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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES

No. 24

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 4 May 2016 at 11:00 am, Thursday 5 May 2016 at 9:00 am and Friday 6 May 2016 at 9:00 am

Attendance

The attendance of Members, public officers and Clerks is in the Official Record of Proceedings.

Tabling of Papers

(gazetted on 29.4.2016)

The following papers were laid on the table under Rule 21(2) of the Rules of Procedure:

Subsidiary Legislation / Instruments Waste Disposal (Designated Waste Disposal Facility) Regulation (Amendment of Schedule 1) Notice 2016 (gazetted on 29.4.2016) Waste Disposal (Charges for Disposal of Construction Waste) Regulation (Amendment of Schedule 4) Notice 2016 (gazetted on 29.4.2016) Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulation 2016

Other Papers

No. 91 - Quality Education Fund
 Financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2015
 (published on 27.4.2016)

- No. 92 Education Development Fund
 Financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2015
 (published on 27.4.2016)
- No. 93 Securities and Futures Commission
 Approved budget of income and expenditure for the financial year 2016/2017
 (published on 27.4.2016)
- 4. No. 94 Supplementary Legal Aid Fund Annual Report 2014 (published on 29.4.2016)

Questions

Written replies to Questions 1 to 16 as set out on the Agenda were supplied to Members.

Government Bill

Committee stage

Appropriation Bill 2016 : The Financial Secretary

(During the Committee stage of the Bill, the meeting was suspended at 7:44 pm on 4 May and resumed at 9:00 am on 5 May, and was suspended at 7:53 pm on 5 May and resumed at 9:00 am on 6 May 2016.)

The Council went into committee to continue the consideration of the Schedule to the Bill. The committee continued the fourth debate under the theme of "Land, Housing,"

Transportation, Environment and Conservation". After Members and a public officer had respectively spoken on the amendments, the fourth debate came to a close.

The Chairman ordered a joint debate on the fifth and the sixth debates under the themes of "Economic Development" and "Education, Manpower, Youth, Arts and Culture and Sports", covering 129 amendments to 27 heads as set out in the Official Record of Proceedings. Members spoke on the amendments. Hon CHAN Chi-chuen drew the attention of the Chairman to the absence of a quorum. The Chairman then directed the Members to be summoned.

Next meeting

After 15 minutes had expired, a quorum was not present. The Council then resumed. The President adjourned the Council in accordance with Rule 17(2) of the Rules of Procedure until 11:00 am on 11 May 2016.

The Council was adjourned at 9:15 am on 6 May 2016.

(Jasper TSANG Yok-sing)
President

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