	(BPA) (1 Member)	Independents) (2 Members)
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Hon Audrey EU		Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee*
Hon Alan LEONG		(HKADPL) (1 Member)
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		(PP) (1 Member)
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Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan		
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(HKSWGU) (1 Member)		
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The nine Members are of the view that it should be made clear in the Registration Form on Members' Interests that the requirement to provide the date of owning/holding more than 1% of the issued share capital of each company does not apply to those shares which have been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council before the first meeting of the term.

(d) Shareholdings

(ii) date of ceasing to own/hold more than 1% of the issued share capital of each company which has been registered with the Clerk to LegCo before the first meeting of the term or during the term

No. of Members who have responded to this question	49
Agree	38
Disagree	11
No. of Members who have no comment	10

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Hon Ronny TONG	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	(CP) (1 Member)	(Political affiliation undeclared/
Hon James TO Kun-sun		Independents) (1 Member)
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
Hon LEE Wing-tat	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	(NWSC) (1 Member)
Hon KAM Nai-wai	Dr Hon Samson TAM	
Hon WONG Sing-chi	(Political affiliation undeclared/	Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee
(DP) (8 Members)	Independents) (4 Members)	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan
		Hon Vincent FANG Kang
Hon CHAN Kam-lam	Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG	(LP) (3 Members)
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Hon LAU Kong-wah	Hon Jeffrey LAM	
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	Hon Andrew LEUNG	
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)	
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^{*} Members verbally replied to the Secretariat that they have no comment on this item.

Item 2: Proposed addition of a new category of "remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations"

No. of Members who have responded to this question	53
Agree	40
Disagree	13
No. of Members who have no comment	6

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment		
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung		
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	(NWSC) (1 Member)		
Hon James TO Kun-sun	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai			
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	(Political affiliation undeclared/			
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Independents) (3 Members)			
Hon LEE Wing-tat	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *			
Hon KAM Nai-wai	Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG			
Hon WONG Sing-chi	Hon LAU Wong-fat			
(DP) (8 Members)	Hon Jeffrey LAM			
	Hon Andrew LEUNG			
Hon CHAN Kam-lam	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)			
Hon WONG Yung-kan				
Hon LAU Kong-wah	Dr Hon Philip WONG			
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	(BPA) (1 Member)	Hon Abraham SHEK*		
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Hon CHIM Pui-chung*		
Hon WONG Ting-kwong	Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG	(Political affiliation undeclared/		
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	(PF) (1 Member)	Independents) (2 Members)		
Hon CHAN Hak-kan	(==)(============			
Hon IP Kwok-him	Hon WONG Kwok-hing	Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung*		
(DAB) (9 Members)	Hon WONG Kwok-kin	(LSD) (1 Member)		
(DIB) () Members)	Hon IP wai-ming	(ESD) (1 Member)		
Dr Hon Margaret NG	Dr Hon PAN Pey-chyou	Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee*		
Hon Audrey EU	(HKFTU) (4 Members)	(HKADPL) (1 Member)		
Hon Ronny TONG	(IIKI 10) (4 Members)	(IIKADI L) (1 Member)		
Hon Alan LEONG		Hon WONG Yuk-man*		
Hon Tanya CHAN		(PP) (1 Member)		
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Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee				
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan				
Hon Vincent FANG Kang				
(LP) (3 Members)				
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^{*} Members verbally replied to the Secretariat that they have no comment on this item.

Item 3: Proposed revised format of the Registration Form on Members' Interests

No. of Members who have responded to this question	51
Agree	39
Disagree	12
No. of Members who have no comment	8

