

Panel on Information Technology and Broadcasting

List of follow-up actions

(position as at 3 May 2016)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
1. Procurement of additional production equipment and system for further developing the existing digital terrestrial television service of Radio Television Hong Kong	11.1.2016	<p>The Administration was requested to provide:</p> <p>(a) details of digital terrestrial television ("DTT") programmes provided by Radio Television Hong Kong ("RTHK") to serve a broad spectrum of audiences and cater for the needs of the minority interest groups;</p> <p>(b) explanation on how the proposal to acquire programmes and commission productions for nurturing local talents was relevant to the procurement of additional equipment and system for developing DTT service of RTHK;</p> <p>(c) RTHK's plan and estimated cost to prepare for a full launch of 24-hour service for RTHK TV channel 31; and</p> <p>(d) information on the audience ratings of DTT programmes of RTHK according to surveys conducted by RTHK and the distribution of such ratings among the three DTT channels 31, 32 and 33.</p>	The Administration to take note and follow up.

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2. Issues relating to the operational and handover arrangements of Asia Television Limited on expiry of its domestic free television programme service licence	16.2.2016	<p>The Administration was requested to provide further information regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) the increase in establishment in RTHK between 1 April 2013 and 1 April 2016 to prepare for the taking over of Asia Television Limited ("ATV")'s analogue TV service following the expiry of ATV's free TV licence;(b) any special skills or experience requirements in RTHK's recruitment of technical and professional personnel;(c) the criteria and considerations behind the estimation of resources required to enable RTHK to take over ATV's analogue TV service; and(d) whether resources were provided for RTHK to absorb some of ATV's staff, including news reporting, editorial and production personnel.	The Administration to take note and follow up.

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3. Information security	14.3.2016	<p>The Administration was requested to provide further information regarding:</p> <p>(a) breakdown by nature of the financial loss caused by technology crimes in 2015, and the detection rate of such crimes, including cyber threats and attacks such as distributed denial-of-service and those involving social networking applications; and</p> <p>(b) breakdown by nature of incident, victims (e.g. government bureaux/departments, small and medium enterprises or individuals) and financial loss of the 4 928 incident reports handled by the Hong Kong Computer Emergency Response Team Coordination Centre in 2015.</p>	The Administration to take note and follow up.