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# President's Foreword



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, President of the Legislative Council.

The 2014-2015 session was another challenging year for the Legislature. It began with the “Occupy Movement” in motion, which arose from the political controversies over the proposed methods of selecting the Chief Executive (“CE”) in 2017. At the same time, the relationship between the Legislature and the Executive Authorities remained highly strained.

During the session, the Council passed a total of 23 bills, 15 with amendments, and completed the scrutiny of 135 items of subsidiary legislation through the negative vetting procedure. Some of these bills, such as the Employment (Amendment) Bill 2014 which introduced three days’ paid paternity leave, have far-reaching impact on every sector of society. Sixteen motions moved by public officers either to approve or amend subsidiary legislation through the positive vetting procedure were also passed. As at the end of the session, 15 bills were still under scrutiny by bills committees. As the Fifth Legislative Council (“LegCo”) steps into the final year of its term, I call upon the Administration to press on with its legislative programme in order to allow Members sufficient time to scrutinize the various pieces of proposed legislation.

Members moved a total of 27 motions with no legislative effect for debate on various subject matters, of which 12 were passed with or without amendments. These motion debates provided an opportunity for Members to express their views and call on the Administration to take actions or improve its policies and practices for the betterment of society. In addition, Members moved four motions for the adjournment of the Council for the purpose of discussing specific issues of public interest or urgent public importance. During the session, a total of 140 oral questions, 14 being urgent questions, were asked by Members on the work of the Government, followed up with 797 supplementary questions. A total of 504 questions seeking written replies were also raised.

The Council also dealt with four Members' motions to appoint select committees with the authorized powers to summon witnesses and to produce documents under the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) ("P & P Ordinance"), in order to investigate into various matters of wide public concern. All these motions were negated by the Council.

Three select committees without the authorized powers under the P & P Ordinance were tasked to study the subject matter of petitions referred by the Council under Rule 20(6) of the Rules of Procedure. One of these select committees, the Select Committee to Inquire into the Background of and Reasons for the Delay of the Construction of the Hong Kong section of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link, has been in operation since December 2014. The other two select committees to inquire into matters in relation to the "Occupy Movement" are awaiting their turn to be activated in accordance with the arrangements agreed by the House Committee ("HC").





HC continues to provide a regular platform for Members to communicate with the Chief Secretary for Administration (“CS”). Following widespread public concern over lead contamination in drinking water, CS attended a special HC meeting during the summer recess to update Members on the follow-up actions taken by the Administration.

This was the third successive year in which a large number of Committee stage amendments (“CSAs”) were proposed by a few Members to filibuster the Appropriation Bill in an attempt to pursue their political demands. A total of 3 904 CSAs were proposed to the Appropriation Bill 2015 which sought appropriation of \$361.3 billion for the services of the Government in the financial year ending on 31 March 2016. One Member alone proposed altogether 3 349 CSAs, the majority of which were sequential in nature.

I ruled all sequential CSAs inadmissible as the Council’s experience in the disposal of such CSAs in the past two years convinced me that the moving of such CSAs achieved no purpose other than taking up the Council’s time in completing the necessary proceedings. A total of 618 proposed CSAs to the Appropriation Bill 2015 were ruled admissible. Having considered Members’ views on how best to scrutinize these proposed amendments, I allocated the time for different sessions for debating them to ensure the orderly, fair and proper conduct of Council meetings. The Council spent a total of about 121 hours spanning 18 Council meeting days to complete all the proceedings on the Bill. All the proposed CSAs were voted down and the Bill was passed on 28 May 2015.

During the session, the Finance Committee (“FC”) approved a total of 98 proposals comprising 10 establishment proposals and 25 non-public works financial proposals amounting to \$41 billion, and 63 public works projects worth \$107 billion. The major approved items included three landfill extension projects, the development of an integrated waste management facilities, and increase in the financial commitment for the development of Liantang/Heung Yuen Wai Boundary Control Point. At the time of preparing this report, FC had just approved the funding for the establishment of the Innovation and Technology Bureau after 36 hours of deliberations spanning 18 meetings since February 2015.



The extent of the FC Chairman's power to chair meetings had been considered by the court in an application for leave for judicial review of the FC Chairman's decision to stop dealing with 720 motions proposed by members to express views on the funding proposal for the advance site formation and engineering infrastructure works at Kwu Tung North new development area and Fanling North new development area. Applying the Court of Final Appeal's judgment handed down in September 2014 that had reaffirmed the President's power to end debates in appropriate circumstances and put matters to vote, the Court of First Instance held that the FC Chairman similarly had such power to regulate the process of FC meetings, including the power to set limits to and terminate a debate.

Filibustering has run from the legislative proceedings in the Council to the scrutiny of financial proposals by FC by way of proposing a large number of CSAs, making incessant quorum calls, or moving motions to express views on the agenda item under discussion. I have pointed out on various occasions the present unsatisfactory situation of having no specific procedure to deal with filibustering of legislative proceedings in the Council. In the past two legislative sessions, the Committee on Rules of Procedure examined various procedural options to deal with the matter but Members have yet to reach a consensus.





In parallel, I have sought legal opinion from a leading public and constitutional lawyer in the United Kingdom on what was available to me as the President of LegCo in terms of the law, practice and procedure to deal with incessant quorum calls triggered for the purpose of filibustering, and to reduce the possibility of the abrupt adjournment of the Council due to the absence of a quorum. The legal opinion has been made available for Members' reference. It is incumbent upon every Member of the Council to address the increasing impact of filibuster on the conduct of LegCo business and to come up with a procedure which is agreeable to different political parties.

In the last session, high on the agenda of the Council and society was certainly the deliberations on the methods for selecting the CE of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("HKSAR") in 2017 and forming LegCo in 2016. According to Annex I and Annex II to the Basic Law, amendments to the existing methods for selecting the CE and for forming LegCo respectively must be made with the endorsement of a two-thirds majority of all Members. Following the decision of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress ("NPCSC") on 31 August 2014 and a two-month public consultation exercise, the Administration published on 22 April 2015 the Consultation Report and Proposals on the Method for Selecting the CE by Universal Suffrage ("Constitutional Proposals"). HC forthwith formed a subcommittee comprising 60 members to study the Constitutional Proposals. The number of organizations and individuals giving views to the subcommittee exceeded 200 and, as expected, the views received were highly diverse.



Upon the invitation by the Central Authorities, I led a delegation of Members to attend a meeting in Shenzhen on 31 May 2015 to exchange views on the constitutional reform with Mr WANG Guangya, Director of Hong Kong and Macao Affairs Office of the State Council; Mr LI Fei, Deputy Secretary-General of NPCSC cum Chairman of the HKSAR Basic Law Committee under NPCSC; and Mr ZHANG Xiaoming, Director of the Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the HKSAR. During the meeting, officials of the Central Authorities held a separate discussion session with Pan-democratic Members. Regrettably, the Motion concerning the Amendment to the Method for the Selection of the CE of the HKSAR was negated by the Council on 18 June 2015.

Failure of the electoral reform is a setback in the constitutional development. Unless the election of CE by universal suffrage is implemented, the election of all the Members of LegCo by universal suffrage would be an unachievable goal. Meanwhile, there are numerous pressing social and economic issues to be tackled and resolved in Hong Kong. I hope the Administration and various parties in the Council could redouble their effort to seek common grounds in order to work together for the best interests of Hong Kong.

Before closing, I would also like to place on record my sincere gratitude to my former colleague, Ronny TONG Ka-wah, who resigned on 1 October 2015, for his contributions during the 11 years of service in the Council including almost three years of service as the HC Deputy Chairman.

Last but not least, I wish to thank the Secretariat staff for their unfailing support and dedication to the service of the Council during this eventful year.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, GBM, GBS, JP  
President  
Legislative Council



# Members of the Fifth Legislative Council



## First row

1. Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President)
2. Hon IP Kwok-him
3. Hon LEUNG Che-cheung
4. Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen
5. Hon Steven HO Chun-yin
6. Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT
7. Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan
8. Hon CHAN Han-pan
9. Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai
10. Hon WONG Kwok-hing
11. Hon CHAN Yuen-han
12. Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen
13. Hon KWOK Wai-keung
14. Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming
15. Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip
16. Hon James TO Kun-sun
17. Hon WONG Yuk-man
18. Hon CHAN Chi-chuen

## Second row

19. Hon TANG Ka-piu
20. Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong
21. Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun
22. Hon NG Leung-sing
23. Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee
24. Hon MA Fung-kwok

## Third row

25. Hon POON Siu-ping
26. Hon YIU Si-wing
27. Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok
28. Hon CHAN Hak-kan
29. Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung
30. Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat
31. Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun
32. Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him
33. Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan
34. Hon James TIEN Pei-chun
35. Hon CHAN Kam-lam
36. Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki

37. Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai
38. Hon Claudia MO
39. Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan
40. Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing
41. Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan
42. Hon Albert HO Chun-yan

## Fourth row

43. Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung
44. Hon CHAN Kin-por
45. Hon Starry LEE Wai-king
46. Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen (President's Deputy)
47. Hon WONG Kwok-kin
48. Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan
49. Hon Dennis KWOK
50. Hon Vincent FANG Kang
51. Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok
52. Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit
53. Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30 September 2015)
54. Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
55. Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung
56. Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee
57. Hon LEE Cheuk-yan
58. Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung
59. Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che
60. Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung

## Fifth row

61. Hon WONG Ting-kwong
62. Hon TAM Yiu-chung
63. Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun
64. Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun
65. Hon SIN Chung-kai
66. Hon WU Chi-wai
67. Hon Charles Peter MOK
68. Hon IP Kin-yuen
69. Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long
70. Hon Kenneth LEUNG



# The Year at a Glance

## Council meetings

Meetings held **35**

Meeting hours **517**

Subsidiary legislation subject to negative vetting tabled

151 

Other papers and reports tabled **187**

Questions asked  
**1 441**

Petitions presented **2**

Statements made **2**

Bills introduced **20**

Bills passed **23**

Motions moved **60**

## Committees

**118** Committees formed/  
in operation/  
completed their work

Meetings held **759**

## Public expenditure approved by Finance Committee

Non-public works  
and establishment

**\$41.35**  
billion

( 35 approved financial proposals )

Public works

**\$107.26**  
billion

( 63 approved financial proposals )

Cases concluded under  
the Redress System **7 008<sup>1</sup>**

Duty visits  
conducted

Overseas visits **3**  
Local visits **21**

**12 493** Visitors received  
by Members

Deputations / individuals  
gave views before  
committees

**2 747**

<sup>1</sup> Among the 7 008 concluded cases, 4 514 cases were related to the proposed three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport.



