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| (2) | Hon James TIEN | (Oral reply) | |
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<i>(Replacing the question previously placed under this number)</i> | (Oral reply) | (New question) |
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| (6) | Hon Kenneth TING | (Oral reply) | |
| (7) | Hon Howard YOUNG | (Written reply) | |
| (8) | Dr Hon David LI | (Written reply) | |
| (9) | Hon Christine LOH | (Written reply) | |
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| (18) | Hon Eric LI | (Written reply) | (New question) |
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註 :

NOTE :

議員將採用這種語言提出質詢

Member will ask the question in this language

初稿

Reverse mortgage scheme

#(1) 譚耀宗議員 (口頭答覆)

關於推行樓宇逆按揭(簡稱“逆按”)計劃作為一項退休保障選擇，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 是否知悉現時有哪些國家推行逆按計劃，以及該等計劃的運作方式、65歲或以上人士的參與率，以及參與者的年齡、家庭和財政狀況，以及彼此的共通點；及
- (二) 會否研究在本港推行逆按計劃的可行性及所需的配套措施，包括該等計劃對銀行的資產及負債結構的影響；若會，詳情為何；若不會，原因為何？

初稿

Native-English speaking teachers scheme

#(2) 田北俊議員 (口頭答覆)

據報，根據“以英語為母語的英語教師(簡稱“母語英語教師”)計劃”受聘並在本年約滿的教師當中，約有四分之一不會續約。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 母語英語教師現時的人數；聘用合約會在今年屆滿的教師人數，當中已表示不擬續約的人數，以及不擬續約的原因為何；
- (二) 有否研究有關招聘程序與該等教師的流失率的關係；及
- (三) 有否評估母語英語教師計劃的成效；若有，詳情如何？

初稿

#(3) 楊耀忠議員 (口頭答覆)

政府的目標是到 2000 年在所有學校推行校本管理。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 截至上學年、本學年及下學年底，已實施或將會實施校本管理的學校數目，該等學校佔全港學校總數的百分比分別為何，並請按官立、資助及中、小學類別列出有關的分項數字及百分比；
- (二) 當局在推行校本管理時取得的經驗及遇到的困難為何；及
- (三) 當局有何具體措施加快在學校推行校本管理的步伐？

(3) Hon YEUNG Yiu-chung (Oral Reply)

The Government's goal is to have school-based management implemented in all schools by 2000. In this connection, will the Government inform this Council of:

- (a) the respective numbers of schools which have implemented or will implement school-based management by the end of the last, current and next school years, their respective percentages in the total number of schools in Hong Kong, and provide a breakdown of such numbers and percentages by government and aided schools as well as primary and secondary schools;
- (b) the experience gained and the difficulties encountered in the implementation of school-based management; and
- (c) the specific measures to expedite the implementation of school-based management in schools?

初稿

Indulgence in Internet Online Communication Network

#(4) 蔡素玉議員 (口頭答覆)

據報，越來越多青少年參與在互聯網網上進行的即時聊天活動，部分青少年更沉迷其中，而青少年經由聊天室誤交損友，甚至成為罪案受害者的個案亦時有所聞。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 過去 1 年，當局接獲涉及該等網上聊天活動的各種罪案分別有多少宗，當中已偵破的罪案數字分別為何；
- (二) 當局有否研究青少年過度沉迷該等網上聊天活動對其心智發展、人際溝通技巧及人際關係有何影響；若有研究，結果為何；若否，會否進行該等研究；及
- (三) 當局有何措施加強家長及青少年認識參與該等網上聊天活動的正確態度，以及協助學校及家長處理青少年沉迷於網上聊天的問題？

(將會被取代)
(to be replaced)

初稿

Regulation for the safety use of acetylene gas

#(5) 何鍾泰議員 (口頭答覆)

近期接連發生數宗涉及氧炔(俗稱“風煤”)燒焊設備的氣體洩漏或爆炸的意外，造成多人傷亡。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 現時沒有法例監管該等燒焊設備的安全問題的原因為何；
- (二) 有否計劃制定該等法例，包括規定使用該等燒焊設備的工人須通過測試並領有證書，並由機電工程署負責執法及監管該等設備的安全使用；及
- (三) 有何措施提高僱主及工人注意使用該等設備時的安全事宜，例如定期保養及更換喉管等方面的安全事宜？