Agree	Disagree	Have no comment		
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO	Hon Paul CHAN		
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming	Prof Hon Patrick LAU	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau		
Hon James TO Kun-sun	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	(Political affiliation undeclared/		
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	(Political affiliation undeclared/	Independents) (2 Members)		
Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong	Independents) (3 Members)	maepenaems) (2 Members)		
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Hon KAM Nai-wai	Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG	(NWSC) (1 Member)		
Hon WONG Sing-chi	Hon LAU Wong-fat			
(DP) (8 Members)	Hon Jeffrey LAM			
	Hon Andrew LEUNG			
Hon CHAN Kam-lam	(BPA/ES) (4 Members)			
Hon WONG Yung-kan				
Hon LAU Kong-wah	Dr Hon Philip WONG	Hon Abraham SHEK*		
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	(BPA) (1 Member)	Hon CHIM Pui-chung*		
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming	, , ,	(Political affiliation undeclared/		
Hon WONG Ting-kwong	Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG	Independents) (2 Members)		
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	(PF) (1 Member)	macpenaems) (2 members)		
Hon CHAN Hak-kan	(11) (1 Member)	Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung*		
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Hon IP Kwok-him	Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee	(LSD) (1 Member)		
(DAB) (9 Members)	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan			
	Hon Vincent FANG Kang	Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee*		
Dr Hon Margaret NG	(LP) (3 Members)	(HKADPL) (1 Member)		
Hon Audrey EU				
Hon Ronny TONG		Hon WONG Yuk-man*		
Hon Alan LEONG		(PP) (1 Member)		
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Item 4: Any other comments

Hon CHAN Kin-por

The Member suggests that a new category of "gifts" should be introduced and that Members should be required to register any gift worth HK\$2,000 or more which they or their spouses received in relation to their membership of the Council.

Hon Paul CHAN

The Member suggests that:

- (a) the requisite 14-day time limit for Members to de-register their registrable interests of "directorships", "remunerated employment", "clients", "shareholdings" and "land and property" should be extended, as providing information on the date of ceasing to have such registrable interests is not crucial for the purpose of registration of Members' interests; and
- (b) the proposed revised format of the Registration Form on Members Interests can be further enhanced.

(Political affiliation undeclared/Independents) (2 Members)

Abbreviations

BPA Business and Professionals Alliance

CA Civic Act-up CP Civic Party

DAB Democratic Alliance for the Betterment and Progress of Hong Kong

DP Democratic Party
ES Economic Synergy

FHKKLU The Federation of Hong Kong and Kowloon Labour Unions HKADPL Hong Kong Association for Democracy and People's Livelihood

HKCTU Hong Kong Confederation of Trade Unions HKFTU The Hong Kong Federation of Trade Unions HKSWGU Hong Kong Social Workers' General Union

LP Liberal Party

LSD League of Social Democrats

NPP New People's Party

NWSC Neighbourhood and Workers' Service Centre

PF The Professionals Forum

PP People Power

Proposed amendments to Rule 83 of the Rules of Procedure

83. Registration of Interests

- (1) Except for the purpose of making registration of interests under subrule (2), every Member shall, not later than the first meeting of each term, furnish to the Clerk, in such the form as may be approved by the President specified in Schedule 2, particulars of his registrable interests. (L.N. 107 of 1999)
- (2) Every new Member of the Legislative Council shall, within 14 days from the date of his becoming a new Member to fill a vacant seat, furnish to the Clerk, in such the form as may be approved by the President specified in Schedule 2, particulars of his registrable interests.
- (3) Every Member shall furnish to the Clerk, in such *the* form as may be approved by the President specified in Schedule 2, particulars of any change in such registrable interests, within 14 days of any such change.
- (4) The Clerk shall cause those particulars to be entered in a Register of Members' Interests and that register shall be available for inspection by any person during office hours.
 - (5) In this Rule, "registrable interests" means
 - (a) remunerated directorships of companies, public or private, and if the company concerned is a subsidiary of another company within the meaning of section 2(4) of the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 32), also the name of that other company; (*L.N. 73 of 2006*)
 - (b) remunerated employments, offices, trades, professions or vocations;
 - (c) the names of clients when the interests referred to above include personal services by Members which arise out of or are related in any manner to his membership of the Council;

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- (d) (i) all donations, as a candidate in the Legislative Council election in which the Member was elected as a Member of the Council, received by the Member or any person on his behalf for the purpose of meeting the Member's election expenses in the election; or (L.N. 107 of 1999)
 - (ii) financial sponsorships, as a Member of the Council, by any person or organization, stating whether any such sponsorships include any payment or any material benefit or advantage to the Member or his spouse, whether direct or indirect; (L.N. 107 of 1999)
- (e) overseas visits made by the Member or his spouse relating to or arising out of membership of the Council where the cost of any such visit has not been wholly borne by the Member or public funds;
- (f) any payments or any material benefits or advantages received by the Member or his spouse arising out of his membership of the Council from or on behalf of:
 - (i) any government or organization of a place outside Hong Kong; or
 - (ii) any person who is not a Hong Kong permanent resident:
- (g) land and property;
- (h) the names of companies or other bodies in which the Member has, to his knowledge, either himself or with or on behalf of his spouse or infant children, a beneficial interest in shareholdings of a nominal value greater than one-hundredth of the issued share capital.;
- (i) remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations.

