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Subcommittee on Poverty

Paper for the meeting on 22 November 2013

**Subjects to be discussed at meetings
in December 2013 to February 2014**

Purpose

This paper seeks members' views on subjects to be discussed by the Subcommittee on Poverty ("the Subcommittee") at its meetings in December 2013 to February 2014.

Subjects to be discussed at its meetings

2. At a previous meeting of the Subcommittee, members agreed to decide on, at its monthly meeting, subjects to be discussed at meetings in the following three months. The proposed subjects for discussion at its meetings in December 2013 to February 2014 are set out in the table below for members' consideration.

Date and time of meeting	Proposed subjects for discussion	Remarks
17 December 2013 (Tuesday) 8:30am	(1) Community Care Fund	Item proposed by the Administration. The Administration intends to brief the Subcommittee on the work progress of the Community Care Fund and the related matters. Discussion of this item will last for about half an hour.

Date and time of meeting	Proposed subjects for discussion	Remarks
	(2) Ways to alleviate poverty through information technology	Items include: review on the Internet Learning Support Programme; enhancing lifelong learning support for people from low-income families; strengthening the network coverage for medical services and community care services for the elderly; and enhancing social innovation development.
January 2014 (Exact date and time to be confirmed)	Alleviating poverty through promoting local community economy and assisting the public to start up business in an innovative manner	-
February 2014 (Exact date and time to be confirmed)	To be advised by members	Subjects pending discussion by the Subcommittee include: relationship between public health condition and poverty; social security system; intergenerational poverty (including children and youth in poverty); women in poverty; and social enterprises.

Advice sought

3. Members are invited to give views on subjects to be discussed by the Subcommittee at its meetings in the coming three months.