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Dear Mr Chui

Legislative Council Subcommittee on Poverty Meeting on 7 July 2014

I refer to requests for information by Members of the Subcommittee at the captioned meeting and list below the required information -

- (a) number of convicted fraud Comprehensive Social Security Assistance (CSSA) cases involving new arrivals in 2011, 2012 and 2013 respectively

The Social Welfare Department (SWD) does not have breakdown on the number of convicted fraud CSSA cases involving new arrivals.

- (b) number of able-bodied and unemployed CSSA recipients who had participated in the Integrated Employment Assistance Programme for Self-reliance (IEAPS) of SWD

Since the commencement of the IEAPS in January 2013 up to end July 2014, a total of 22 166 able-bodied unemployed CSSA recipients have participated in the project.



If you need further information, please contact me or Mr Lau Kwok-wo,
Chief Social Security Officer, at 2231 5888.

Yours sincerely

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c.c. Secretary for Labour and Welfare (Attn: Mr Jeremy Poon)