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Subcommittee on Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 and Specification of Public Offices (Amendment) Notice 2016

Minutes of 3rd meeting held on Tuesday, 14 June 2016, at 4:45 pm in Conference Room 3 of the Legislative Council Complex

Members present	: Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, GBS, JP (Chairman) Hon Steven HO Chun-yin, BBS (Deputy Chairman) Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan, JP Hon CHAN Hak-kan, JP Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun, JP Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC Hon Claudia MO Hon NG Leung-sing, SBS, JP Hon YIU Si-wing, BBS Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai Hon MA Fung-kwok, SBS, JP Hon CHAN Chi-chuen Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT, JP Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan, JP Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen, BBS Hon Alvin YEUNG Ngok-kiu
Members	: Hon CHAN Han-pan, JP
absent	Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun, BBS, MH, JP

Public Officers	:	Items I and II
attending		Mr Christopher WONG Kwok-bun, JP Deputy Secretary for Food and Health (Food) 1
		Ms Hinny LAM Shuk-yee Principal Assistant Secretary for Food and Health (Food) 3
		Dr LEUNG Siu-fai, JP Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation
		Dr Thomas SIT Hon-chung Assistant Director (Inspection and Quarantine) Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department
		Dr Mary CHOW Ka-wai Senior Veterinary Officer (Animal Management) Development Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department
		Item II only
		Ms Mandy NG Wing-man Senior Government Counsel Department of Justice
		Mr Gary LI Ming-fung Government Counsel Department of Justice
Attendance by invitation	:	Item I Session one
		On Turtle Eagle Workshop
		Mr Danny CHAN Tsz-chun Director
		Animals Asia Foundation Limited
		Miss Karina O'Carroll Animal Welfare Education Manager

Passion Times

Miss CHUNG Yuen-wun Presenter

Civic Passion

Mr CHENG Kam-mun Member

Feline Passion

Mr HANG Kai-cheong Chairman

Society for Abandoned Animals Limited

Ms CHAN Suk-kuen Founder

Individual

Mr CHAN Kwok-keung Sha Tin District Council Member

Youngspiration

Mr WONG Chun-kit Spokesperson

Hong Kong Scottish Fold Sickness Concern Group

Miss WONG Yuen-yee Chairman

Labour Party

Mr KWOK Wing-kin Vice-Chairman

Cheung Chau Animal Care

Miss Ida HO Po-man Chairlady

Hong Kong Rescue Puppies

Ms Hazel Jane Black Chairman

STOP! Save HK's Cats and Dogs

Miss Gloria LI Suk-fun Co-Chairperson

Individual

Ms Amanda Sarah Whitfort, Associate Professor, Department of Professional Legal Education, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong

Individual

Mr YUNG Ming-chau Sha Tin District Council Member

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Hong Kong)

Ms Jane Julie Gray Deputy Director (Veterinary Services)

