

**Subcommittee on Country Parks
(Designation) (Consolidation) (Amendment) Order 2013**

**Follow-up actions to be taken by the Administration
for the meeting on 6 November 2013**

The Administration was requested to provide the following information:

- (1) To facilitate members' consideration of whether the inclusion of the enclaves of the Sai Kung East Country Park ("SKECP"), the Kam Shan Country Park ("KSCP") and the Tai Lam Country Park ("TLCP") into the three respective country parks would have an impact on the rights of the villagers who live in or own land in the enclaves --
 - (a) the background to designation of land as country parks in the 1970s, with particular reference to SKECP, KSCP and TLCP, detailed information about why certain areas were excluded from these three parks, and the views objecting to the inclusion of these areas into country parks at that time; and
 - (b) the minutes of meetings between the Hong Kong Government and Heung Yee Kuk in the 1970s regarding the designation of land in the New Territories as country parks, including the discussion on how to allay indigenous villagers' concern about the impact of the initiative on the ownership and development of their land.
- (2) To allow members to have a better understanding of section 3(2) of the Country Parks (Designation) (Consolidation) (Amendment) Order 2013--
 - (a) Plan No. CP/SK(E)^A approved on 17 January 1978 by the Governor in Council; and
 - (b) Plan No. CP/SK(E)^B approved on 7 May 2013 by the Chief Executive in Council.