

Panel on Security

List of follow-up actions
(position as 25 February 2013)

Subject	Date of Meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
1. Admission Scheme for Mainland Talents and Professionals ("ASMTP")	4 April 2003 (Joint meeting with the Panel on Manpower)	The Administration agreed to provide members with progress reports on ASMTP on a regular basis.	Progress report on the Scheme for the period from 1 April to 30 September 2012 circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(2)122/12-13(01) on 30 October 2012.
2. Problem of indebtedness of Police officers	-	<p>The Administration was requested to provide the following information on a half-yearly basis -</p> <p>(a) the number of Police officers with unmanageable debts together with a breakdown of reasons for incurring debts;</p> <p>(b) a breakdown of the number of incoming and outgoing Police officers with unmanageable debts;</p>	<p>Statistics for the period up to the second half of 2012 circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(2)504/12-13(01) on 17 January 2013.</p> <p>- Ditto -</p>

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		<p>(c) a breakdown of the periods for which these officers had had unmanageable debts;</p> <p>(d) the number of garnishee orders (i.e. notice of tax recovery) issued to Police officers and a breakdown of the amount of garnishee orders issued; and</p> <p>(e) the number of Police officers who were at the same time receiving notice of tax recovery and repaying salary advances under Civil Service Regulation 618 and loans from the Police Welfare Fund.</p>	<p>Statistics for the period up to the second half of 2012 circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(2)504/12-13(01) on 17 January 2013.</p> <p>- Ditto -</p> <p>- Ditto -</p>
3. Statistics on Police's searches on detainees	Meetings of the Subcommittee on Police's Handling of Sex Workers and Searches of Detainees	The Administration was requested to provide the Panel on Security with statistics on Level III(c) searches involving full removal of underwear conducted on detainees and the nature of offences involved on a quarterly	Statistics for the period between 1 October 2012 and 31 December 2012 circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(2)464/12-13 on 10 January 2013.

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4. Manpower situation in the Independent Commission Against Corruption ("ICAC")	5 January 2010	<p>The Administration was requested to provide the following information -</p> <p>(a) the number of posts in the public service which did not set any limit on the tenure or prescribe the retirement age; and</p> <p>(b) the arrangements for appointment of the Commissioner of ICAC in the fourth term of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, including the criteria adopted by the fourth-term Chief Executive for nominating the person for appointment and the tenure of office of the incumbent Commissioner.</p>	<p>Response awaited.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">- Ditto -</p>

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<p>5. Police's crowd control arrangements in relation to public meetings and public processions</p>	<p>4 July 2012</p>	<p>The Administration was requested -</p> <p>(a) to provide the specifications of the large canister of pepper spray which was used in a demonstration during the visit of President Hu Jintao to Hong Kong in June/July 2012;</p> <p>(b) to make arrangements for a test of the large and small canisters of pepper spray by an independent laboratory, including testing the pressure per square inch when spraying at a distance within two metres;</p> <p>(c) to provide the news footage on the relevant use of large canister pepper spray during the demonstrations; and</p> <p>(d) to provide a report on the force analysis and inclination of water barriers, including the dates and time</p>	<p>Response awaited.</p> <p>- Ditto -</p> <p>- Ditto -</p> <p>- Ditto -</p>

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		of the demonstration involved and the provision of photos if possible.	
6. Upgrading of Tseung Kwan O Police Division to a Police District	4 January 2013	<p>The Administration was requested to provide information on -</p> <p>(a) whether there had been any cases where members of the public in Tseung Kwan O district were requested to report crime in a police station in another district; and</p> <p>(b) the social and community services provided by relevant bureaux/ departments for the youth in Tseung Kwan O and the feasibility of extending the opening hours of sports and recreational facilities in the district.</p>	<p>Response awaited.</p> <p>- Ditto -</p>

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7. Guidelines on application of necessary force on inmates by Correctional Services Staff	4 January 2013	The Administration was requested to provide, in relation to cases in which officers of the Correctional Services Department used necessary force on inmates in the past five years, the number of injuries and deaths involved, if any, the follow-up actions taken in the cases, and a breakdown of the cases under the category "other act of violence".	Response circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(2)667/12-13 on 20 February 2013.
8. Transportation of cross-boundary students	28 January 2013	The Administration was requested to provide information on the respective number of cross-boundary students using different land boundary control points.	Response awaited.
9. Corruption in the public sector	28 January 2013	ICAC was requested to provide further information on the illicit activities referred to in paragraph 6 of its paper entitled "2013 Policy Address - Briefing by the Commissioner, Independent Commission Against Corruption" (LC Paper No. CB(2)492/12-13(01)) and why law enforcement actions had	Response awaited.

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		not been taken in the cases concerned.	
10. Crime situation in 2012	29 January 2013	<p>The Police was requested to provide statistics for 2012 on -</p> <p>(a) illegal car racing, illegal gambling and throwing of objects from height;</p> <p>(b) public meetings and public processions on which the Police had not received any prior notification;</p> <p>(c) reports, arrests and prosecution relating to domestic violence; and</p> <p>(d) crime relating to the tampering of automatic teller machines.</p>	<p>Response awaited.</p> <p>- Ditto -</p> <p>Response awaited.</p> <p>- Ditto -</p>