# 立法會 Legislative Council

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# **House Committee of the Legislative Council**

# Minutes of the 13th meeting held in Conference Room 1 of the Legislative Council Complex at 2:30 pm on Friday, 17 January 2014

### **Members present:**

Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, GBS, JP (Chairman)

Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, SC (Deputy Chairman)

Hon James TO Kun-sun

Hon CHAN Kam-lam, SBS, JP

Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung

Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP

Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP

Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, GBS, JP

Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, SBS, JP

Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, SBS, JP

Hon Vincent FANG Kang, SBS, JP

Hon WONG Kwok-hing, BBS, MH

Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, SBS, JP, PhD, RN

Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung, GBS, JP

Hon WONG Ting-kwong, SBS, JP

Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan

Hon Starry LEE Wai-king, JP

Hon CHAN Hak-kan, JP

Hon CHAN Kin-por, BBS, JP

Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun, SBS, JP

Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che

Hon WONG Kwok-kin, BBS

Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee, GBS, JP

Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun, JP

Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC

Hon Claudia MO

Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP

Hon Steven HO Chun-yin

Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming

Hon WU Chi-wai, MH

Hon YIU Si-wing

Hon Charles Peter MOK

Hon CHAN Chi-chuen

Hon CHAN Han-pan

Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok

Hon CHAN Yuen-han, SBS, JP

Hon LEUNG Che-cheung, BBS, MH, JP

Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen, JP

Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki

Hon KWOK Wai-keung

Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung, JP

Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung

Hon SIN Chung-kai, SBS, JP

Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan

Hon IP Kin-yuen

Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT, JP

Hon POON Siu-ping, BBS, MH

Hon TANG Ka-piu

Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan, JP

Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok, BBS, MH, JP

Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan

Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun, BBS, MH, JP

Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen

#### **Members absent:**

Hon Albert HO Chun-yan

Hon LEE Cheuk-yan

Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat, GBM, GBS, JP

Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai, SBS, JP

Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau

Hon IP Kwok-him, GBS, JP

Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung

Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip

Hon WONG Yuk-man

Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun, BBS, JP

Hon NG Leung-sing, SBS, JP

Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai

Hon MA Fung-kwok, SBS, JP

Hon Kenneth LEUNG

Hon Dennis KWOK

Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong, JP

#### Clerk in attendance:

Miss Flora TAI Clerk to the House Committee

#### Staff in attendance:

Mr Kenneth CHEN, SBS Secretary General Mr Jimmy MA, JP Legal Adviser

Mrs Justina LAM Deputy Secretary General Assistant Secretary General 1 Mr Andy LAU **Assistant Secretary General 3** Miss Odelia LEUNG Assistant Secretary General 4 Mrs Percy MA Ms Connie FUNG Senior Assistant Legal Adviser 1 Mr Arthur CHEUNG Senior Assistant Legal Adviser 2 Mr KAU Kin-wah Senior Assistant Legal Adviser 3 Principal Council Secretary 1 Ms Dora WAI Ms Emily PANG **Chief Public Information Officer** Ms Amy YU Chief Council Secretary (2)6 Mr Jove CHAN Senior Council Secretary (2)2 Miss Josephine SO Senior Council Secretary (2)6

Miss Jasmine TAM Council Secretary (2)6

Ms Anna CHEUNG Senior Legislative Assistant (2)3

Mr Arthur KAN Legislative Assistant (2)7

Action

# I. Confirmation of the minutes of the 12th meeting held on 10 January 2014

(LC Paper No. CB(2)673/13-14)

The minutes were confirmed.

#### II. Matters arising

Report by the Chairman on his meeting with the Chief Secretary for Administration

2. The Chairman said that there was nothing special to report.

#### III. Further business for the Council meeting of 22 January 2014

#### (a) Tabling of papers

Report No. 10/13-14 of the House Committee on Consideration of Subsidiary Legislation and Other Instruments

(LC Paper No. CB(2)675/13-14 issued vide LC Paper No. CB(3)335/13-14 dated 16 January 2014)

- 3. <u>The Chairman</u> said that the Report covered two items of subsidiary legislation, i.e. the Waste Disposal (Designated Waste Disposal Facility) (Amendment) Regulation 2013 (L.N. 188/2013) and the Waste Disposal (Refuse Transfer Station) (Amendment) Regulation 2013 (L.N. 189/2013), the period for amendment of which would expire at the Council meeting of 22 January 2014.
- 4. The Chairman further said that three Members had indicated their intention to speak on the two Regulations. As the Administration would move a proposed resolution at the Council meeting to amend one of the Regulations (i.e. L.N. 188/2013), Members would have the opportunity to speak on these two related Regulations. As such, he would not move a motion in his capacity as Chairman of the House Committee ("HC") to take note of the Report in relation to the two Regulations. Members noted the arrangement.
- (b) Bills resumption of debate on Second Reading, Committee Stage and Third Reading

## Air Pollution Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2013

5. <u>The Chairman</u> said that the Bills Committee on the above Bill had reported to HC at the last meeting. Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill.

### (c) <u>Government motions</u>

- (i) Proposed resolution to be moved by the Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs under section 8 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547)

  (Wording of the proposed resolution issued vide LC Paper No. CB(3)324/13-14 dated 10 January 2014.)
- 6. <u>The Chairman</u> said that the Administration had given fresh notice to move a proposed resolution in relation to the District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedules 1 and 3) Order 2013 at the Council meeting. The Subcommittee which scrutinized the Order had reported to HC at the last meeting.
  - (ii) Proposed resolution to be moved by the Secretary for the Environment under section 34(2) of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1)

# in relation to the Waste Disposal (Designated Waste Disposal Facility) (Amendment) Regulation 2013

(Wording of the proposed resolution issued vide LC Paper No. CB(3)340/13-14 dated 17 January 2014.)

7. <u>The Chairman</u> said that the Administration would move a proposed resolution at the Council meeting to amend the above Regulation. The Subcommittee which scrutinized the Regulation had reported to HC at the last meeting.

# (d) <u>Members' motions</u>

Proposed resolution to be moved by Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki under section 34(4) of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1) in relation to the Antiquities and Monuments (Declaration of Historical Buildings) (No. 2) Notice 2013

(Wording of the proposed resolution issued vide LC Paper No. CB(3)334/13-14 dated 15 January 2014.)

8. <u>The Chairman</u> said that Dr KWOK Ka-ki, Chairman of the Subcommittee on the above Notice, would move a proposed resolution at the Council meeting to extend the scrutiny period of the Notice to the Council meeting of 26 February 2014.

#### IV. Position on Bills Committees and subcommittees

(LC Paper No. CB(2)674/13-14)

9. The Chairman said that as at 16 January 2014, there were seven Bills Committees (one of which would need to work beyond three months since its commencement), five subcommittees under HC and seven subcommittees on policy issues under Panels in action. Four subcommittees on policy issues were on the waiting list.

# V. Any other business

10. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 2:32 pm.

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