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Dear Miss Ma,

# Panel on Security – Statistics on Level III(c) Searches Conducted by the Police on Detainees from 1 October to 31 December 2018

I set out below the number of Level III(c) searches conducted by the Police on detainees from 1 October to 31 December 2018 and the nature of offences involved.

Nature of offences involved	Number of Level III(c) searches		
	October	November	December
(a) Dangerous drugs-related offences	34	21	16
(b) Theft-related offences	0	0	1
(d) Other crimes*	1	1	0
Total	35	22	17

<sup>\*</sup> One person was of a high risk of escape while another person was reported to be violent.

Yours sincerely,

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Commissioner of Police (Attn: Ms Rebecca Lam)

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