Legend:

Texts proposed to be added are shown in italics Texts proposed to be deleted are shown with deletion lines

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE HONG KONG SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION

Registration Form on Members' Interests



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Important Notes

Time limits for registration of interests

Every Member is required to not later than the first meeting of each term furnish to the Clerk to the Legislative Council ("LegCo") in the Registration Form on Members' Interests ("the Registration Form") particulars of his registrable interests (Rule 83(1) of the Rules of Procedure ("RoP")).

2. Every Member is required to furnish to the Clerk to LegCo within 14 days of any change to his registrable interests (Rule 83(3) of RoP)

Register of Members' interests

- 3. Particulars of registrable interests are entered in a Register of Members' Interests ("the Register") for public inspection (Rule 83(4) of RoP).
- 4. The main purpose of the Register is to provide information of any pecuniary interest or other material benefit which a Member receives which might reasonably be thought by others to influence his actions, speeches or votes in the Council, or actions taken in his capacity as a Member of the Council. Members are required to have this general purpose in mind when determining what interests should properly be disclosed.
- 5. It is for individual Members to provide the required information and be responsible for what is recorded about himself in the Register, as each is answerable to his fellow Members and the public.
- 6. The registration of interests is additional to, and in no way a replacement of, the requirement on Members to disclose pecuniary interests under Rule 83A of RoP which is reproduced hereunder:

"In the Council or in any committee or subcommittee, a Member shall not move any motion or amendment relating to a matter in which he has a pecuniary interest, whether direct or indirect, or speak on any such matter, except where he discloses the nature of that interest."

- 7. As far as the RoP are concerned, it is not a breach to receive material benefits, provided that the material benefits are registered in accordance with Rule 83 of RoP. Whether or not the acceptance of a particular material benefit is in contravention of the provisions of the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (Cap. 201) or other Ordinances is a matter for the Member to decide for himself having regard to his own knowledge of the circumstances.
- 8. For details of the registrable interests which are required to be registered under Rule 83 of the RoP, please refer to the explanatory notes in each category of registrable interest in the Registration Form. Further guidance can be found in the Guidelines on Registration of Interests which is available from the LegCo Secretariat and the LegCo website.
- 9. If there is not enough space for completing any section of the Registration Form, additional sheets may be attached to it; but each sheet should carry the Member's signature.

Category

- 1. Directorships
- 2. Remunerated Employment, Offices, etc.
- 3. Clients (arising from or relating in any manner to the membership of the Council)
- 4. Election Donations/Financial Sponsorships
- 5. Overseas Visits
- 6. Payments, benefits and advantages received from any Government or organization of a place outside Hong Kong or from any person who does not qualify as a "Hong Kong permanent resident"
- 7. Land and Property
- 8. Shareholdings
- 9. Remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations
- 10. Miscellaneous

		Category 1-	Directorships	
1(1). D	Oo yo	ou have any remunerated directo	rships in any public or private company?	
•	Yes	No (Plea	ase ✓ where appropriate)	
I	If yes	, please list the details of the comp	any in each case in the table below.	
Notes:	(a)	"Remunerated directorships" include allowance or other material benefit	de all directorships for which a fee, honorarium, is payable.	
	(b)	course of one year where the total remuneration* of a Member of t	to (i) interests received from a single source in the value of such interests exceeds 5% of the annual the Council (*excluding the operating expenses erial benefits exceeding \$10,000 in value.	
	(c)	Remunerated directorships of both l	ocal and overseas companies are registrable.	
	(d)	Remunerated directorships through particulars of remunerated directo updated on an annual basis, at the be	corporate directors are also registrable. However, rships through corporate directors need only be eginning of each legislative session.	
	(e)	Where you are a remunerated director of a company, all remunerated subsidiary or associated directorships which you hold within the same group should also be registered.		
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		first-mentioned company; or the first-mentioned company capital of the first-mentioned	ols the composition of the board of directors of the (ii) controls more than half of the voting power of or (iii) holds more than half of the issued share company (excluding any part of it which carries no specified amount in a distribution of either profits	
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Excluding the registration made before the first meeting of the term

which you are a remunerated director is a subsidiary company of that company

Signature: Date:	
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(If you have more directorships to register, please use the additional sheet provided after this page.)

