

# 立法會 *Legislative Council*

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## **Report No. 7/16-17 of the House Committee on Consideration of Subsidiary Legislation and Other Instruments**

### **Purpose**

This report gives the outcome of the consideration of the House Committee on subsidiary legislation the period for amendment of which will expire at the Council meeting of 14 December 2016.

### **Subsidiary legislation considered**

2. The House Committee has considered the following items of subsidiary legislation:

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Title of Subsidiary Legislation</u>	<u>Date of House Committee meeting</u>
(1)	Legislation Publication Ordinance (Commencement) Notice 2016 (L.N. 170/2016)	25 November 2016
(2)	Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulation 2016 (L.N. 172/2016)	2 December 2016
(3)	Dutiable Commodities (Amendment) Regulation 2014 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 175/2016)	2 December 2016
(4)	News Agencies Registration (Amendment) Regulation 2016 (L.N. 181/2016)	9 December 2016
(5)	Newspapers Registration and Distribution (Amendment) Regulation 2016 (L.N. 182/2016)	9 December 2016

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(6)	Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Public Pleasure Grounds) (Amendment of Fourth Schedule) (No. 3) Order 2016 (L.N. 183/2016)	9 December 2016

3. The House Committee considered it not necessary to form any subcommittee to study the above six items of subsidiary legislation.

*Note: (a) The House Committee formed two subcommittees to study the following three items of subsidiary legislation at its meeting on 2 December 2016. The Council passed at its meeting of 7 December 2016 two resolutions moved by Hon Starry LEE, Chairman of the House Committee, to extend the period for amending these three items of subsidiary legislation to the Council meeting of 18 January 2017. Details of these three items of subsidiary legislation are as follows:*

- 1. Solicitors (Professional Indemnity) (Amendment) Rules 2016 (L.N. 173/2016)*
- 2. Solicitors' Practice (Amendment) Rules 2016 (L.N. 174/2016)*
- 3. Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Animal Traders) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 176/2016)*

*(b) The House Committee formed a subcommittee to study the Port Control (Cargo Working Areas) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 (L.N. 180/2016) at its meeting on 9 December 2016. Hon Starry LEE, Chairman of the House Committee, has given notice to move a proposed resolution at the Council meeting of 14 December 2016 to extend the period for amending this item of subsidiary legislation to the Council meeting of 8 February 2017.*