# Chapter 1

## The Legislative Council

The Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("HKSAR") stipulates that the HKSAR shall be vested with legislative power and the Legislative Council shall be the legislature of the Region.





## Powers and functions

As provided for in Article 73 of the Basic Law, the Legislative Council of the HKSAR shall exercise the following powers and functions:

- To enact, amend or repeal laws in accordance with the provisions of the Basic Law and legal procedures;
- To examine and approve budgets introduced by the Government;
- To approve taxation and public expenditure;
- To receive and debate the policy addresses of the Chief Executive;
- To raise questions on the work of the Government;
- To debate any issue concerning public interests;
- To endorse the appointment and removal of the judges of the Court of Final Appeal and the Chief Judge of the High Court;
- To receive and handle complaints from Hong Kong residents;
- If a motion initiated jointly by one-fourth of all the Members of the Legislative Council charges the Chief Executive with serious breach of law or dereliction of duty and if he or she refuses to resign, the Council may, after passing a motion for investigation, give a mandate to the Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal to form and chair an independent investigation committee. The committee shall be responsible for carrying out the investigation and reporting its findings to the Council. If the committee considers the evidence sufficient to substantiate such charges, the Council may pass a motion of impeachment by a two-thirds majority of all its Members and report it to the Central People's Government for decision; and
- To summon, as required when exercising the above-mentioned powers and functions, persons concerned to testify or give evidence.



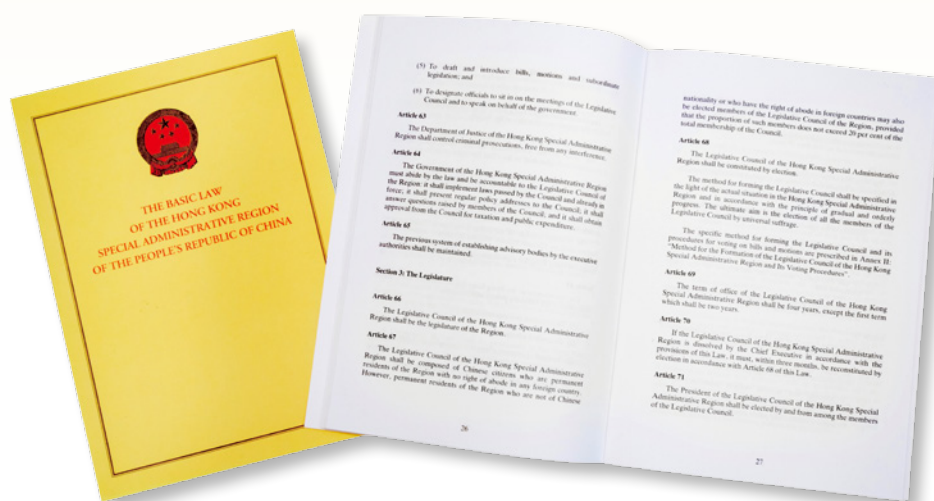


## Composition

According to the Basic Law, the Legislative Council of the HKSAR shall be constituted by election. The Fifth Legislative Council comprises 70 Members, of whom 35 were returned by geographical constituencies through direct elections and 35 were returned by functional constituencies. The election for the Fifth Legislative Council was held on 9 September 2012, and the term of office is four years from 1 October 2012 to 30 September 2016.

The President of the Legislative Council is elected by and from among the Council's Members.

Details of the composition of the Fifth Legislative Council are provided in **Appendix 1**.



Under Article 66 of the Basic Law, the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region shall be the legislature of the Region.





# Chapter 2

## Legislative Council Meetings



Meetings of the Legislative Council are open to the public and may be conducted in Cantonese, English or Putonghua, with simultaneous interpretation and sign language interpretation. The proceedings of Council meetings are broadcast live and reported by the mass media, and are also recorded verbatim in the Official Record of Proceedings of the Legislative Council. Business transacted at regular Council meetings mainly includes the tabling of subsidiary legislation, papers and reports; the asking of questions for replies from the Government; the consideration of bills; and debates on motions.

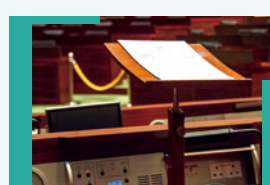
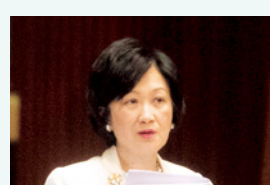
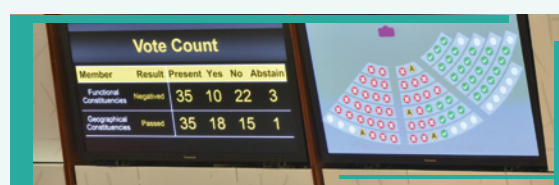
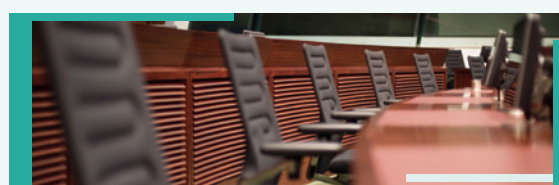
Council  
meetings  
held

**35**  
(four of which were  
Chief Executive's  
Question and  
Answer Sessions)

Meeting  
hours

**517**







## Tabling of subsidiary legislation, papers and reports

Subsidiary legislation refers to any proclamation, rule, regulation, order, resolution, notice, rule of court, bylaw or other instrument made by designated authorities under or by virtue of relevant ordinances and having legislative effect. Such legislation is subject to the Council's scrutiny through either a negative or a positive vetting procedure. Members or public officers may move motions in the Council to amend items of subsidiary legislation.

Subsidiary legislation subject to negative vetting tabled	151
Other papers and reports tabled	187

Other papers tabled in Council include annual reports of Government departments and public bodies, as well as reports of the Council's committees. Members and public officers may address the Council on these reports.

## Questions

Any Member may address questions to the Government concerning its work, either to seek information on a particular matter or to ask for official action with regard to that matter. The Member must specify whether an oral or written reply is required. For questions seeking oral replies, supplementary questions may be put by any Member to request further elaboration after the public officer has given his or her reply. Members may, with the President's permission, ask urgent questions on the ground that they are of an urgent character and relate to matters of public importance.

Oral questions	126
Supplementary questions	797
Written questions	504
Urgent questions	14

Members raise questions on the work of the Government at Council meetings.





Members rise in support of a request that a petition be referred to a select committee.

## Petitions

Petitions may be presented to the Council by Members. The Member presenting a petition may make a speech giving a summary of the number and description of the petitioners and the substance of the petition. If requested by a Member and supported by not less than 20 Members, the petition will be referred to a select committee under Rule 20(6) of the Rules of Procedure.

### Petitions presented

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A petition seeking to request the Council to conduct a comprehensive inquiry into the incident of occupation of roads since 28 September 2014 was jointly presented by Hon TAM Yiu-chung and Hon IP Kwok-him at the Council meeting of 15 October 2014 and was referred to a select committee.

A petition seeking to request the Council to inquire into the alleged abuse of violence and use of extrajudicial punishments by the Police while handling the public assemblies on 28 and 29 September, and 3 October 2014 was jointly presented by Hon SIN Chung-kai and Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki at the Council meeting of 15 October 2014 and was referred to a select committee.



## Statements

Public officers may make statements on issues concerning public interest. No debate may arise on a statement but the President may allow short and succinct questions to be put to the public officer making the statement.



The Chief Secretary for Administration Mrs Carrie LAM CHENG Yuet-ngor makes a statement on the “Consultation Report and Proposals on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive by Universal Suffrage”.

### Statements

2

The Chief Secretary for Administration made a statement on the “Consultation Document on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive by Universal Suffrage” at the Council meeting of 7 January 2015.

The Chief Secretary for Administration made a statement on the “Consultation Report and Proposals on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive by Universal Suffrage” at the Council meeting of 22 April 2015.

## Bills

The Government is primarily responsible for proposing new legislation or amendments to existing legislation in the form of bills, which are then considered for enactment by the Council. Subject to certain conditions, Members may introduce bills into the Council. A bill has to be given three readings for its passage by the Council. A copy of every bill passed by the Council, certified as a true copy by the Clerk to the Legislative Council, shall be submitted by the Clerk to the Chief Executive for his signature.

Bills introduced by Government	20
Bills passed	
- With amendments	15
- Without amendments	8
Bill negated	1

## Motions

Motions are the mechanism through which most Council business is transacted. The processing of a bill takes place by way of a series of motions moved, debated and voted upon by Members at various stages of proceedings on the bill. Amendments to bills and the approval of or amendments to subsidiary legislation subject to positive vetting are effected through motions. Subsidiary legislation subject to negative vetting may be amended by resolution of the Council.

The Government may move motions to amend Annexes I and II to the Basic Law concerning the method for the selection of the Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("HKSAR") as well as the method for the formation of the Legislative Council of the HKSAR and its voting procedures. The Government may also move motions under Article 73(7) of the Basic Law to seek the endorsement of the Council on the appointment of judges.

		Details
Proposed resolutions on subsidiary legislation subject to positive vetting		
- Moved	16	(see <a href="#">LegCo Website</a> )
- Passed	16	
Proposed resolutions to amend subsidiary legislation subject to negative vetting		
- Moved	3	(see <a href="#">LegCo Website</a> )
- Passed	2	
Motion to amend Annex I to the Basic Law		
- Moved	1	(see <a href="#">LegCo Website</a> )
- Passed	0	



Members may move motions (a) to exercise the Council's powers under Article 75 of the Basic Law to amend the Council's Rules of Procedure; (b) to invoke its powers under the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) to summon witnesses or to order the production of papers; (c) on matters provided for under The Legislative Council Commission Ordinance (Cap. 443); or (d) on procedural matters (see [Appendix 2](#) on these motions).

