

Legislative Council
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
Intellectual Property (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2000

Invitation for Submissions

The Intellectual Property (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2000 (the Bill) was introduced into the Legislative Council on 26 January 2000. The Bills Committee on Intellectual Property (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2000 (Bills Committee) now invites comments on the Bill.

The Bill makes miscellaneous amendments to the Copyright Ordinance, the Prevention of Copyright Piracy Ordinance and the Patents Ordinance. The main purposes of the Bill are to create an offence of unauthorized possession of video recording equipment in a place of public entertainment and to clarify the law to facilitate prosecution of corporate copyright infringement.

Interested parties are invited to submit their views to the Clerk to the Bills Committee and to indicate whether they intend to make oral presentations to the Bills Committee at a meeting to be held on **Friday, 9 June 2000, at 8:30 a.m.**

The relevant address, fax and telephone numbers, and e-mail address are as follows:

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The deadline for submission will be **noon, 8 June 2000.**