初稿

Educating investors of the risks in stocks trading

#(6) 丁午壽議員 (口頭答覆)

鑒於近期從事互聯網業務的公司首次公開招股的反響熾熱，政府可否告知本會，當局採取了甚麼措施，使公眾認識投資該類股票所涉及的風險？

初稿

特區護照及英國國民(海外)護照持有人在進入
孟加拉被要求繳交額外費用，
然而該國已給予該類護照持有人免簽證入境

(7) Hon Howard YOUNG (Written reply)

Bangladesh has granted visa-free access to both Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("HKSAR") and British National (Overseas) ("BNO") passport holders. I have, however, received complaints from a few travel agents that their clients who travelled separately to Bangladesh with the above mentioned passports had been requested to pay USD30 and USD60 respectively because they did not have a visa on entry to the country. Neither was a receipt issued nor a visa stamped on their passports after payment. In this connection, will the Government inform this Council of:

- (a) the measures it has taken to ensure that the immigration controls of those countries who offer visa-free access to holders of HKSAR and BNO passports are aware of such policy; and
- (b) the advice it offers to such passport holders of the action they should take when they are asked to pay the above-mentioned fees upon arrival at the immigration control in Bangladesh?

初稿

海關人員在執法掃蕩售賣翻版活動時
受傷個案日增

(8) Dr Hon David LI (Written reply)

While the Customs' special anti-piracy taskforce has decimated the number of outlets of pirated products, the criminals are more violent when they are under arrest, as witnessed by the increased number of injuries on the part of Customs officers whilst undertaking such duties last year. In this connection, will the Government inform this Council whether:

- (a) it will consider providing additional training to Customs officers to ensure their personal safety while performing law-enforcement duties; and
- (b) it will deploy extra manpower or weapons in such law-enforcement actions; if not, of the reasons for that?

初稿

妥善運用香港境內的無線電頻譜

(9) Hon Christine LOH (Written reply)

Regarding the efficient planning and utilisation of the radio frequency spectrum within Hong Kong, will the Administration inform this Council:

- (a) whether the People's Liberation Army Military Force stationed in Hong Kong, which took over a set of FM radio frequencies from the former British Forces Broadcasting Service, has any plans to broadcast; if so, of the details; and if not, whether the frequency band will be transferred back to the HKSAR Government for allocation to other uses; if so, whether the Administration will consider
 - (i) switching Radio 3, Radio 5 and the Putonghua channels of Radio Television Hong Kong ("RTHK") to FM broadcasting for better reception;
 - (ii) introducing more commercial broadcasters to enable a more lively and diverse radio service provision; and
 - (iii) setting aside frequency bands for broadcasting by non-commercial or community based organisations to provide a richer civic environment; and
- (b) of the results of RTHK's field tests on Digital Audio Broadcasting ("DAB") completed last year; and how DAB will assist in overcoming the shortcomings of FM and AM analogue broadcasting?

初稿

Employment of foreign English teachers for primary schools

#(10) 劉慧卿議員 (書面答覆)

據報，當局計劃向優質教育基金申請撥款，推出一項為期兩年的試驗計劃，向 40 間小學提供共 20 名以英語為母語的英語教師（“母語英語教師”）。就此，行政機關可否告知本會：

- (一) 有否研究就教學效果而言，在小學階段提供母語英語教師是否較中學階段更為有效；及
- (二) 會否考慮調撥資源，向全港所有小學提供母語英語教師？

初稿

Prosecution against speed driving by drivers of franchised buses

#(11) 劉江華議員 (書面答覆)

關於專營巴士超速行駛問題，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 過去 5 年，每年警方錄得專營巴士超速行駛的個案數字；當中司機被檢控及定罪的個案數字分別為何；部分證實超速駕駛的司機未被檢控的原因為何；
- (二) 警方在檢控專營巴士超速行駛的執法行動上有否遇到困難；若有，詳情為何；及
- (三) 是否知悉，現時各間專營巴士公司的車隊中，已安裝防止超速行駛的自動鎖車系統的巴士數目及其佔整體巴士數目的比率為何；各專營巴士公司有否定期檢查該等鎖車系統的性能？