In addition, Members may debate motions not intended to have legislative effect. These debates provide opportunities for Members to express their views on issues of public interest and call on the Government to take certain actions. Such motions include motions moved under Rule 16(2) or 16(4) of the Rules of Procedure for the adjournment of the Council for debate on issues of urgent public importance or public interest (see [Appendix 2](#) on these motions).

		Details
Proposed resolutions under Article 75 of the Basic Law to amend the Rules of Procedure		
- Moved	2	(see <b><u>Appendix 2</u></b> )
- Passed	1	
Motions under the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance		
- Moved	4	(see <b><u>Appendix 2</u></b> )
- Passed	0	
Motions under Rule 40 of the Rules of Procedure to adjourn a debate or proceedings of a committee of the whole Council		
- Moved	3	(see <b><u>Appendix 2</u></b> )
- Passed	0	
Motions not intended to have legislative effect (excluding motions moved under Rule 16(2) or 16(4) of the Rules of Procedure for the adjournment of the Council)		
- Moved	27	(see <u>LegCo Website</u> )
- Passed	12	
Motions for the adjournment of the Council under Rule 16(2) of the Rules of Procedure		
- Moved	2	(see <b><u>Appendix 2</u></b> )
Motions for the adjournment of the Council under Rule 16(4) of the Rules of Procedure		
- Moved	2	(see <b><u>Appendix 2</u></b> )

## Requests for leave of the Council to give evidence of Council proceedings

Requests for leave of the Council to give evidence of Council proceedings under section 7 of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) and Rule 90 of the Rules of Procedure shall be submitted to the Clerk to the Legislative Council and placed on the Agenda for a Council meeting as appointed by the President. Unless on a motion moved by a Member the Council determines that such leave be refused, the Council shall be deemed to have ordered that such leave be granted. Where the request for leave of the Council is sought during any recess or adjournment or dissolution of the Council, such leave may be given by the President.

### Requests

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At its meeting of 3 June 2015, the Council granted leave for two requests made respectively by Y.S. LAU & Partners and the Acting Deputy Director of Public Prosecutions of the Department of Justice.

On 28 August 2015 when the Council was in recess, the President gave leave, under section 7(2) of Cap. 382 and Rule 90(4) of the Rules of Procedure, for the request made by the Acting Assistant Director of Public Prosecutions of the Department of Justice.

## Policy Address debate

The Chief Executive addresses the Council on his policies on the HKSAR in every session. The Chairman of the House Committee moves a motion to thank the Chief Executive for his Policy Address ("Motion of Thanks") at a Council meeting held after the address. A debate then follows, with Members commenting on the Policy Address and public officers responding to such comments.

Delivery of Policy Address	14 January 2015
Debate on Motion of Thanks	11 to 13 February 2015
No. of amendments to the Motion	8 (all negated)
Voting on the Motion	13 February 2015 (negated)



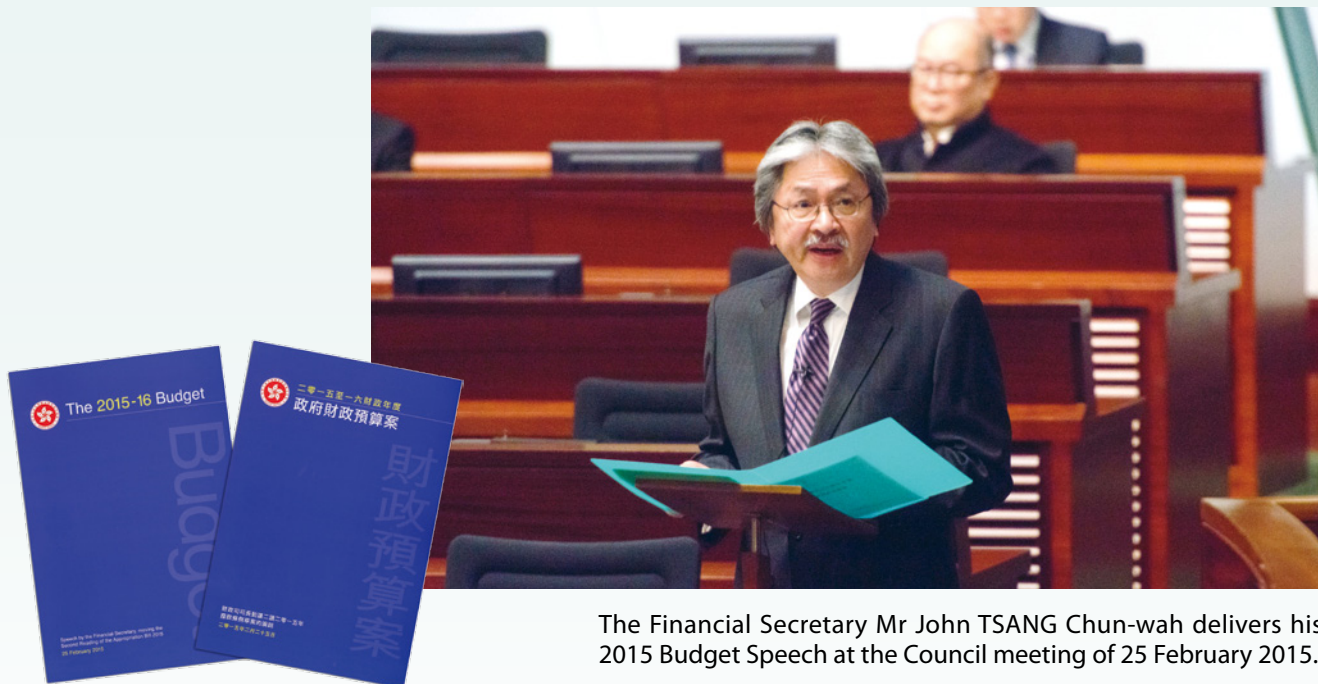


The Chief Executive Mr CY LEUNG delivers his Policy Address, entitled “Uphold the Rule of Law, Seize the Opportunities, Make the Right Choices, Purse Democracy, Boost the Economy, Improve People’s Livelihood”, at the Council meeting of 14 January 2015.

Members speak on the Motion of Thanks during the debate held from 11 to 13 February 2015.







The Financial Secretary Mr John TSANG Chun-wah delivers his 2015 Budget Speech at the Council meeting of 25 February 2015.

## Budget debate

Before the end of a financial year on 31 March, the Financial Secretary presents to the Council his Budget for the next financial year commencing on 1 April in the form of an Appropriation Bill and the Estimates of Expenditure. After the Finance Committee has examined the proposed Estimates of Expenditure at its special meetings, the Appropriation Bill is brought back to the Council for consideration and decision. The Finance Committee held eight meetings between 27 March and 2 April 2015 to examine the 2015-2016 Estimates of Expenditure.

Of the 3 904 Committee stage amendments proposed to the Appropriation Bill 2015 ("Bill"), 618 were ruled admissible, of which 554 were proposed by four Members. Those four Members filibustered the proceedings of the Bill by successively requesting to speak and repeatedly asking for quorum calls. The Budget debate lasted 18 meeting days.

Bill introduced	25 February 2015
Budget debate	15 April to 28 May 2015 (18 meeting days)
No. of Committee stage amendments to the Bill	618 (all negated)
Bill passed	28 May 2015





Members with different political affiliations conduct media briefings to express views on the Budget Speech.





## Chief Executive's Question and Answer Sessions

Four Council meetings were held in January, March, May and July 2015 respectively, at which the Chief Executive addressed the Council and answered questions put to him by Members.



A Chief Executive's Question and Answer Session.





# Chapter 3

## Committees

Members perform the critical roles of scrutinizing bills and subsidiary legislation, examining and approving public expenditure and monitoring the work of the Government through a committee system.





There are three standing committees: the Finance Committee, the Public Accounts Committee and the Committee on Members' Interests. Standing committees, by virtue of section 9(1) of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382), may order any person to give evidence, while all other committees may also have this power, where so authorized by the Council, under section 9(2) of the Ordinance.

There are other committees of a standing nature with specific functions stipulated in the Rules of Procedure, namely the Committee on Rules of Procedure, the Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records, the House Committee and panels.

The Committee on Rules of Procedure reviews the Rules of Procedure of the Council and the committee system and proposes to the Council such amendments or changes as are considered necessary.

The Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records determines whether a document or record of the Legislature (or its committee) should be made available for access earlier than the expiry of the closure period specified in the Policy on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records.

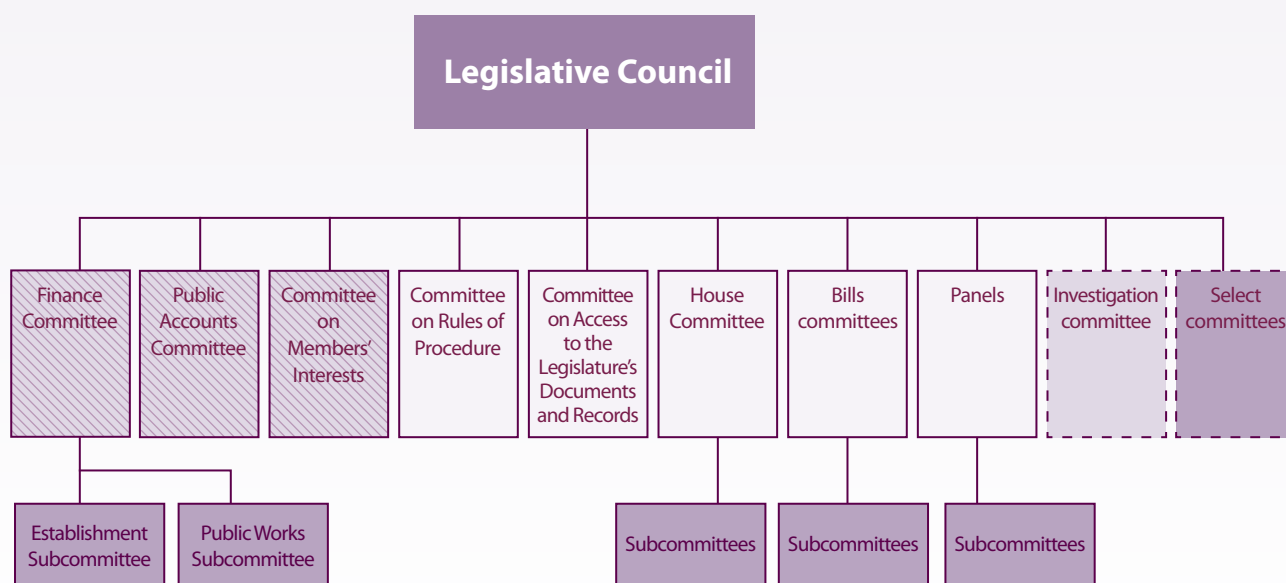
The House Committee considers any matters relating to the business of the Council and monitors progress made in studying bills and subsidiary legislation. Bills and subsidiary legislation that require more in-depth study are scrutinized respectively by bills committees and subcommittees, and these committees would report their deliberations to the House Committee.