Name of company	
- Nature of business of the company	
- Nature of work carried out in return for the remuneration	
- Capacity (Please ✓ where appropriate)	☐ Executive Director ☐ Non-Executive Director ☐ Others (please specify)
 Starting date of holding the directorship of the company if the directorship is appointed during the term # 	
- Name of the company if the company of which you are a remunerated director is a subsidiary company of that company	
Name of company	
- Nature of business of the company	
- Nature of work carried out in return for the remuneration	
- Capacity (Please ✓ where appropriate)	☐ Executive Director ☐ Non-Executive Director ☐ Others (please specify)
 Starting date of holding the directorship of the company if the directorship is appointed during the term # 	
- Name of the company if the company of which you are a remunerated director is a subsidiary company of that company	
# Excluding the registration made before the first n	neeting of the term
Please make a copy of this sheet if necessary, and si	gn on every such sheet.)
Signature:	Pate:

	d any directorships of companies which have been registered
	he Legislative Council before the first meeting of the term or asse list the details in the table below.
Details	
Name of company	Date of ceasing to hold the directorship
(Please make a copy of this sheet	et if necessary, and sign on every such sheet.)
Signature:	Date:

Name of Member:	Name of Member:	
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	Category 2 – Remunerated Employment, Offices, etc.				ees, etc.				
	2(1). Are you receiving any remuneration from any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation (apart from membership of the Legislative Council)?								
	Yes ☐ No ☐ (Please ✓ where appropriate)								
	•	s, please list the table below.	e details of the employr	ment, office, trade, o	or profession in each case				
Notes:	(a)		ment, office, trade or pallowance or other materia		erated" where a salary,				
	(b)	course of one remuneration	e year where the total val	lue of such interests of Council (*excluding	rom a single source in the exceeds 5% of the annual g the operating expenses 10,000 in value.				
	(c)	"Remunerated	l offices" should include a	ll "remunerated" publ	ic offices.				
	(d)				ould indicate the nature of onsultant", "legal adviser",				
Detail	S								
	erated ymen		Nature of business of the firm (if a firm is named)	Nature of work carried out in return for the remuneration	Starting date of being engaged in the employment, office, trade or profession if the engagement is made during the term #				
# Exclud	ding th	ne registration	made before the first mee	eting of the term					
Signat	ure:		Dat	e:					

(If you have more remunerated employment, office, trade, or profession to register, please use the additional sheet provided after this page.)

Category 2- Remunerated Employment, Offices, etc. 2(1) (cont'd)

Name of Member:			
Name of the remunerated employment, office, trade, or profession	Nature of business of the firm (if a firm is named)	Nature of work carried out in return for the remuneration	Starting date of being engaged in the employment, office, trade or profession if the engagement is made during the term #
# Excluding the registration	on made before the first me	eting of the term	
(Please make a copy of this	sheet if necessary, and sign	on every such sheet.)	
Signature:	Dat	te:	

Name of Member:	Name of Member:							
profession which has been regist	profession which has been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council before the first meeting of the term or during the term, please list the details in the							
Details								
Name of the remunerated employment, office, trade, or profession	Date of ceasing to engage in the remunerated employment, office, trade or profession							
(Please make a copy of this sheet if necessary, a	and sign on every such sheet.)							
Signature:	Date:							

Name of	Member:						

		Category 3	– Clients	
(aris	ing from or	relating in any mann	er to the membersh	ip of the Council)
Cate of se	egory 2 (Remervices which	unerated employment	t, offices, etc.) entail	ry 1 (Directorships) or the provision to clients to your position as a
Yes		No [(Please	e ✓ where appropriate)	
If ye	s, please list o	letails in each case in the	e table below.	
Notes: (a)	knowledge, employee of category are the Council	rendered by an organi or office holder. Some e: a solicitor Member's fin on a bill, and an account	zation of which you e examples of registr rm acts for a client in tant Member's firm ac	ersonally or those, to your a are a partner, director, rable interests under this making representations to the for a client in preparing liberations by the Finance
(b)	interests wit the names o	hin his knowledge. It we	ould not be necessary	ligation is to register those for the Member to find out services were rendered by
Details				
Name of the	e client	Nature of business of the client	Nature of work carried out in return for the remuneration	Starting date of provision of service to the client if such employment is engaged during the term #
# Excluding t	he registration	made before the first me	eeting of the term	
Signature:		Da	te:	
(If you have 1	nore clients to	register, please use the a	additional sheet provid	led after this page.)