初稿

提高違反《建築物條例》的最高罰款

(12) Hon Emily LAU (Written reply)

Recently a construction company was fined \$250,000 by a magistrate for failing to comply with building regulations. Faults were found in piling works of a 27-story residential tower in Happy Valley in August 1998 where six piles were shorter than specified. The magistrate imposed the maximum fine and said the case had fundamental impact on public perception of the company and other construction companies in Hong Kong. He said fines of up to \$5 million would not be excessive as tenants could be endangered by faulty works. Will the Executive Authorities inform this Council:

- (a) the number of cases involving defective piling in the past three years;
- (b) whether there are plans to substantially increase the fines and to introduce prison sentence for such offences; and
- (c) actions that have been taken to strengthen monitoring of these building works?

初稿

Loans made by the Exchange Fund through the International Monetary Fund

#(13) 劉江華議員 (書面答覆)

政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 過去 3 年，外匯基金透過國際貨幣基金組織每年借出的貸款金額；
- (二) 該等貸款的平均年期、平均利息率、借款國家及還款情況分別為何；及
- (三) 該等利息率與同期間外匯基金其他投資的回報率比較為何？

初稿

Design of highways for emergency parking

#(14) 吳亮星議員 (書面答覆)

據報，上月 15 日，一輛巴士在行經吐露港公路時撞向一輛停泊於路旁的貨車，造成多名巴士乘客受傷。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 過去 5 年，涉及停泊在高速公路路旁的車輛的交通意外數字及傷亡人數，以及有關數字呈現的趨勢；
- (二) 有否評估本港高速公路的路肩的設計能否安全供給各類型車輛臨時停泊；若有，評估結果為何；該等設計與其他先進國家的同類設計標準比較為何；及
- (三) 有否評估控制及管理車輛在高速公路停泊的措施是否足夠；若有，結果為何；若否，原因為何？

初稿

(15) Hon Howard YOUNG (Written Reply)

Will the Government inform this Council of the number of persons, broken down by nationality, to whom Hong Kong permanent identity cards have been issued in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region since the reunification?

(15) 楊孝華議員 (書面答覆)

政府可否告知本會，自回歸以來，按照《香港特別行政區基本法》第二十四(四)條獲發香港永久居民身分證的人士數目，請按國籍列出分項數目？

初稿

Listing costs on the Growth Enterprise Market

#(16) 李家祥議員 (書面答覆)

政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 是否知悉現時在創業板上市的公司申請上市事宜的有關支出分別為何；該等支出與有關公司上市時所籌集的資金的比例分別為何；及
- (二) 有否評估申請在本港創業板上市的成本，與申請在美國及新加坡同類股票市場上市所需的成本比較，是否具競爭力？

初稿

Plans for the former Yaumatei Theatre

#(17) 霍震霆議員 (書面答覆)

政府可否告知本會，當局有否計劃把油麻地戲院改建為專供中國傳統戲曲表演之用的場地，並在附近一帶設立一個民俗文化活動區；若有計劃，內容如何；若沒有計劃，原因為何？

初稿

Communications between SFC and SEHK
with Growth Enterprise Market companies

#(18) 李家祥議員 (書面答覆)

創業板設立至今，已有 10 間公司上市，政府可否告知本會，是否知悉證監會及聯交所向這些上市公司，曾發出多少封要求披露資料的信件，又與該等上市公司召開過多少次會議，以及總共提出了多少條書面的問題？

初稿

Development of gateball activities

#(19) 譚耀宗議員 (書面答覆)

關於推廣門球活動，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 政府轄下有多少永久場地，用以進行適合長者參與的門球活動，其位置分別為何；及
- (二) 政府有否計劃增加這類場地，並推動長者積極參與門球活動，以促進長者健康；若有，詳情為何；若否，原因為何？

初稿

Promotion of betting activities on the Internet

(20) 蔡素玉議員 (書面答覆)

據報，一家在互聯網網上提供外圍六合彩賭博活動的外國公司，曾計劃在本港召開記者招待會，以推廣該等賭博活動。就此，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 有否評估在本港舉辦該類推廣活動是否違法；若屬違法，有關法例及罰則為何；及
- (二) 當局對該類推廣活動所採取的跟進行動為何？