Land Justice League

Mr CHU Hoi-dick Executive Member

<u>Happy 99</u>

Mr Jeremy TAM Committee Member

Civic Party Animal Rights Concern Group

Ms Dora WONG Convener Session two

動物公民

Ms CHEUNG Yuen-man Member

Dolphin Family

Mr Roni WONG Convener

Treasure Life, Be Kind To Animals Association

Ms Beth WONG Founder

Animal Earth

Mr David WONG Kai-yan Chief Officer

Animal Life Guard Action Group

Ms HO Loy Group Founder

Non-Profit Making Veterinary Services Society Limited

Mr Mark MAK Chi-ho Chairman

Hong Kong Wild Boar Concern Group

Ms HSIEH Hsiao-yang 幹事

動物北斗

Ms WONG May-lan Chief Officer Give Dogs a Home

Ms MAK Shuk-ching Chairlady

Guardian

Ms Jacqueline LEE Sook-mun Founder

18 Districts Animal Protection Commissioners

Miss Zoie CHENG Chief Officer

The Democratic Party

Mr Roy KWONG Spokesperson for Animal Rights

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Ms TANG Tsz-yan Host

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Mr POON Ki-chi Producer

Animal Behaviour Veterinary Practice

Dr Cynthia Smillie Veterinary Behaviourist

Animal Power

Mr POON Wing-Lok Founder

Animal Friends

Ms NG Wing-yee Member

		The Hong Kong Veterinary Association
		Dr Thomas Leslie Mangan President
		The Localists' Regiment of Animals Protection
		Mr Max CHUNG Kin-ping Director
		Individual
		Mr LEE Yik-yeung
		Individual
		Miss YUEN Chi-yan
		Protection of Animals Lantau South
		Miss Jacqueline GREEN Founder
		Individual
		Mr Clarence Ronald LEUNG Kam-shing
Clerk in attendance	:	Miss Josephine SO Chief Council Secretary (2) 2
Staff in attendance	:	Miss Winnie LO Assistant Legal Adviser 7
		Ms Wendy LO Senior Council Secretary (2) 2
		Miss Emma CHEUNG Legislative Assistant (2) 2

<u>Action</u>

I. Meeting with deputations and the Administration

<u>The Subcommittee</u> deliberated (index of proceedings attached at Annex A).

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2. <u>The Subcommittee</u> received oral representations from 42 deputations/individuals on the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 ("the Amendment Regulation") and the Specification of Public Offices (Amendment) Notice 2016 ("the Amendment Notice"). The Administration was requested to provide written response to views expressed/suggestions made by deputations as set out in **Annex B**.

(*Post-meeting note*: The Administration's response was issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(2)1867/15-16(02) on 5 July 2016.)

II. Meeting with the Administration

[File Ref: FH CR 3/3231/07, L.N. 64 of 2016, L.N. 68 of 2016, LC Paper Nos. CB(2)1707/15-16(01) & (02), CB(2)1733/15-16(01) & (02) and CB(2)1645/15-16(02)]

3. <u>Members</u> noted Ms Claudia MO's intention to amend the Amendment Regulation to the effect that a premises licensed under an Animal Trader Licence, a dog breeder licence (category A) and a dog breeder licence (category B) should have a minimum gross floor area of 2 000 square feet; or to repeal the two items of subsidiary legislation.

4. The Subcommittee completed the scrutiny of the Amendment Regulation and the Amendment Notice. The Subcommittee Chairman would report the deliberations of the Subcommittee to the House Committee on 24 June 2016.

III. Any other business

5. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 7:45 pm.

Council Business Division 2 Legislative Council Secretariat 31 August 2016

Proceedings of the meeting of the Subcommittee on Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 and Specification of Public Offices (Amendment) Notice 2016 on Tuesday, 14 June 2016, at 4:45 pm in Conference Room 3 of the Legislative Council Complex

Time marker	Speaker	Subject(s)/Discussion	Action Required
000439 - 000817	Deputy Chairman	The Deputy Chairman's opening remarks	
	leeting with deputations and t	the Administration	
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000818 - 001125	Deputy Chairman Mr Danny CHAN Tsz- chun, On Turtle Eagle Workshop	Presentation of views	
001126 - 001437	Deputy Chairman Miss Karina O'Carroll, Animals Asia Foundation Limited	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(01)]	
001438 - 001653	Deputy Chairman Miss CHUNG Yuen-wun, Passion Times	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(03)]	
001654 - 002008	Deputy Chairman Mr CHENG Kam-mun, Civic Passion	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(04)]	
002009 - 002327	Deputy Chairman Mr HANG Kai-cheong, Feline Passion	Presentation of views	
002328 - 002623	Deputy Chairman Ms CHAN Suk-kuen, Society for Abandoned Animals Limited	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(05)]	
002624 - 002850	Deputy Chairman Mr CHAN Kwok-keung, Sha Tin District Council Member	Presentation of views	
002851 - 003144	Deputy Chairman Mr WONG Chun-kit, Youngspiration	Presentation of views	

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003145 - 003506	Deputy Chairman Miss WONG Yuen-yee, Hong Kong Scottish Fold Sickness Concern Group	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(03)]	
003507 - 003823	Deputy Chairman Mr KWOK Wing-kin, Labour Party	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1786/15-16(01)]	
003824 - 004110	Deputy Chairman Miss Ida HO Po-man, Cheung Chau Animal Care	Presentation of views	
004111 - 004426	Deputy Chairman Ms Hazel Jane Black, Hong Kong Rescue Puppies	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(06)]	
004427 - 004733	Deputy Chairman Miss Gloria LI Suk-fun, STOP! Save HK's Cats and Dogs	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(07)]	
004734 - 005016	Deputy Chairman Ms Amanda Sarah Whitfort, Associate Professor, Department of Professional Legal Education, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(08)]	
005017 - 005329	Deputy Chairman Mr YUNG Ming-chau, Sha Tin District Council Member	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1786/15-16(02)]	
005330 - 005634	Deputy Chairman Ms Jane Julie Gray, The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Hong Kong)	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(09)]	
005635 - 005927	Deputy Chairman Mr CHU Hoi-dick, Land Justice League	Presentation of views	

