

# 立法會

## *Legislative Council*

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### **Paper for the House Committee meeting on 2 December 2011**

### **LegCo Fun Day 2012**

#### **Purpose**

This paper seeks Members' views on the holding of a Legislative Council (LegCo) Fun Day, with the participation of LegCo Members and LegCo beat reporters, at the end of March 2012 in the LegCo Complex.

#### **Background**

2. The LegCo Fun Day is an event held since 1987 to enhance the amiable relationship between LegCo Members and LegCo beat reporters. At the House Committee meeting on 10 December 2004, Members decided that the LegCo Fun Day should be held in the last legislative session of each LegCo term. Accordingly, the Fun Day for the Third LegCo was held on 9 May 2008, with 26 Members and 58 reporters participating in a buffet dinner and games at the Dining Hall of the old LegCo Building. In line with previous practices, the expenditure of the LegCo Fun Day was equally shared by all LegCo Members. The expenditure borne by each Member for the Fun Day held on 9 May 2008 was \$540.

3. In considering a series of activities to mark the opening of the Legislative Council Complex, The Legislative Council Commission agreed at its meeting on 22 November 2011 that the LegCo Fun Day for the Fourth LegCo should be held as part of this series of house-warming

activities and suggested it be held at the end of March 2012. In the course of discussion, it was also suggested that its format could follow that of the Fun Day in 2008 and the organizing of this event should be taken up by an organizing committee to be chaired by the Chairman of the House Committee and comprising Members and representatives of the LegCo beat reporters. The expenditure should also be equally shared by all LegCo Members.

### **Advice Sought**

4. Members are invited to advise:
  - (a) whether the LegCo Fun Day for the Fourth LegCo should be held towards the end of March 2012; and if so,
  - (b) whether an organizing committee chaired by the Chairman of the House Committee and comprising Members and representatives of the LegCo beat reporters should be formed to decide on the details of the Fun Day.

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