The committees that monitor and examine policy issues are called panels. There are currently 18 panels, the formation and terms of reference of which were approved by the Council on the recommendation of the House Committee.


Apart from the above, an investigation committee may be established under Rule 49B(2A) (Disqualification of Member from Office) of the Rules of Procedure upon the moving of a censure motion under Rule 49B(1A). After completing its work, the investigation committee is required to report to the Council and is dissolved after tabling of its report. Select committees may be appointed by the Council for in-depth consideration of matters or bills. In addition, a petition presented to the Council will be referred to a select committee under Rule 20(6) of the Rules of Procedure if the request for the petition to be referred is supported by not less than 20 Members. As soon as a select committee has completed consideration of the matter or bill referred to it, it reports to the Council and is thereupon dissolved.




## The committee system of the Legislative Council



 Standing committee of the Council

 An investigation committee may be established under Rule 49B(2A) of the Rules of Procedure following the moving of a motion to censure a Member.

 One or more select committees may be appointed by the Council to consider matters or bills. A petition presented to the Council may be referred to a select committee under Rule 20(6) of the Rules of Procedure.





## Finance Committee




Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, Chairman of the Finance Committee.



Hon CHAN Kin-por, Deputy Chairman of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee is one of the three standing committees of the Council. It scrutinizes and approves public expenditure proposals submitted by the Financial Secretary. Each year, upon presentation of the Appropriation Bill to the Council, the President refers the Estimates of Expenditure to the Finance Committee for examination at its special meetings held for this purpose. After the Appropriation Bill has been passed, the Committee carries out the function to approve any proposed changes to the approved Estimates.

Chairman	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan
Deputy Chairman	Hon CHAN Kin-por
No. of members	69 (all the Members other than the President)
No. of meetings held	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 74 meetings for scrutinizing financial proposals</li> <li>- 8 special meetings for examining the Estimates of Expenditure</li> <li>- 3 meetings for receiving a briefing by the Financial Secretary on the Budget and for dealing with other in-house business</li> </ul>
Subcommittees under the Finance Committee	 <u>Public Works Subcommittee</u> and <u>Establishment Subcommittee</u>





### Major work

- The Finance Committee deliberated on 100 financial proposals during the session. With the exception of the two proposals relating to the establishment of a new Innovation and Technology Bureau, which were carried forward from the previous session, the Committee finished deliberation on and approved all the financial proposals put forward by the Administration. The 98 approved proposals included \$107.26 billion worth of 63 public works projects, 10 establishment proposals and 25 non-public works financial proposals which cost some \$41.35 billion;
- The major public works projects and livelihood-related items approved by the Committee included:
  - three landfill extension projects and the development of an integrated waste management facilities costing \$28.85 billion in total;
  - Liantang/Heung Yuen Wai Boundary Control Point and associated works involving some \$17.53 billion in financial commitment;
  - planning, engineering and architectural study for topside development at Hong Kong boundary crossing facilities island of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge, at a cost of around \$64.04 million;
  - a loan for the establishment of a non-profit making private teaching hospital by the Chinese University of Hong Kong involving \$4 billion in financial commitment; and
  - special rent payment for public housing tenants and additional provision for social security recipients involving a commitment of \$6.68 billion in total;



A meeting of the Finance Committee.







Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan (right) and Hon CHAN Kin-por (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Finance Committee, speak at the end-of-session press conference.

- The Committee held a series of special meetings comprising 20 sessions between 27 March and 2 April 2015 to examine the 2015-2016 Estimates of Expenditure; and
- Prior to the special meetings, members raised a total of 7 093 written questions seeking written replies from the Government on the Estimates of Expenditure. A total of 158 supplementary questions and requests for additional information were referred to the Administration for reply after the special meetings. The Council passed the Appropriation Bill 2015 at the Council meeting of 28 May 2015.

[🔗 [Report on the examination of the Estimates of Expenditure 2015-2016](#)]





## Public Works Subcommittee



Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, Chairman of the Public Works Subcommittee.



Hon WU Chi-wai, Deputy Chairman of the Public Works Subcommittee.

The Public Works Subcommittee examines and makes recommendations to the Finance Committee on the Government's proposals to upgrade projects to or downgrade them from Category A of the Public Works Programme, or concerning changes to the scope of and approved estimates for Category A projects. Projects belonging to Category A are those with detailed design and are accorded priority for commencement of construction.

Chairman	Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit
Deputy Chairman	Hon WU Chi-wai
No. of members	48 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	31 (including five special meetings to consider the applications from 12 Members for late membership)

### Major work

During the session, the Subcommittee examined 63 proposals, of which 57 were recommended to the Finance Committee for approval, four were rejected, one was withdrawn by the Government and one had the discussion adjourned.





Members of the Public Works Subcommittee receive a briefing on the construction of the Sludge Treatment Facility in Tuen Mun.

## *Local visit*

### *Visit to the Sludge Treatment Facility in Tuen Mun*

On 27 June 2015, the Subcommittee visited the Sludge Treatment Facility, where the first phase of plant facilities has commenced operation, to gain first-hand information about the sludge treatment process.

Subcommittee members visit the Continuous Emission Monitoring System Room in the Sludge Treatment Facility.





## Establishment Subcommittee



Hon Kenneth LEUNG, Chairman of the Establishment Subcommittee.



Hon SIN Chung-kai, Deputy Chairman of the Establishment Subcommittee.

The Establishment Subcommittee examines and makes recommendations to the Finance Committee on the Government's proposals for the creation, redeployment and deletion of permanent and supernumerary directorate posts and for changes to the structure of civil service grades and ranks.

Chairman	Hon Kenneth LEUNG
Deputy Chairman	Hon SIN Chung-kai
No. of members	41 [ <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	19 (including four special meetings to consider the applications from 18 Members for late membership)

### Major work

During the session, the Subcommittee examined 18 proposals (involving 37 directorate or equivalent posts) put forward by the Government, of which 15 (involving 32 directorate or equivalent posts) were recommended to the Finance Committee for approval, one was rejected and two had the discussion adjourned.

A meeting of the Establishment Subcommittee.



## Public Accounts Committee



Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him (right) and Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee.

The Public Accounts Committee is one of the three standing committees of the Council. It is responsible for considering the Director of Audit's reports on the Government's accounts, as well as the results of value for money audits carried out on the Government and other organizations within the purview of public audit.

Chairman	Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him
Deputy Chairman	Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun
No. of members	7 [ <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	21
No. of public hearings held	15
No. of witnesses who appeared before the Committee	61

The Public Accounts Committee briefs the press on the Committee Report No. 64.





### Major work

- The Committee examined the Director of Audit's Report on the Accounts of the Government for the year ended 31 March 2014 and the Reports on the Results of Value for Money Audits (Reports Nos. 63 and 64);
- The Committee called for explanations and obtained evidence from public officers, the managerial staff of public organizations and other relevant persons as deemed necessary; and
- Items being investigated by the Committee included:
  - provision of long-term care services for the elderly;
  - provision of health services for the elderly;
  - new Civil Aviation Department Headquarters;
  - administration of the air traffic control and related services;
  - Government's efforts in enhancing tree safety;
  - provision of public open space in private developments;
  - provision of cycle track network in the New Territories;
  - services provided by the Government Laboratory;
  - Buildings Department's actions on unauthorized building works;
  - operation of the Government Flying Service;
  - public cooked food markets managed by the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department;
  - management of water supply and demand;
  - Hong Kong Sports Institute Limited;
  - employees' compensation for injuries and fatalities;
  - Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre; and
  - rehabilitation services provided by the Correctional Services Department.

The Committee's conclusions and recommendations are contained in the Public Accounts Committee Reports Nos. 63, 63A and 64, which were tabled in Council on 11 February, 3 June and 8 July 2015 respectively.

### Reports of the Committee

Public officers attend public hearings of the Committee to give evidence.





Members of the Public Accounts Committee visit the Government Flying Service.

## *Local visit*

### *Visit to the Government Flying Service and the Civil Aviation Department*

On 23 May 2015, the Committee visited the Government Flying Service to observe its operation and the Civil Aviation Department to observe the operation of the existing Air Traffic Management System ("ATMS") and the testing of the new ATMS.

Committee members are briefed on the testing of the new Air Traffic Management System at the Civil Aviation Department.






## Committee on Members' Interests



Hon IP Kwok-him (right) and Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Committee on Members' Interests.

The Committee on Members' Interests is one of the three standing committees of the Council. It examines the arrangements made for the compilation, maintenance and accessibility of the Register of Members' Interests. It considers and investigates complaints made in relation to Members' registration and declaration of interests and their conduct concerning claims for the reimbursement of operating expenses or applications for advance of operating funds. It also considers matters of ethics in relation to Members' conduct in their capacity as such, and gives advice and issues guidelines on such matters, etc.