Name of the client	Nature of business of the client	Nature of work carried out in return for the remuneration	Starting date of provision of service to the client if such employment is engaged during the term #
Excluding the registration	on made before the first me	eeting of the term	
Please make a copy of thi	s sheet if necessary, and sign	n on every such sheet.)	
Signature:	Da	te:	

Name of Member:	<u>Category 3- Client</u>
the Clerk to the Legisla	loyment under this category which has been registered with ative Council before the first meeting of the term or during details in the table below.
Details	
Name of the client	Date of ceasing the provision of service to the client
(Please make a copy of this sheet if	necessary, and sign on every such sheet.)

Date:

Signature:

	Category 4 – Election Donations / Financial Sponsorships						
4(1).	Did you receive any election donation (see note (a) below) towards your being elected to the membership of the Legislative Council?						
	Yes		No				
Notes:	(a)	Con	ection donation" has the same meaning as in the Elections (Corrupt and Illegal duct) Ordinance (Cap. 554). Under the Ordinance, "election donation" means of the following donations —				
		(i)	any money given to or in respect of the candidate or candidates for the purpose of meeting, or contributing towards meeting, the election expenses of the candidate or candidates;				
		(ii)	any goods given to or in respect of the candidate or candidates for the purpose of promoting the election of the candidate or candidates or of prejudicing the election of another candidate or other candidates, and includes any goods given incidental to the provision of voluntary service;				
		(iii)	any service provided to or in respect of the candidate or candidates for the purpose of promoting the election of the candidate or candidates or of prejudicing the election of another candidate or other candidates, but does not include voluntary service.				
	(b)	Men he is (Cor	the purpose of stating the details of sponsor(s) and election donation involved, a mber may attach a copy of the election return relating to election donations which is required to lodge with the Election Committee under s.37(1)(b) of the Elections trupt and Illegal Conduct) Ordinance (Cap. 554). However, copies of receipts are required.				
			lease list details of the sponsor(s) and the amount involved in each case ee note (b) above).				
Signat	ure:		Date:				

4(2).	Have you or your spouse received any payment, or any material benefit or advantage from any person or organization which in any way relates to your membership of the Legislative Council?							
	Yes		No 🗌	(Please ✓ where appropriate)				
Notes:	(a)		nd timely return	make the necessary enquiries of his spouse in order to make on on the registration of interests relating to financial				
	(b)	course of remunera	one year where tion* of a Men	it" refers to (i) interests received from a single source in the the total value of such interests exceeds 5% of the annual mber of the Council (*excluding the operating expenses e-off material benefits exceeding \$10,000 in value.				
	(c)			material benefit or advantage received <i>gratis</i> or at a price able to members of the public.				
	(d)	Where a business.	company is nar	amed as sponsor, please indicate briefly the nature of its				
Signatı				Date:				

Name of	f Meml	oer:						

	Category 5 – Overseas Visits									
5.	Have you or your spouse made any overseas visits relating to or in any varising out of your membership of the Legislative Council where the cost of visit was not wholly borne by yourself or by public funds of Hong Kong?									
	Yes ☐ No ☐ (Please ✓ where appropriate)									
	If yes, please list details in the table below.									
Notes: (a) A Member is expected to make the necessary enquiries of his spouse in order to make a return on the registration of interests relating to overseas visits.										
	(b)	"Overseas visits" is interpreted to inc	lude all visits outside Hong Kong.							
	(c)	An interest under this category should of the visit.	d be registered within 14 days of the conclusion							
Deta	ils									
Nam	e(s) of	f the sponsor(s)								
Date	(s) of t	the visit								
Cour	ntry or	place visited								
Purp	ose of	the visit								
whet of pa	her the ssage,	nterest received (Please specify e interest relates to the provision , accommodation, and/or e allowance)								
Estin	nated a	amount/value of the sponsorship								
Signa	ture:	Da	nte:							