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005928 - 010239	Deputy Chairman Mr Jeremy TAM, Happy 99	Presentation of views	_
010240 - 010555	Deputy Chairman Ms Dora WONG, Civic Party Animal Rights Concern Group	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(03)]	
010556 - 011102	Deputy Chairman Admin	The Administration's response to deputations' views: (a) the enhanced regulatory regime sought to put dog breeding activities under licensing control. Holders of a dog breeder licence (category A) ("DBLA") and a dog breeder licence (category B) ("DBLB") had to observe the licence conditions attached to their licences and abide by the respective Code of Practice ("CoPs") which set out the required "duty of care" standards and other requirements, including general standards for the licensed premises and enclosures for individual dogs. As these new measures would increase the compliance cost to be borne by prospective dogs breeders, the Administration did not expect that the introduction of the two-tier licensing regime would lead to a significant increase in hobby-breeding activities;	
		 (b) if there was evidence to indicate that any breach of the relevant provisions in the relevant deeds of mutual covenant might render the premises concerned less than suitable to be used for dog breeding activity or adversely affect compliance with the relevant requirements, depending on the circumstances of the particular case, it might be one of the relevant factors for the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation ("DAFC") to take into account when considering whether or not to grant (or renew) the licence; (c) to cope with the anticipated increase in workload, through the provision of seven additional permanent civil service posts and redeployment of staff currently engaged in duties related to the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) Regulations 	

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		 (Cap. 139B), the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department ("AFCD") anticipated that there would be some 30 officers deployed to discharge duties in relation to the licensing of animal trading activities and enhancing the relevant control measures after commencement of the Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 ("the Amendment Regulation"); and (d) the Government would, two years after the coming into being of the new licensing regime, report to the Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene on progress made in implementing the Amendment Regulation. 	
011103 - 011555	Deputy Chairman Mr Gary FAN Mr CHAN Chi-chuen Admin	In response to Mr Gary FAN's enquiry on whether the Administration would work towards the objective of attaining "zero trading" of animals, the Administration advised that it would continue to step up its efforts in promoting animal adoption and to implement measures to enhance animal welfare.	
		Mr Gary FAN and Mr CHAN Chi-chuen asked about AFCD's strategy in conducting inspections on licensed premises of hobby-breeders, which in most cases were situated in residential buildings. Mr CHAN also enquired whether AFCD would conduct surprise inspections on licensed premises, particularly those situated in residential buildings. The Administration advised that in addition to arranging inspections by appointment, AFCD would conduct surprise inspections to enhance enforcement if necessary.	
011556 - 012157		Break	I
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012158 - 012409	Deputy Chairman	The Deputy Chairman's opening remarks	
012410 - 012642	Deputy Chairman Ms CHEUNG Yuen-man, 動物公民	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(04)]	

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012643 - 012953	Chairman Ms MAK Shuk-ching, Give Dogs a Home	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(04)]	
012954 - 013438	Chairman Mr Roy KWONG, The Democratic Party	Presentation of views	
013439 - 013639	Chairman Ms TANG Tsz-yan, ITV Media 動物頻道 - 動人之間	Presentation of views	
013640 - 013952	Chairman Mr POON Ki-chi, ITV Media 動物頻道 - 動物・緣	Presentation of views	
013953 - 014301	Chairman Dr Cynthia Smillie, Animal Behaviour Veterinary Practice	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(12)]	
014302 - 014602	Chairman Mr POON Wing-Lok, Animal Power	Presentation of views	
014603 - 014910	Chairman Ms NG Wing-yee, Animal Friends	Presentation of views	
014911 - 015159	Chairman Dr Thomas Leslie Mangan, The Hong Kong Veterinary Association	Presentation of views [LC Paper Nos. CB(2)1707/15-16(13) and CB(2)1757/15-16(05)]	
015200 - 015507	Chairman Mr Max CHUNG Kin- ping, The Localists' Regiment of Animals Protection	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(14)]	
015508 - 015710	Chairman Miss Jacqueline Green, Protection of Animals Lantau South	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(15)]	
015711 - 020031	Chairman Mr Roni WONG, Dolphin Family	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(11)]	