Chairman	Hon IP Kwok-him
Deputy Chairman	Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing
No. of members	7 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	11
No. of complaints handled	19



## Major work

- After consulting all Members, the Committee adopted on 9 December 2014 a revised procedure for it to handle complaints received;
- After consulting all Members, the Committee proposed amendments to Rule 83A of the Rules of Procedure on disclosure of pecuniary interests. However, the motion to amend the Rule, moved by the Chairman of the Committee at the Council meeting of 18 March 2015, was negatived; and
- The Committee held 10 closed meetings to consider complaints lodged against five Members. On 10 June 2015, the Committee submitted a report to the Council on its consideration of the complaints against three of these Members. The Committee will continue with its handling of the complaints against the other two Members in the next session.

The Committee on Members' Interests holds a press conference after tabling a Committee's report in Council.





## Committee on Rules of Procedure



Hon TAM Yiu-chung, Chairman of the Committee on Rules of Procedure.



Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, Deputy Chairman of the Committee on Rules of Procedure.

The Committee on Rules of Procedure reviews the Council's Rules of Procedure ("RoP") and the committee system, as well as proposes any amendments or changes it considers necessary to the Council.

Chairman	Hon TAM Yiu-chung
Deputy Chairman	Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit
No. of members	12 [ <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	4

### Major work

- The Committee continued to study the three proposals to deal with filibusters, including a proposed procedure for allocation of time for debates at the Committee stage of bills and two proposals for handling voluminous proposed amendments to bills. As there was no consensus among members on the proposals, the Committee decided not to further study the subject matter at this stage. Nevertheless, the Committee noted that the power of the President to set limits to and terminate a debate according to the Basic Law and the RoP was affirmed in the judgment of the Court of Final Appeal handed down on 29 September 2014<sup>1</sup>;
- The Committee examined various proposals to deal with the making of incessant quorum calls for the purpose of filibustering, including whether the quorum requirement in Article 75 of the Basic Law should apply throughout the proceedings of Council meetings, making reference to the

<sup>1</sup> *LEUNG Kwok-hung v. The President of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and another* (2014) 17 HKCFAR 689.

advice of Lord Lester of Herne Hill, QC. The divergent views of Members on the proposals had been conveyed to the President for consideration;

- The Committee reviewed the existing procedures and arrangements for the debate on the Motion of Thanks in respect of the Chief Executive's Policy Address. The Committee considered that the existing wording, voting arrangement and the grouping of policy areas under different sessions should be maintained. Members of the Committee had been requested to consult Members belonging to their political parties/groupings on the proposal to adjust the speaking time limit from 30 minutes to 25 minutes for each Member;
- The Committee studied issues relating to proposed amendments to a motion during the extension of a committee meeting. The Committee agreed that committee members could propose amendments to a motion during the period of extension of a meeting provided that the motion was proposed during the appointed meeting time;
- The Committee reviewed the existing provisions under the RoP as well as the practice and procedure established by various committees regarding disclosure of pecuniary interests. The Committee concluded that the existing provisions and practice could deal with the chairing of meetings by a committee chairman who has direct pecuniary interests in a matter under consideration by the committee; and
- The Committee noted that chairmen of committees have the discretionary power to rule out names of groups/organizations with connotation that might compromise the dignity or solemnity of the proceedings of the committees. Should the chairman rule that the name of a group/organization could not be used for submission of views to the committee, the representative of the group/organization concerned may give views in his/her personal capacity.

[🔊 [Report of the Committee](#)]



The Rules of Procedure of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and the House Rules.



## Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, Chairman of the Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records.



Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, Deputy Chairman of the Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records.

The Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records determines whether a document or record of the Legislature (or its committee) should be made available for access earlier than the expiry of the closure period specified in the Policy on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records ("the Policy"); sets guidelines for implementing the Policy; considers any objection against the denial of access to such a document or record by the Clerk to the Legislative Council; and considers any other matter relating to or arising from the Policy. The composition and size of the membership of the Committee are modelled on those of The Legislative Council Commission.

Chairman	Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing
Deputy Chairman	Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen
No. of members	13 [ <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	2

### Major work

- The Committee drew up a set of practice and procedure to ensure transparency, efficiency and consistency in handling access requests for the Legislature's documents and records; and
- The Committee held a meeting to consider an access request for a confidential file of the Legislature which is subject to a closure period of 50 years. The request was approved, with the exception of two newspaper articles contained in the file the copyright of which is owned by the newspaper publishers concerned and is still subsisting. [ [List of approved cases](#) and [list of denied cases](#)]

## House Committee



Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen (right) and Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the House Committee.

The House Committee normally meets weekly on Fridays while the Council is in session to prepare for meetings of the Council and considers matters relating to the Council's business. An important function of the Committee is to decide the manner of consideration of bills introduced into the Council and subsidiary legislation tabled in Council or presented to the Council for approval. The Committee also serves as a focal point for establishing a formal and regular dialogue with the Government. The Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Committee meet with the Chief Secretary for Administration on a regular basis to discuss matters of mutual concern.

Chairman	Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen
Deputy Chairman	Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30 September 2015)
No. of members	69 (all the Members other than the President)
No. of meetings held	35 (including three special meetings)

### Major work

- The Committee considered 21 bills introduced into the Council and formed 18 bills committees to scrutinize bills;
- The Committee considered 186 items of subsidiary legislation, one Technical Memorandum and 16 proposed resolutions presented by the Government, and formed 36 subcommittees to study 78 items of subsidiary legislation/ draft subsidiary legislation, one Technical Memorandum and three proposed resolutions;



- The Committee also considered 18 items of subsidiary legislation not required to be tabled in Council, among which 12 items were made under the United Nations Sanctions Ordinance (Cap. 537). The Committee had referred these 12 items of subsidiary legislation to the Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions set up under the Committee for consideration;
- The Committee held three special meetings to discuss with the Chief Secretary for Administration and senior Government officials the strategies and key initiatives of the population policy, and the lead in drinking water incidents;
- The Committee discussed Members' proposals to follow up the Police's handling of public assemblies since late September 2014 and the illegal occupation of roads arising from these assemblies. After voting, the Committee supported the proposal for the Chairman of the Committee to move a motion to seek the Council's authorization for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into issues relating to the illegal occupation of roads arising from these assemblies but the motion was negated by the Council; and
- The Committee discussed and supported a Member's proposal to hold an adjournment debate on the relationship between the incident of petrol bomb attack on a media organization and freedom of the press in Hong Kong at the Council meeting of 21 January 2015.

A meeting of the House Committee.



Mrs Carrie LAM CHENG Yuet-ngor, Chief Secretary for Administration, attends a special House Committee meeting to answer questions raised by Members on the lead in drinking water incidents.

## Subcommittees of the House Committee

The House Committee may appoint a subcommittee to assist its consideration of an item of subsidiary legislation or an instrument made under an ordinance, and an issue of public concern which falls outside the purview of panels or any other matter relating to the business of the Council. The following shows the subcommittees which were in operation during the session.

<p><u>Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation</u> (see <b>Appendix 3</b> for Membership list)</p>	<p>The House Committee formed 36 subcommittees to consider 78 items of subsidiary legislation/draft subsidiary legislation, one Technical Memorandum and three proposed resolutions presented by the Government for the Council's approval during the session.</p>
<p><u>Subcommittee on Poverty</u> [ <u>Membership list</u>]</p>	<p>The Subcommittee was appointed by the House Committee in October 2012 to study relevant policies and measures to ease the disparity between the rich and the poor and alleviate poverty, follow up the work of the Government's Commission on Poverty and make timely recommendations. The Subcommittee continued its work in this session.</p>
<p><u>Parliamentary Liaison Subcommittee</u> [ <u>Membership list</u>]</p>	<p>The Subcommittee coordinates all parliamentary liaison activities between the Legislative Council and other parliamentary organizations outside Hong Kong, considers proposals to establish friendship groups with such organizations, and makes recommendations to the House Committee on these matters.</p>
<p><u>Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement</u> [ <u>Membership list</u>]</p>	<p>The Subcommittee was set up under the House Committee in every term since the Second Legislative Council to study issues relating to Members' remuneration and operating expenses reimbursement.</p>
<p><u>Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions</u> [ <u>Membership list</u>]</p>	<p>The Subcommittee was set up under the House Committee to examine the implementation in Hong Kong of resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to sanctions by Regulations made under section 3 of the United Nations Sanctions Ordinance (Cap. 537) and to follow up the recommendations made by the previous Subcommittee appointed by the Fourth Legislative Council. The Subcommittee continued its work in this session.</p>



## Subcommittees of the House Committee

Subcommittee to Prepare for the Operation of the Select Committee on the Petition Presented at the Council Meeting of 25 June 2014  
[[Membership list](#)]

The Subcommittee was appointed by the House Committee in July 2014 to undertake preparatory work for the operation of the Select Committee established pursuant to the presentation of a petition in Council in connection with the delay in the construction of the Hong Kong section of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link. The Subcommittee completed its work in this session and submitted its report to the House Committee in November 2014.

Subcommittee on Proposals on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive in 2017  
[[Membership list](#)]

The Subcommittee was appointed by the House Committee in April 2015 to study the Administration's proposals on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive in 2017 and the relevant draft motion. The Subcommittee completed its work in this session and submitted its report to the House Committee in June 2015.

Subcommittee to Study Issues Relating to Mainland-HKSAR Families

The Subcommittee was appointed by the House Committee in January 2015 to study issues relating to Mainland-HKSAR families and make recommendations where necessary.

Subcommittee to Follow Up Issues Relating to the Three-runway System at the Hong Kong International Airport

The Subcommittee was appointed by the House Committee in May 2015 to study and follow up issues relating to the three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport, including the feasibility of the three-runway system, its scope and design details, financial arrangement, existing capacity of the Hong Kong International Airport, environmental impacts, and related matters.



## Bills committees

The House Committee may allocate bills, other than the Appropriation Bill and bills not referred to the House Committee by the Council, to bills committees for detailed scrutiny. A bills committee will consider the principles and merits of the bill concerned and its detailed provisions, and may propose amendments to the bill. All Members other than the President may join any bills committee. The Chairman of each bills committee is elected from among its members. After a bills committee has completed scrutiny of a bill, it notifies the House Committee and advises the Committee in writing of its deliberations. Bills committees are dissolved upon enactment of the bills concerned or as decided by the House Committee.