	-	6 – Payments, benefits and advantages received from any Government or organization of a place outside Hong Kong or ny person who does not qualify as a "Hong Kong permanent resident"
	advai outsic	you or your spouse received any payments, or material benefits of ntages from or on behalf of any Government or organization of a place de Hong Kong, which in any way relates to your membership of the elative Council?
	Yes [No ☐ (Please ✓ where appropriate)
Notes:	(a)	A Member is expected to make the necessary enquiries of his spouse in order to make a return on the registration of interests under this category.
	(b)	Overseas hospitality and travel facilities should be entered under Category 5 (Overseas Visits).
	(c)	Payments or material benefits include such benefits received by a company in which a Member has a controlling interest, or the largest shareholding, as well as payments or material benefits received by the Member personally.
	(d)	The term "material benefit" refers to (i) interests received from a single source in the course of one year where the total value of such interests exceeds 5% of the annual remuneration* of a Member of the Council (*excluding the operating expenses reimbursement); or (ii) one-off material benefits exceeding \$10,000 in value.
	If yes	, please give details.

Signature:	Date:	

	Yes [nip of the Legislative Council? No □ (Please ✓ where appropriate)
otes:		A M	dember is expected to make the necessary enquiries of his spouse in order to make turn on the registration of interests under this category.
	(b)	Ove	rseas hospitality and travel facilities should be entered under Category serseas Visits).
	(c)	The	definition of "Hong Kong permanent resident" given in Paragraph 2 of Article 24 ne Basic Law is as follows:
		(1)	Chinese citizens born in Hong Kong before or after the establishment of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region;
		(2)	Chinese citizens who have ordinarily resided in Hong Kong for a continuous period of not less than seven years before or after the establishment of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region;
		(3)	Persons of Chinese nationality born outside Hong Kong of those residents listed in categories (1) and (2);
		(4)	Persons not of Chinese nationality who have entered Hong Kong with valid travel documents, have ordinarily resided in Hong Kong for a continuous period of not less than seven years and have taken Hong Kong as their place of permanent residence before or after the establishment of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region;
		(5)	Persons under 21 years of age born in Hong Kong of those residents listed in category (4) before or after the establishment of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region; and
		(6)	Persons other than those residents listed in categories (1) to (5), who, before the establishment of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, had the right o abode in Hong Kong only.
	(d)	Men	ments or material benefits include such benefits received by a company in which an a controlling interest, or the largest shareholding, as well as payments of erial benefits received by the Member personally.
	(e)	cour	term "material benefit" refers to (i) interests received from a single source in the rise of one year where the total value of such interests exceeds 5% of the annual uneration* of a Member of the Council (*excluding the operating expense abursement); or (ii) one-off material benefits exceeding \$10,000 in value.
	If yes	, plea	se give details.

N	ame c	of I	M	lember:						
IΝ	ame c)]]	V	ember:						

	Category 7 –	Land and	Property										
7(1). Do you have an	ny land or property in	Hong Ko	ng or elsew	here?									
Yes 🗆	No (1	Please ✓ whe	re appropriate	9)									
If yes, please	If yes, please list details of each case in the table below.												
Notes: (a) The requirement is to register the general location and nature of the land or property owned by a Member and whether any income is derived from such land or property. Detailed addresses are not necessary.													
	y or principal residence i need not be registered un			Member owns and ordinarily me from it.									
any pec owned l or throu registral shareho registral or deriv a Memb	uniary interest deriving from the Member in his own the Member in his own the Member person. In the light where the Member has been where the Member made any pecuniary interest from the Member made and	rom it. Reg n name, or h he case of h nas control e of holding ay dispose of from that lar h the Memb	gistrable interested indirectly olding through and the land or do or property or has no aut	ght over its disposition or has rest includes land or property y such as through a company gh a company, the interest is pany or has more than 50% other person, the interest is property through that person y. Land or property held by conomous right of disposition ed.									
Location of the land or property (e.g. in Central district on Hong	Nature of the land or property (e.g. residential property, commercial	Whether income is (Please 🗸 appropriate	received where	Date of owning or holding the land or property if the land or property is owned or held during the term #									
Kong Island)	property, car parking space, etc.)	Yes	No										
# Excluding the registra	ntion made before the first	st meeting o	f the term	ı									
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Category7 - Land and property