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020032 - 020350	Chairman Ms Beth WONG, Treasure Life, Be Kind To Animals Association	Presentation of views	
020351 - 020703	Chairman Mr David WONG Kai- yan, Animal Earth	Presentation of views	
020704 - 021020	Chairman Ms HO Loy, Animal Life Guard Action Group	Presentation of views	
021021 - 021351	Chairman Mr Mark MAK Chi-ho, Non-Profit Making Veterinary Services Society Limited	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(05)]	
021352 - 021706	Chairman Ms HSIEH Hsiao-yang, Hong Kong Wild Boar Concern Group	Presentation of views	
021707 - 022016	Chairman Ms WONG May-lan, 動物北斗	Presentation of views	
022017 - 022217	Chairman Ms Jacqueline LEE Sook-mun, Guardian	Presentation of views	
022218 - 022531	Chairman Miss Zoie CHENG, 18 Districts Animal Protection Commissioners	Presentation of views [LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(06)]	
022532 - 022843	Chairman Mr LEE Yik-yeung	Presentation of views	
022844 - 023152	Chairman Miss YUEN Chi-yan	Presentation of views	
023153 - 023507	Chairman Mr Clarence Ronald LEUNG Kam-shing	Presentation of views	

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023508 -	Chairman	The Administration responded to the views of	
024056	Admin	deputations and supplemented that:	
		 (a) upon receipt of an application for a licence, AFCD would arrange inspection to the concerned premises to ensure the applicant could fulfill the licence conditions before determining whether to grant a licence and the total number of dogs allowed to be kept therein; and 	
		(b) under the Amendment Regulation, DAFC was empowered to exempt a person (including individuals and Animal Welfare Organizations) from the requirement to obtain an Animal Trader Licence ("ATL") if DAFC was satisfied that the person was conducting genuine rehoming activities for animal welfare purposes on a non-profit-making basis. DAFC would take into account all relevant factors in deciding whether or not to grant the exemption.	
Item II - N	leeting with the Administr	ration	
024057 - 030014	Chairman Ms Claudia MO Mr Gary FAN Ms Cyd HO	Members raised no query on the Administration's response to issues raised at the meeting on 7 June 2016 (LC Paper No. CB(2) 1707/15-16(02)).	
	ALA7 Admin	Ms Claudia MO indicated an intention to amend the new regulation 5D set out in the Amendment Regulation to the effect that ATL, DBLA and DBLB licensed premises should have a minimum gross floor area of 2 000 square feet; or to repeal the two items of subsidiary legislation. Ms Cyd HO expressed support for Ms MO's proposed amendments to the new regulation 5D. Mr Gary FAN was supportive of Ms MO's proposal to repeal the subsidiary legislation.	
		The Administration's explanation on the rationale for introducing the new regulatory regime to put dog breeding activities under licensing control. The Administration assured members that the total number of dogs that could be kept on any premises licensed under DBLA or DBLB would be subject to the space requirements on the premises concerned as set out in their respective CoPs.	

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		The Legal Adviser to the Subcommittee explained the issues raised in her letter dated 13 June 2016 to the Administration and the Administration's reply to her letter (LC Paper Nos. CB(2)1733/15-16(01) & (02)). Members raised no query on the above letters.	
030015 - 030156	Chairman	The Chairman's closing remarks.	

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Subcommittee on Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 and Specification of Public Offices (Amendment) Notice 2016

Summary of views expressed/suggestions made by deputations/individuals at the meeting on 14 June 2016

	Major views expressed/suggestions made	Administration's response
(1)	The Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 would produce an unintended effect of legalizing private breeding of dogs. If regulatory control over dog breeding activities was considered necessary, the Administration should introduce a single-tier licensing regime for dog breeders and subject all licensees to the more stringent Dog Breeder Licence Category B for more effective enforcement of the amended Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) Regulations (Cap. 139B) and better protection of animal welfare.	
(2)	The Administration should raise the threshold for the granting and renewal of dog breeder licences and put a cap on each type of licence to be issued under the new licensing regime.	
(3)	The Administration should set out more stringent requirements in the Codes of Practice for licensed animal traders and dog breeders as part of the licence conditions, so as to safeguard animal welfare.	
(4)	The Administration should require dog breeders to attend compulsory training to equip themselves with the necessary knowledge and skills for dog breeding. Licensees and their staff (if any) should pass the relevant examination after completion of the training programmes.	