The maximum number of bills committees that may be in operation at any one time is limited to 16. When more than 16 bills committees are formed, a queuing system will automatically be activated.

Bills committees in operation during the session	34
Bills scrutinized	34
Bills committees which completed their scrutiny work and reported to the House Committee	21
Bills committees which were still in operation by the end of session	13
Meetings of bills committees held	165

A meeting of a bills committee.







Members of the Bills Committee on District Cooling Services Bill visit the Kai Tak Development to better understand the operation of the district cooling system.

### *Local visit*

#### *Visit to the Kai Tak Development*

The Bills Committee on District Cooling Services Bill visited the Kai Tak Development on 24 February 2015 to gain a better understanding of the operation of the district cooling system.

Members of the Bills Committee on District Cooling Services Bill observe the operation of the control room of the district cooling system's northern plant at the Kai Tak Development.





## Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation

The House Committee may appoint subcommittees to assist its consideration of subsidiary legislation and instruments made under relevant ordinances. A subcommittee will consider the policy aspects of the subsidiary legislation/instrument concerned, its detailed provisions and amendments, if any, to the subsidiary legislation/instrument. All Members other than the President may join any such subcommittee. The Chairman of each subcommittee is elected from among its members. A subcommittee reports its deliberations to the House Committee upon completion of scrutiny work. There is no restriction on the maximum number of such subcommittees operating at any one time.

Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in operation during the session	40
Subsidiary legislation scrutinized	87
Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation which completed their scrutiny work and reported to the House Committee	31
Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation which were still in operation by the end of session	9
Meetings of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation held	47

A meeting of a subcommittee on subsidiary legislation.





## Panels

Panels are committees of the Council. They provide a forum for Members to deliberate on policy matters and study issues relating to the policy areas of their corresponding bureaux which are of public concern. Items for discussion can be brought up by members of the panel, referred to it by the House Committee or other committees, proposed by the Government, or raised by other Members following meetings with District Councils or upon receipt of complaints or representations. Panels also give views on major legislative and financial proposals before their introduction into the Council or Finance Committee.

A panel may appoint subcommittees to study specific issues and present reports to the Council as it considers appropriate. A panel or its subcommittee may meet jointly with another panel or its subcommittee to consider any matter of common interest to the two panels.

The chairman and deputy chairman of a panel are elected by and from among its members.

The 18 panels are as follows:

- Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services
- Panel on Commerce and Industry
- Panel on Constitutional Affairs
- Panel on Development
- Panel on Economic Development
- Panel on Education
- Panel on Environmental Affairs
- Panel on Financial Affairs
- Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene
- Panel on Health Services
- Panel on Home Affairs
- Panel on Housing
- Panel on Information Technology and Broadcasting
- Panel on Manpower
- Panel on Public Service
- Panel on Security
- Panel on Transport
- Panel on Welfare Services



## Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services




Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun, Chairman of the Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services.



Hon Dennis KWOK, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services.

The Panel monitors and examines, consistent with maintaining the independence of the Judiciary and the rule of law, policy matters relating to the administration of justice and legal services, including the effectiveness of their implementation by relevant officials and departments.

Chairman	Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun
Deputy Chairman	Hon Dennis KWOK
No. of members	23 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	10

### Major work

- The Panel continued to monitor the manpower and other support for the Judiciary. Members urged the Judiciary to expedite its reviews on the terms and conditions of service of judges and judicial officers (“JJOs”) and on the statutory retirement ages of JJOs and to further strengthen legal and professional support to judges;





- Members urged the Department of Justice (“DoJ”) to strictly comply with the Prosecution Code in its handling of cases arising from or relating to the “Occupy Movement” so as to uphold the rule of law in Hong Kong. At the Panel’s request, the Secretary for Justice agreed to explain to the public the prosecutions policy on the handling of these cases at a suitable time;
- Members generally supported the introduction of a common entrance examination as an alternative route for law graduates to qualify as lawyers in Hong Kong, so that law graduates who were denied admission to the Postgraduate Certificate in Laws (“PCLL”) programmes due to limited PCLL places could have another chance to become lawyers and to better meet the varying circumstances of law graduates, such as those law graduates who attained their law degrees some years after graduating with non-law degrees; and
- Members urged the Legal Aid Services Council (“LASC”) to expedite its review on expanding the scope of the Supplementary Legal Aid Scheme to improve access to justice. In view of the comments made by some members of the legal sector that legal aid work was often distributed to same solicitors and counsel on the Legal Aid Panel, the Administration agreed to review the existing limits on legal aid assignments in consultation with LASC and the two legal professional bodies, viz. the Hong Kong Bar Association and the Law Society of Hong Kong.

[🔊 Report of the Panel]





Members of the Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services pose for a photo with Hon Geoffrey MA Tao-li (sixth from left), Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal, and Hon Mr Justice CHEUNG (fifth from left), Chief Judge of the High Court, during a visit to the Judiciary in the Court of Final Appeal Building.

## *Local visit*

### *Visit to the Judiciary*

On 9 March 2015, the Panel visited the Judiciary in the Court of Final Appeal Building and exchanged views with the Chief Justice and some judges on issues of wide public concern, such as judicial independence, long court waiting times and provision of screens for complainants in sexual offence cases during court proceedings.

Panel members meet with Hon Geoffrey MA Tao-li (second from right), Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal, to exchange views on issues of wide public concern.





## Panel on Commerce and Industry




Hon WONG Ting-kwong, Chairman of the Panel on Commerce and Industry.



Hon Vincent FANG Kang, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Commerce and Industry.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to commerce, industry, business and services promotion, innovation and technology, intellectual property protection and inward investment promotion.

Chairman	Hon WONG Ting-kwong
Deputy Chairman	Hon Vincent FANG Kang
No. of members	14 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	11 (including one joint Panel meeting)

### Major work

- The Panel discussed the enhancement measures set out in the Final Report on the Comprehensive Review on the Innovation and Technology Fund ("ITF"), and supported the proposed injection of \$5 billion into the ITF to bring new impetus to the sustained development of innovation and technology in Hong Kong;
- The Panel discussed the report findings of a comprehensive review on Research and Development Centres set up under the ITF, and supported extending the operation of the Centres to 31 March 2021;
- The Panel studied and supported the proposed establishment of a Corporate Venture Fund to bridge the funding gap of technology start-ups, and the implementation of the revised Industrial Estate Programme to optimize the use of land in the three existing Industrial Estates and to accord admission priority to science, innovation and technology based industries;

- The Panel was briefed on the measures recommended by the Working Group on Intellectual Property Trading to promote intellectual property trading in Hong Kong, and supported the Administration's proposals to establish an original grant patent system, refine the existing short-term patent system, and introduce an interim measure for regulating local patent practitioners;
- The Panel discussed the key findings and recommendations of the consultancy study commissioned by the Government on the future demand for convention and exhibition facilities in Hong Kong, and supported the construction of a new convention centre above the Exhibition Station of the Shatin to Central Link;
- The Panel was updated on the implementation progress of the Dedicated Fund on Branding, Upgrading and Domestic Sales, and called for improvement measures to strengthen support for small and medium enterprises ("SMEs"); and
- The Panel discussed and supported the Administration's proposal to implement enhancement measures, and inject \$1.5 billion into the SME Export Marketing and Development Funds to assist SMEs to enhance their competitiveness and explore export markets.

#### [📎 Report of the Panel]

The Panel on Commerce and Industry is briefed by the Administration on the findings and the latest recommendations as set out in the Final Report on the Comprehensive Review on the Innovation and Technology Fund.





## Panel on Constitutional Affairs




Hon TAM Yiu-chung, Chairman of the Panel on Constitutional Affairs.



Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Constitutional Affairs.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to the implementation of the Joint Declaration and the Basic Law, relations between the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (“HKSAR”) Government and the Central People’s Government and other Mainland authorities, electoral matters, district organizations, human rights, personal data protection and press freedom.

Chairman	Hon TAM Yiu-chung
Deputy Chairman	Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun
No. of members	53 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	14

### Major work

- The Panel discussed the Consultation Document on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive by Universal Suffrage (“Consultation Document”) and received public views on the Consultation Document;
- The Panel was consulted on the necessary technical amendments for the 2016 Legislative Council General Election, including technical amendments concerning the electorate of functional constituencies (“FCs”), the name of an FC and counting procedures for the election;
- The Panel was consulted on the provisional recommendations of the Electoral Affairs Commission (“EAC”) on the boundaries and the names of geographical constituencies for the 2016 Legislative Council General Election;

- The Panel discussed the Proposed Guidelines on Election-related Activities in respect of the District Council ("DC") Election issued by EAC, and the publicity programme to promote the 2015 DC Ordinary Election;
- The Panel received briefings by the Chairperson of the Equal Opportunities Commission ("EOC") on the progress of the Discrimination Law Review and an update on EOC's work;
- The Panel received a briefing by the Privacy Commissioner for Personal Data on an update on his Office's work;
- The Panel discussed the outcome of the consideration by the United Nations Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women of the third report of the HKSAR under the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women; and
- The Panel discussed the Consultation Paper on Disqualification of Candidates with Unserved Prison Sentences and Other Related Matters, the consultation outcome and the Administration's proposed way forward.

#### [🔊 Report of the Panel]

A series of meetings of the Panel on Constitutional Affairs to receive public views on the Consultation Document on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive by Universal Suffrage.





## Panel on Development



Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen (right) and Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Development.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to lands, buildings, planning, water supply, development-related heritage conservation, Public Works Programme and other works matters.