7(1) (cont'd)

Location of the land or property (e.g. in Central district on Hong Kong Island)	or property (e.g. residential property, commercial property, car parking		er rental e is ed where iate)	Date of owning or holding the land or property if the land o property is owned or held during the term		
	space, etc.)	Yes	No			
Excluding the registration ma	ade before the first mee	ting of th	ne term			

Location of the land or property (e.g. in Central district on Hong Kong Island)	Nature of the land or property (e.g. residential property, commercial property, car parking space, etc.)	Date of ceasing to ow or hold the land or property
Please make a copy of this sheet it	f necessary, and sign on every such sheet	.)

			Category 8 – Shareholding	gs
c]	hildre	en) interests in	yourself or with or on behalf shareholdings in any public or r than 1% of the issued share ca	private company which have a
Y	es [No	opriate)
	If yes	, please list deta	ils in each case in the table below	·
Notes:	(a)	There is no nee	d to register the size, or value of the	shareholdings.
	(b)		" is defined as personal shareholding per in the capacity of a nominee shar	
	(c)	It is the obliga knowledge.	tion of a Member to register intere	ests under this category within his
	(d)	within the know	neld by a Member's spouse are not revledge of the Member, and are held This guideline is equally applicable to children.	by the Member "with or on behalf
Details	S			
Name	e of th	e company	Nature of business of the company	Date of acquisition of the shares if these shares are acquired during the term #
Exclud	ling th	e registration ma	nde before the first meeting of the to	erm
Signat	ure.		Date:	
			rister, please use the additional shee	

<u>Category 8 – Shareholdings</u>

8(1) (cont'd)

Name of the company	Nature of business of the company	Date of acquisition of the shares if these shares are acquired during the term #
excluding the registration m	ade before the first meeting of the to	erm
ease make a copy of this she	et if necessary, and sign on every suc	h sheet.)
ignature:	Date:	

Name of Member:		
	any shares of a company which have been registered ative Council before the first meeting of the term or ne details in the table below.	
Name of the company	Date of ceasing to own the shares of the company	
(Please make a copy of this sheet if necess	sary, and sign on every such sheet.)	
Signature:	Date:	

Category 9 – Remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations				
9(1).	Are you a remunerated member of any board, committee or organization?			
	Yes 🗌	No (1	Please ✓ where appropriate)	
	If yes, please lis	st details in each case	in the table below.	
Note:	A membership benefit is payal		re a salary, honorarium, allowance or other material	
Detai	lls			
(e.g.	ne of the board/co statutory bodies, no nizations, etc.)	ommittee/organizatior n-governmental	Date of becoming a remunerated member of the board/committee/organization if you join the board/committee/organization during the term #	
# Exclu	iding the registrat	ion made before the fir	st meeting of the term	
(Please	make a copy of th	is sheet if necessary, and	d sign on every such sheet.)	
Signa	iture:		Date:	

<u>Category 9 – Remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations</u> 9(1) (cont'd)

Name of the board/committee/organization (e.g. statutory bodies, non-governmental organizations, etc.)	Date of becoming a remunerated member of the board/committee/organization if you join the board/committee/organization during the term #
Excluding the registration made before the first	meeting of the term
ease make a copy of this sheet if necessary, and s	ign on every such sheet.)
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Category 9 - Remunerated membership of boards, committees or other organizations

Name of Member:		
9(2). If you ceased to be a remunerated member of any board, committee or organization which has been registered with the Clerk to the Legislative Council before the first meeting of the term or during the term, please list the details in the table below.		
Name of the board/committee/organization (e.g. statutory bodies, non-governmental organizations, etc.)	Date of ceasing to be a remunerated member	
Please make a copy of this sheet if necessary, and sign on o	every such sheet.)	
Signature: Date:		

Name of Member:	
Name of Member:	

Category 10 – Miscellaneous			
10.	If, bearing in mind the purpose of the Register of Members' Interests set out in the Guidelines on Registration of Interests, you have any relevant interests which you consider should be disclosed but which do not fall within the nine categories set out above, please give details below.		
Sign	nature: Date:		