	Major views expressed/suggestions made	Administration's response
(5)	The Administration should allocate adequate resources and manpower for enforcing the enhanced regulatory regime, in particular conducting inspections on licensed animal traders/dog breeders from time to time for compliance check.	
(6)	The Administration should take into account the terms and conditions in land leases and deeds of mutual covenant of a building in determining whether or not to grant/renew a dog breeder licence. To avoid nuisance caused to neighbouring residents and to protect dogs from a poor breeding environment, the Administration should consider prohibiting breeding activities at residential buildings.	
(7)	The Administration should exercise due care in considering exemption for animal welfare organizations from the requirement to obtain an Animal Trader Licence, so as to prevent illegal pet trading activities conducted by commercial breeders who operate under the disguise of animal welfare organizations.	
(8)	The Administration should consider extending the licensing system to cats and other pet animals.	
(9)	The Administration should make reference to animal protection legislation in developed countries/places and provide a timetable for reviewing the new licensing regime after its implementation.	
(10)	The Administration should work towards the objective of achieving "zero pet trading" and consider imposing a total ban on animal trading and breeding in future. The Administration should also	

	Major views expressed/suggestions made	Administration's response
	promote adoption of animals to reduce the number of animal trading.	
(11)	The Administration should set up a dedicated bureau/department to formulate policies on animal welfare and oversee the regulation of animal trading and related business.	

Deputations/Individuals	LC Paper No.
On Turtle Eagle Workshop	-
Animals Asia Foundation Limited	LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(01)
Passion Times	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(03)
Civic Passion	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(04)
Feline Passion	-
Society for Abandoned Animals Limited	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(05)
Mr CHAN Kwok-keung, Sha Tin District Council Member	-
Youngspiration	-
Hong Kong Scottish Fold Sickness Concern Group	LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(03)
Labour Party	LC Paper No. CB(2)1786/15-16(01)
Cheung Chau Animal Care	-
Hong Kong Rescue Puppies	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(06)
STOP! Save HK's Cats and Dogs	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(07)
Ms Amanda Sarah Whitfort, Associate Professor, Department of Professional	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(08)
Legal Education, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong	
Mr YUNG Ming-chau, Sha Tin District Council Member	LC Paper No. CB(2)1786/15-16(02)

Deputations/Individuals	LC Paper No.
The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Hong Kong)	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(09)
Land Justice League	-
Happy 99	-
Civic Party Animal Rights Concern Group	LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(03)
動物公民	LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(04)
Dolphin Family	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(11)
Treasure Life, Be Kind To Animals Association	-
Animal Earth	-
Animal Life Guard Action Group	-
Non-Profit Making Veterinary Services Society Limited	LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(05)
Hong Kong Wild Boar Concern Group	-
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Give Dogs a Home	LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(04)
Guardian	-
18 Districts Animal Protection Commissioners	LC Paper No. CB(2)1733/15-16(06)
The Democratic Party	-
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The Hong Kong Veterinary Association	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(13)
	LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(05)
The Localists' Regiment of Animals Protection	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(14)

Deputations/Individuals	LC Paper No.
Mr LEE Yik-yeung	-
Miss YUEN Chi-yan	-
Protection of Animals Lantau South	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(15)
Mr Clarence Ronald LEUNG Kam-shing	-

Written submissions received from deputations/individuals not attending the Subcommittee meeting

Deputations/Individuals	LC Paper No.
Bring Love Home	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(10)
China Hong Kong Veterinary Association	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(13)
	LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(05)
Mongrel Club	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(16)
Dr Howard WONG, Director, Centre for Animal Welfare, School of Veterinary	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(17)
Medicine, City University of Hong Kong	
Dr Kenneth LAM	LC Paper No. CB(2)1707/15-16(18)
Miss Heliana LEE Hiu-lam	LC Paper No. CB(2)1757/15-16(02)
Hong Kong Kennel Club Limited	LC Paper No. CB(2)1847/15-16(01)