Chairman	Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen
Deputy Chairman	Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat
No. of members	30 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	14
Subcommittee under the Panel	 <a href="#">Joint Subcommittee to Monitor the Implementation of the West Kowloon Cultural District Project</a>

### Major work

- The Panel discussed with the Administration the latter's new and ongoing initiatives to increase housing land supply, including the studies on the Tung Chung New Town Extension and the Hung Shui Kiu New Development Area. Through the discussions, members drew the Administration's attention to issues of concern and offered suggestions for refining land development proposals;

- The Panel continued to monitor the progress of the transformation of Kowloon East into a Central Business District and the implementation of the Kai Tak Development project. The Panel examined the Administration's proposals on public works projects relating to these initiatives, including a detailed feasibility study on the development of an Environmentally Friendly Linkage System in Kowloon East, the conversion of Tsun Yip Street Playground to Kwun Tong Industrial Culture Park, the construction of an elevated landscaped deck about 1.4 km long covering the re-aligned Shing Fung Road, and the implementation of Phase IIIB of the development of a district cooling system in the Kai Tak Development;
- The Panel reviewed the measures taken to increase manpower supply for the construction industry and discussed a pilot scheme to be implemented by the Construction Industry Council for training semi-skilled workers as well as a funding proposal to allocate \$100 million to cover part of the costs of the scheme;
- The Panel continued to monitor the Administration's work in conserving and revitalizing the heritage sites and buildings in Hong Kong. The Panel was briefed on the results of the Administration's policy review on the conservation of privately-owned historic buildings and gave views on the Administration's future work in this aspect;
- The Panel was consulted on the Administration's preliminary proposals to facilitate the redevelopment of the buildings developed under the Civil Servants' Co-operative Building Society Scheme. After hearing public views on the proposals, the Panel passed a motion urging the Administration to formulate other proposals which are more compassionate towards the retired civil servants affected and more practicable; and
- The Joint Subcommittee to Monitor the Implementation of the West Kowloon Cultural District Project established under the Panel and the Panel on Home Affairs continued its work in this session.

#### [📎 Report of the Panel]







Members of the Panel on Development receive an on-site briefing on the draft Recommended Outline Development Plan ("RODP") for the Ex-Lamma Quarry Area.

### *Local visit*

#### *Visit to the Ex-Lamma Quarry Area*

On 25 October 2014, the Panel visited the Ex-Lamma Quarry ("ELQ") Area to better understand the future land use of the ELQ Area proposed by the Administration under the draft Recommended Outline Development Plan.

Panel members meet with members of the Islands District Council, the Lamma Island (South) Rural Committee and local residents to listen to their views on the draft RODP.



## Panel on Economic Development




Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung, Chairman of the Panel on Economic Development.



Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Economic Development.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to economic infrastructure and services, including air and sea transport facilities and services, postal and weather information services, energy supply and safety, consumer protection, competition policy and tourism.

Chairman	Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung
Deputy Chairman	Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan
No. of members	25 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	13 (including one joint Panel meeting)

### Major work

- The Panel continued to study the development of the three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport and passed a motion requesting a subcommittee be set up to follow up related issues. As a wide range of matters was involved in this project, the Panel and the Panel on Environmental Affairs subsequently made a joint recommendation for the appointment of a subcommittee under the House Committee ("HC") to follow up related issues. The joint recommendation was endorsed by HC at its meeting on 15 May 2015;



- The Panel continued the annual review of electricity tariff of the two power companies for 2015. It also met with the Administration and deputations on the public consultation on future development of electricity market in Hong Kong, covering subjects on the readiness of Hong Kong to introduce competition in 2018, the future regulatory framework, and the outcome of the previous consultation on future fuel mix for electricity generation;
- The Panel discussed the preparatory work for the full implementation of the Competition Ordinance (Cap. 619) ("CO"), including the promulgation of the guidelines prepared by the Competition Commission. It also considered three subsidiary legislation proposals made by the Administration under the CO;
- The Panel discussed measures to strengthen consumer protection, including a briefing on the implementation of the amended Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362), and discussion on the prices of auto-fuel and domestic liquefied petroleum gas;
- The Panel followed up the actions taken by the Administration for implementing the recommendations made in the Report of the Commission of Inquiry into the Collision of Vessels near Lamma Island on 1 October 2012, and the arrangements in respect of perusal of the Report of the Transport and Housing Bureau's investigation into Staff Conduct in the Marine Department in relation to the Vessel Collision Incident near Lamma Island on 1 October 2012;
- The Panel was briefed on the latest development of port and logistics in Hong Kong. It also studied the proposals to incorporate in the relevant local legislation the latest requirements adopted by the International Maritime Organization in respect of improving maritime safety and preventing pollution from ships; and
- The Panel was briefed on the Hong Kong's capacity to receive tourists, the Hong Kong Tourism Board's work plan for 2015-2016, and the updates on the Kai Tak Cruise Terminal and Hong Kong Disneyland.

#### [📎] Report of the Panel





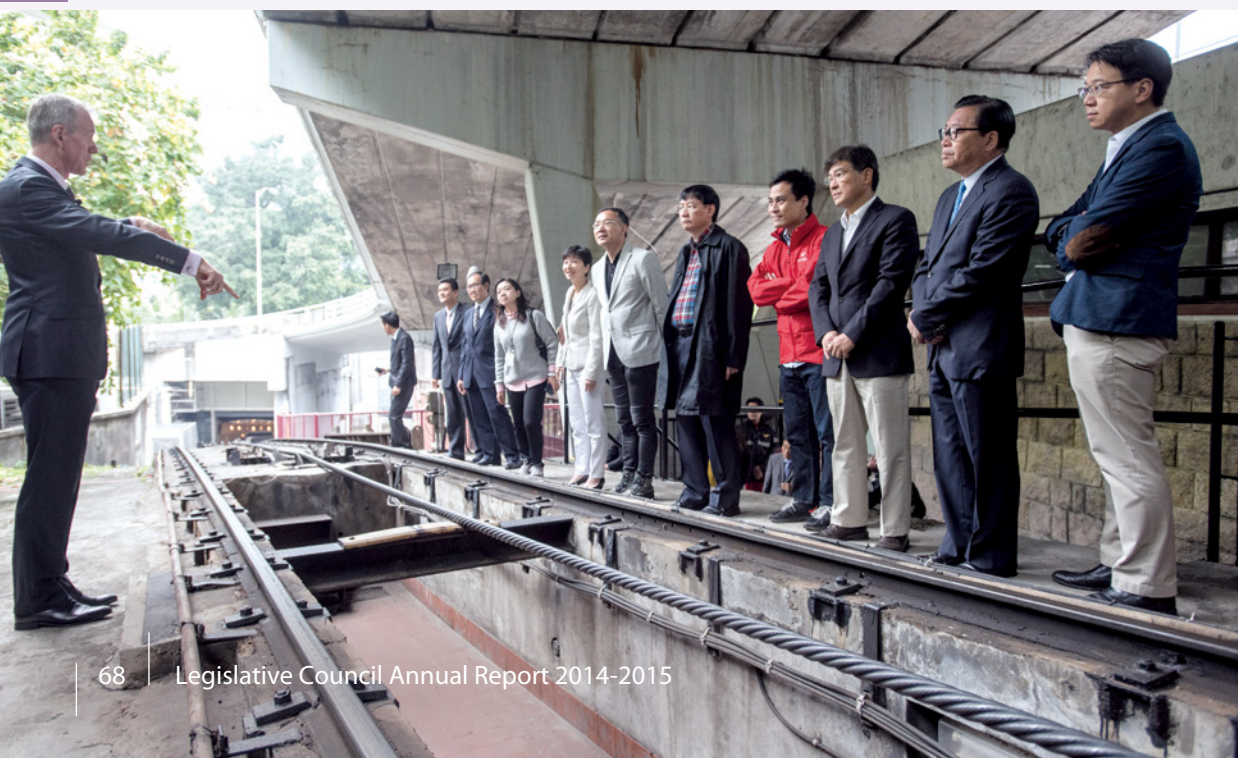
Members of the Panel on Economic Development receive a briefing on the upgrading plan of the Peak Tramways Company, Limited.

## *Local visit*

### *Visit to the peak tramway*

On 9 April 2015, the Panel visited the peak tramway to better understand its current operation and the upgrading plan proposed by the Peak Tramways Company, Limited for the facility after receiving the Administration's briefing on the long-term arrangements for the operation of the peak tramway.

Panel members gain a better understanding of the enhancement works of the Lower Terminus of the peak tramway.







## Panel on Education



Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai (right) and Hon IP Kin-yuen (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Education.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to education.

Chairman	Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai
Deputy Chairman	Hon IP Kin-yuen
No. of members	27 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	12
Subcommittee under the Panel	 <a href="#">Subcommittee to Study the Implementation of Free Kindergarten Education</a>

### Major work

- The Panel received views from deputations on issues relating to the governance and quality assurance of the self-financing post-secondary sector with reference to the report on a consultancy study commissioned by the Committee on Self-financing Post-secondary Education;



- Members gave views on the implementation of vocational education in Hong Kong, as well as the findings and recommendations in the Report of the Task Force on Promotion of Vocational Education;
- The Panel continued to follow closely the implementation of the Liberal Studies and Applied Learning subjects under the new senior secondary curriculum and received a briefing on the latest progress of the New Academic Structure Medium-Term Review. It also deliberated on the implementation of Chinese history education and the promotion of civic education in schools;
- Members exchanged views with the Administration on the latest development in using Putonghua as the medium of instruction for the Chinese Language subject in primary and secondary schools;
- The Panel was consulted on the Administration's plan to launch a pilot scheme on promoting interflow between sister schools in Hong Kong and the Mainland;
- The Panel passed a motion urging the Administration to, amongst others, expedite the redevelopment of ageing special schools;
- The Panel examined the employment opportunities for young teachers, the provision of teaching posts on the regular staff establishment of schools, as well as the teacher establishment in public sector primary schools; and
- The Subcommittee to Study the Implementation of Free Kindergarten Education established under the Panel commenced work in this session.

[🔊 Report of the Panel]







Members of the Panel on Education are briefed on the latest development of The Hong Kong Institute of Education ("HKIEd").

### *Local visit*

#### *Visit to The Hong Kong Institute of Education*

On 5 May 2015, the Panel visited The Hong Kong Institute of Education to understand the latest development in teacher training and education.

Panel members visit the Digital Arts Lab of HKIEd to know more about the students' learning environment.







