

District Councils Ordinance

Resolution

(Under section 8 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547))

Resolved that the District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Order 2017, made by the Chief Executive in Council on *10 October* 2017, be approved.

District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Order 2017

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 8 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) subject to the approval of the Legislative Council)

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation—

- (a) for all purposes relating to the District Council ordinary election in 2019—on the day on which the Resolution of the Legislative Council approving this Order is published in the Gazette; and
- (b) in so far as it has not come into operation under paragraph (a)—on 1 January 2020.

2. District Councils Ordinance amended

The District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 3 amended

- (1) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 3, column 3—
Repeal
“24”
Substitute
“25”.
- (2) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 4, column 3—
Repeal
“37”

Substitute

“40”.

- (3) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 5, column 3—

Repeal

“23”

Substitute

“25”.

- (4) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 9, column 3—

Repeal

“19”

Substitute

“20”.

- (5) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 11, column 3—

Repeal

“29”

Substitute

“31”.

- (6) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 13, column 3—

Repeal

“27”

Substitute

“29”.

- (7) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 14, column 3—

Repeal

“38”

Substitute

“41”.

- (8) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 16, column 3—

Repeal

“18”

Substitute

“19”.

- (9) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 17, column 3—

Repeal

“29”

Substitute

“31”.

- (10) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 18, column 3—

Repeal

“35”

Substitute

“39”.

Explanatory Note

This Order amends Schedule 3 to the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) to increase the number of elected members of—

- (a) Kowloon City District Council from 24 to 25;
 - (b) Kwun Tong District Council from 37 to 40;
 - (c) Sham Shui Po District Council from 23 to 25;
 - (d) Yau Tsim Mong District Council from 19 to 20;
 - (e) Kwai Tsing District Council from 29 to 31;
 - (f) Sai Kung District Council from 27 to 29;
 - (g) Sha Tin District Council from 38 to 41;
 - (h) Tsuen Wan District Council from 18 to 19;
 - (i) Tuen Mun District Council from 29 to 31; and
 - (j) Yuen Long District Council from 35 to 39.
2. The increase is applicable to the District Council ordinary election to be held in 2019, and will fully take effect on 1 January 2020.



Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

10th October, 2017