

**Paper for the House Committee meeting  
on 23 April 1999**

**Questions scheduled for the  
Legislative Council meeting on 28 April 1999**

Questions by:

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|------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| (1)  | Dr Hon David LI                                             | (Oral reply)    |                |
| (2)  | Hon Bernard CHAN                                            | (Oral reply)    |                |
| (3)  | Hon HUI Cheung-ching                                        | (Oral reply)    |                |
| (4)  | Hon David CHU<br>( <i>Replacing his previous question</i> ) | (Oral reply)    | (New question) |
| (5)  | Hon HO Chun-yan                                             | (Oral reply)    |                |
| (6)  | Dr Hon TANG Siu-tong                                        | (Oral reply)    |                |
| (7)  | Hon HO Sai-chu                                              | (Written reply) |                |
| (8)  | Hon Cyd HO                                                  | (Written reply) |                |
| (9)  | Dr Hon LEONG Che-hung                                       | (Written reply) |                |
| (10) | Hon Kenneth TING                                            | (Written reply) |                |
| (11) | Dr Hon LUI Ming-wah                                         | (Written reply) |                |
| (12) | Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG                                        | (Written reply) |                |
| (13) | Hon LAW Chi-kwong                                           | (Written reply) |                |
| (14) | Hon SIN Chung-kai                                           | (Written reply) |                |
| (15) | Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung                                         | (Written reply) |                |
| (16) | Hon YEUNG Yiu-chung                                         | (Written reply) |                |
| (17) | Hon Christine LOH                                           | (Written reply) |                |
| (18) | Hon LAU Kong-wah                                            | (Written reply) |                |
| (19) | Hon Emily LAU                                               | (Written reply) |                |
| (20) | Dr Hon TANG Siu-tong                                        | (Written reply) |                |

註：  
NOTE：

# 議員將採用這種語言提出質詢

# Member will ask the question in this language

#(4) 朱幼麟議員 (口頭答覆)

據報，一項對象為以英語為母語的英語教師的調查發現，超過三成的受訪者計劃在合約屆滿後不續約、有過半受訪者認為之前招聘他們的程序十分費時，以及大多數都認為他們在來港前沒有獲得有關機構提供足夠關於香港生活環境及教育制度的資料，以致來港後未能適應。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (a) 有關的招聘程序為何及需時多久；當局有否檢討該項程序；若有，詳情為何；若否，原因為何；及
- (b) 有何計劃令該等教師適應本港的教學及生活環境，以及續約留任？

(4) Hon David CHU Yu-lin (Oral Reply)

It has been reported that a survey on Native-speaking English Teachers found that more than 30% of the respondents planned not to renew their contracts upon expiry. More than half of the respondents also thought that the recruitment procedure they had undergone were very time-consuming, while most of them considered that they had not been provided with sufficient information on the living environment and education system in Hong Kong, resulting in difficulties in adapting to the life in Hong Kong after their arrival. In this connection, will the Government inform this Council of:

- (a) the recruitment procedure and the time required; whether it has reviewed the procedure; if so, the details of it; if not, the reasons for that; and
- (b) the plans in place to facilitate these teachers in adapting to the teaching and living environments in Hong Kong, as well as renewing their contracts and staying on?