

LegCo Seeks Views on Securities (Amendment) Bill 1999

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The following is issued on behalf of the Legislative Council Secretariat:

The Legislative Council Bills Committee on the Securities (Amendment) Bill 1999 invites written submissions from the public on the Bill.

The Bill seeks to amend the Securities Ordinance (Cap. 333) to provide a measure of protection to investors in securities by regulating the activities of those persons who carry on short selling activities.

The Bills Committee has scheduled two meetings for February 22 and 25 at 4.30 pm to meet with deputations. Written submissions to the Bills Committee should reach the Clerk to the Bills Committee before February 21, 2000. Those who wish to appear before the Bills Committee to make oral representations are requested to indicate their intention in the written submission. The address and telephone numbers are as follows:

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