

Panel on Public Service

List of outstanding items for discussion

(Position as at 9 October 2017)

**Proposed timing
for discussion**

1. Briefing by the Secretary for the Civil Service on the Chief Executive's 2017-2018 Policy Address

The Administration proposes to brief members on the policy initiatives relating to the Civil Service Bureau set out in the Chief Executive's 2017-2018 Policy Address.

October 2017

2. Manpower situation of the Occupational Safety Officer grade of the Labour Department

Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yea wrote to the Panel on 12 June 2017 requesting that the issue should be discussed at a future meeting.

October 2017

The Administration's response on the issue raised in the submission (LC Paper No. CB(4)1373/16-17(01)) dated 28 June 2017 was issued to members on 7 July 2017. The information paper provided by the Labour Department and the Labour and Welfare Bureau (LC Paper No. CB(4) 1400/16-17(01)) was issued to members on 13 July 2017.

3. Proposed amendments to subsidiary legislation on discipline made under Discipline Services Ordinances

The Administration proposes to update members on the proposed amendments to the subsidiary legislation on discipline made under Disciplined Services Ordinances.

To be confirmed

4. Meal break arrangement for the Ambulanceman Grade in the Fire Services Department

In response to a submission dated 7 May 2014 from the Hong Kong Fire Services Department Ambulancemen's Union requesting the Panel to discuss the meal break arrangement for the Ambulanceman Grade in the Fire

See *Note*

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for discussion**

Services Department (LC Paper No. CB(4)654/13-14), the Panel agreed at its meeting held on 19 May 2014 to discuss the issue at a future meeting.

The Administration's response on the issue raised in the submission (LC Paper No. CB(4)775/13-14) dated 4 June 2014 was issued to members on 6 June 2014.

At the Panel meeting on 18 October 2016, Dr Hon Pierre CHAN proposed that this item should be discussed as early as possible.

Hon LAM Cheuk-ting wrote to the Panel on 4 May 2017 requesting that this item should be discussed as early as possible.

The Administration has provided an information note on the issue to the Panel (LC Paper No. CB(4)1506/16-17(01) was issued to members on 8 August 2017).

Note: The Administration proposes to delete this item from the list.

5. Application of the findings of the Pay Level Survey to Government-funded public bodies

Hon LEE Cheuk-yan wrote to the Panel Chairman on 23 October 2015 requesting that the Panel should hold an urgent meeting to discuss the application of the findings of the Pay Level Survey to Government-funded public bodies.

To be confirmed

CSB has advised that these public bodies are outside its policy purview and suggested that, as the remuneration and subvention policies for individual subvented organizations may be different, it may be more appropriate for the respective subject Panels of the Legislative Council to follow them up.

At the Panel meeting on 18 October 2016, Dr Hon Pierre CHAN proposed that this item should be discussed as early as possible.

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for discussion**

The Administration is clarifying with Dr Hon Pierre Chan his specific concern with a view to referring this item for discussion by the Panel on Health Services.

6. Remuneration of fire personnel

Item proposed on 18 October 2016 by Hon Jeremy TAM, who expressed concern that the remuneration levels of fire personnel were lower than those of the police.

To be confirmed

7. Enactment of legislation to prohibit acts of insulting public officers

Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan and Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT wrote a joint letter to the Panel Chairman on 21 March 2017 requesting that the Panel should discuss the enactment of dedicated legislation to prohibit acts of insulting public officers as early as possible.

To be confirmed

At the Panel meeting on 15 May 2017, Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan proposed to discuss this issue at a future meeting.