

Data Specification for Bills Database of the Legislative Council

| Name | Definition | Remarks |
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| internal_key | Bill identifier | Data type: Text Example: 06635 |
| ordinance_title_eng | Title of the ordinance in English | Data type: Text Example: Inland Revenue Ordinance |
| ordinance_title_chi | Title of the ordinance in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: 稅務條例 |
| ordinance_content_url_eng | URL of the content of the ordinance in English | Data type: Text Example: https://www.elegislation.gov.hk/hk/cap112?_lang=en |
| ordinance_content_url_chi | URL of the content of the ordinance in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: https://www.elegislation.gov.hk/hk/cap112?_lang=zh-Hant-HK |
| bill_title_eng | Title of the bill in English | Data type: Text Example: Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 3) Bill 2018 |
| bill_title_chi | Title of the bill in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: 2018年稅務(修訂)(第3號)條例草案 |
| proposed_by_eng | Name of the proposer in English | Data type: Text Example: Secretary for Innovation and Technology |

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| proposed_by_chi | Name of the proposer in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: 創新及科技局局長 |
| bill_gazette_date | Gazette date of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) Example: 2018-04-20T00:00:00 |
| bill_content_url_eng | URL of the content of the bill in English | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/english/bills/b201804201.pdf |
| bill_content_url_chi | URL of the content of the bill in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/chinese/bills/b201804201.pdf |
| bill_gazette_date_2 | Second gazette date of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| bill_content_url_2_eng | Second URL of the content of the bill in English | Data type: Text |
| bill_content_url_2_chi | Second URL of the content of the bill in Chinese | Data type: Text |
| bill_gazette_date_3 | Third gazette date of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| bill_content_url_3_eng | Third URL of the content of the bill in English | Data type: Text |

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| bill_content_url_3_chi | Third URL of the content of the bill in Chinese | Data type: Text |
| ordinance_gazette_date | Gazette date of the ordinance | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) Example: 2018-11-02T00:00:00 |
| ordinance_year_number_eng | Ordinance number in English | Data type: Text Example: Ord. No. 29 of 2018 |
| ordinance_year_number_chi | Ordinance number in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: 2018 年第 29 號條例 |
| ordinance_gazette_content_url_eng | URL of the content of the ordinance in the Gazette in English | Data type: Text Example: https://www.legco.gov.hk/yr18-19/english/ord/2018ord029-e.pdf |
| ordinance_gazette_content_url_chi | URL of the content of the ordinance in the Gazette in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: https://www.legco.gov.hk/yr18-19/chinese/ord/2018ord029-c.pdf |
| legco_brief_file_reference | File reference of the Legislative Council Brief | Data type: Text Example: ITC CR 5/1/2168/18 |
| legco_brief_url_eng | URL of the Legislative Council Brief in English | Data type: Text Example: http://library.legco.gov.hk:1080/search~S10?/.blls/bri/.blls/bri/1,1,1,B/1962~blls/bri&FF=&1,0,,0,0 |

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| legco_brief_url_chi | URL of the Legislative Council Brief in Chinese | Data type: Text Example: http://library.legco.gov.hk:1080/search~S10?/.bills/br/.bills/br/1,1,1,B/1962~bills/br&FF=&1,0,,1,0 |
| first_reading_date | Date of the First Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) Example: 2018-05-02T00:00:00 |
| first_reading_date_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the First Reading of the bill | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/english/counmtg/hansard/cm20180502-translate-e.pdf#nameddest=b1r01 |
| first_reading_date_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the First Reading of the bill | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/chinese/counmtg/hansard/cm20180502-translate-e.pdf#nameddest=b1r01 |
| first_reading_date_2 | Second date of the First Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| first_reading_date_2_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the second date of the First Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| first_reading_date_2_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the second date of the First Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |

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| bills_committee_title_eng | English title of the bills committee | Data type: Text Example: Bills Committee on Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 3) Bill 2018 |
| bills_committee_title_chi | Chinese title of the bills committee | Data type: Text Example: 2018 年稅務(修訂)(第 3 號)條例草案委員會 |
| bills_committee_url_eng | URL of the English home page of the bills committee | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/english/bc/bc08/general/bc08.htm |
| bills_committee_url_chi | URL of the Chinese home page of the bills committee | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/chinese/bc/bc08/general/bc08.htm |
| bills_committee_formation_date | Formation date of the bills committee | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) Example: 2018-05-04T00:00:00 |
| bills_committee_report_url_eng | URL of the English report of the bills committee | Data type: Text Example: http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/english/bc/bc08/reports/bc0820181024cb1-38-e.pdf |
| bills_committee_report_url_chi | URL of the Chinese report of the bills committee | Data type: Text Example: |

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| | | http://www.legco.gov.hk/yr17-18/chinese/bc/bc08/reports/bc0820181024cb1-38-c.pdf |
| second_reading_date | Date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) Example: 2020-06-10T00:00:00 |
| second_reading_date_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_2 | Second date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| second_reading_date_2_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the second date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_2_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the second date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_3 | Third date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| second_reading_date_3_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the third date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_3_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding | Data type: Text |

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| sard_url_chi | the third date of the Second Reading of the bill | |
| second_reading_date_4 | Fourth date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| second_reading_date_4_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the fourth date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_4_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the fourth date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_5 | Fifth date of the Second Reading of bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) |
| second_reading_date_5_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the fifth date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| second_reading_date_5_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the fifth date of the Second Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| third_reading_date | Date of the Third Reading of the bill | Data type: DateTime Data format: YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss (ISO 8601) Example: 2020-06-10T00:00:00 |
| third_reading_date_hansard_url_eng | URL of the English Hansard regarding the Third Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |

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| third_reading_date_hansard_url_chi | URL of the Chinese Hansard regarding the Third Reading of the bill | Data type: Text |
| additional_information_eng | Additional information in English | Data type: Text |
| additional_information_chi | Additional information in Chinese | Data type: Text |
| remarks_eng | Remarks in English | Data type: Text |
| remarks_chi | Remarks in Chinese | Data type: Text |