Members of the delegation of the Panel on Education exchange views with a group of trainees at the Hessian Institute for Advanced Training in Technology in Germany.

### *Visit outside Hong Kong*

#### *Visit to Germany and Switzerland*

An overseas duty visit to Germany and Switzerland was conducted by the Panel from 20 to 26 September 2015 to acquire first-hand understanding on the vocational education and training systems in these two countries.

Delegation members visit the Industriepark Höchst in Germany, which is one of the Europe's largest research and production sites for the chemical and pharmaceutical industry.







Delegation members meet with representatives from various Hessian ministries to better understand the dual vocational training in Germany.

Delegation members tour the campus of the Zurich University of Applied Sciences in Switzerland.



Dr Therese STEFFEN (fifth from left), Head of Cooperation in Education Division of the State Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation in Switzerland, receives a souvenir from the delegation.



## Panel on Environmental Affairs




Hon CHAN Hak-kan, Chairman of the Panel on Environmental Affairs.



Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Environmental Affairs.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to environmental matters (including those on energy), conservation and sustainable development.

Chairman	Hon CHAN Hak-kan
Deputy Chairman	Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok
No. of members	24 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	14 (including one joint Panel meeting)

### Major work

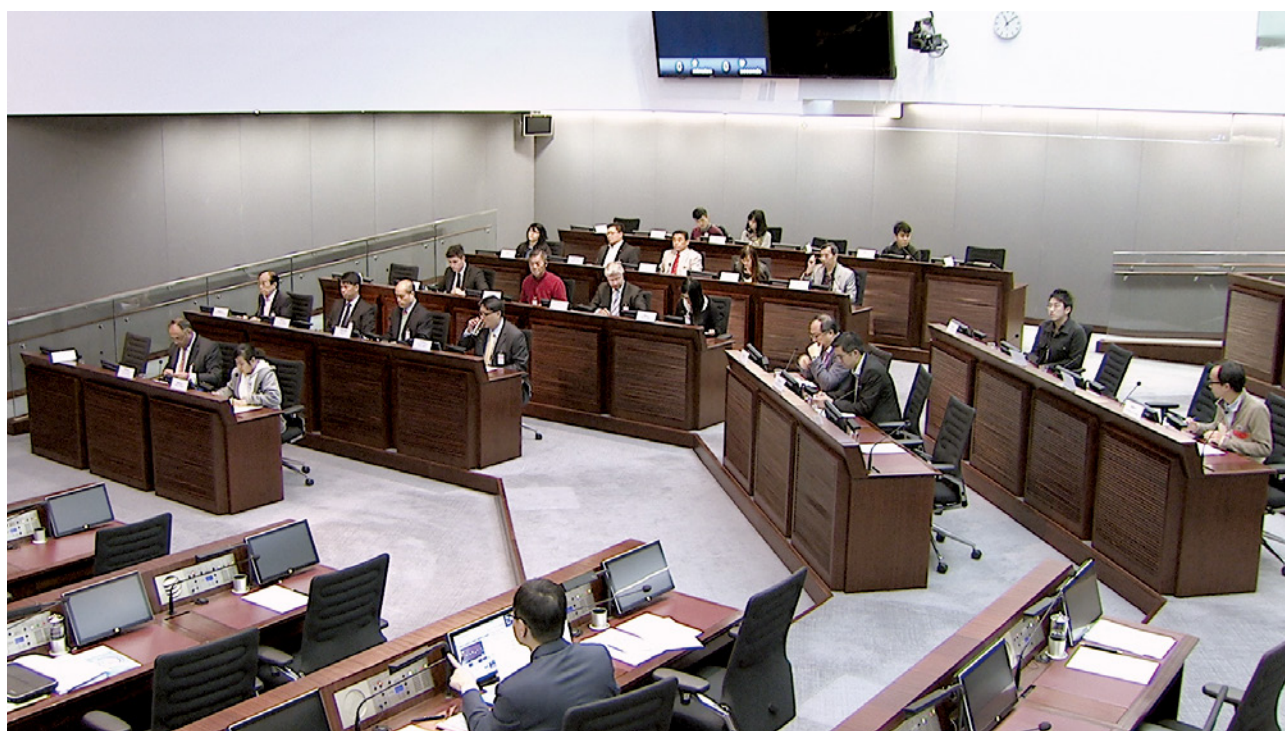
- The Panel discussed the Energy Saving Plan for Hong Kong's Built Environment 2015~2025+ and requested the Administration to improve the transparency of energy data of bureaux/departments for benchmarking and public inspection;
- The Panel was briefed on the legislative proposals for implementation of the mandatory Producer Responsibility Scheme ("PRS") on waste electrical and electronic equipment, and requested the Administration to put in place measures to ensure proper treatment of these waste equipment items by recyclers;



- The Panel received an update on the preparatory work for introducing a mandatory PRS on glass beverage bottles and the related legislative proposals, and made suggestions on ways to enhance the operation of the scheme;
- The Panel was consulted on the framework proposal for implementation of municipal solid waste charging in Hong Kong, and requested the Administration to formulate suitable complementary measures on waste reduction and recycling;
- The Panel discussed the environmental impact assessment of the three-runway system project at the Hong Kong International Airport, and urged the Administration to implement mitigation measures to protect the ecology at/near the site before commencing the project; and
- The Panel discussed the recommendations put forth by the Task Force on External Lighting and the Administration's proposed way forward to alleviate the problems caused by external lighting in Hong Kong. Members requested the Administration to proactively liaise with owners of external lighting installations to solicit their cooperation in minimizing nuisance caused by the installations.

#### Report of the Panel

The Panel on Environmental Affairs receives public views on the expansion of the Hong Kong International Airport into a three-runway system and its related impacts on the environment.



## Panel on Financial Affairs




Hon CHAN Kin-por, Chairman of the Panel on Financial Affairs.



Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Financial Affairs.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to financial and finance matters.

Chairman	Hon CHAN Kin-por
Deputy Chairman	Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung
No. of members	18 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	9

### Major work

- The Panel exchanged views with the Financial Secretary on matters relating to Hong Kong's macro-economic situations. Issues of concern expressed by Members included slow growth in inbound tourism and retail sales, continuous rise in local property prices, and increasing volatilities in the Hong Kong stock market;
- The Panel continued to receive briefings on the work of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority. Members exchanged views with the Authority on subjects including the performance of the Exchange Fund, and potential risks on the banking system and the economy arising from normalization of the United States interest rates in the near future;
- The Panel discussed with the Financial Services Development Council and the Administration measures to promote the development of the financial services industry in Hong Kong, including initiatives to nurture talents and attract graduates to work in the industry, and the proposed three-year pilot programme to enhance talent training for the insurance sector and the asset



and wealth management sector. To help develop the asset management industry, members expressed support for the legislative proposals to extend the profits tax exemption for offshore funds to private equity funds, and to provide concessionary profits tax to enterprises establishing corporate treasury centres in Hong Kong;

- The Panel was consulted on the proposed legal framework to implement the new standard on automatic exchange of financial account information in tax matters (“AEOI”). Members stressed the need for the Government to strike a proper balance between tax transparency and protection of personal data privacy, and prevent fishing expedition by AEOI partners in tax information exchange; and
- The Panel was briefed on the legislative proposal requiring Mandatory Provident Fund (“MPF”) schemes to provide a standardized Default Investment Strategy with features including de-risking and fee control in order to address public concern about high fees and complexity of investment choices of MPF schemes.

#### [📎] Report of the Panel

The Panel on Financial Affairs is briefed by Mr John TSANG Chun-wah, Financial Secretary, on Hong Kong’s latest overall economic situation.



The Panel on Financial Affairs is briefed by representatives of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority on its work.

## Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene





Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, Chairman of the Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene.



Hon Steven HO Chun-yin, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to food safety, environmental hygiene and agriculture and fisheries.

Chairman	Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan
Deputy Chairman	Hon Steven HO Chun-yin
No. of members	24 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	12
Subcommittees under the Panel	 <a href="#">Subcommittee on Issues Relating to Public Markets</a> and <a href="#">Subcommittee on Hawker Policy</a>

### Major work

- The Panel received a briefing on the outcome of the public consultation exercise on the proposed regulatory framework to enhance the regulation of nutrition and health claims on formula products and prepackaged foods for infants and children under the age of 36 months in Hong Kong;
- Members discussed the Administration's work in monitoring the supply and price levels of powdered formula and raised concern about the effectiveness of the pre-order services of powdered formula by the major suppliers;
- The Panel discussed the proposed set up of a checkpoint for local live poultry at the Government farm in Ta Kwu Ling. Some members urged the Administration to identify two separate sites to segregate imported live poultry from local live poultry to mitigate the avian influenza risks in the long run;



- Members discussed the implementation of the Food Safety Ordinance (Cap. 612) and raised concern about the absence of food inspection checkpoint at the Kwai Chung container terminal to conduct checks on food products imported via sea;
- Members urged the Administration to substantially increase the supply of public niches in Hong Kong and supported the proposed provision of columbarium and Garden of Remembrance at Tsang Tsui, Tuen Mun;
- Members received a briefing on the progress made in the disbursement of one-off financial assistance to fishermen affected by the trawl ban and raised concern about the support services provided to assist the affected fishermen;
- The Panel discussed two consultation documents issued by the Administration respectively on (a) the legislative proposals on regulation of edible fats and oils and recycling of “waste cooking oils”; and (b) the new agricultural policy; and
- The Subcommittee on Issues Relating to Public Markets and the Subcommittee on Hawker Policy established under the Panel completed their work in this session and submitted their reports to the Panel in September and early October 2015 respectively.

[🔊] Report of the Panel

The Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene receives public views on the consultation paper on the new agricultural policy.



## Panel on Health Services



Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, Chairman of the Panel on Health Services.



Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Health Services.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to medical and health services.

Chairman	Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long
Deputy Chairman	Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
No. of members	18 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	16 (including one joint Panel meeting)
Subcommittees under the Panel	 <a href="#">Subcommittee on Health Protection Scheme</a> and <a href="#">Subcommittee on Issues Relating to the Development of Chinese Medicine</a>

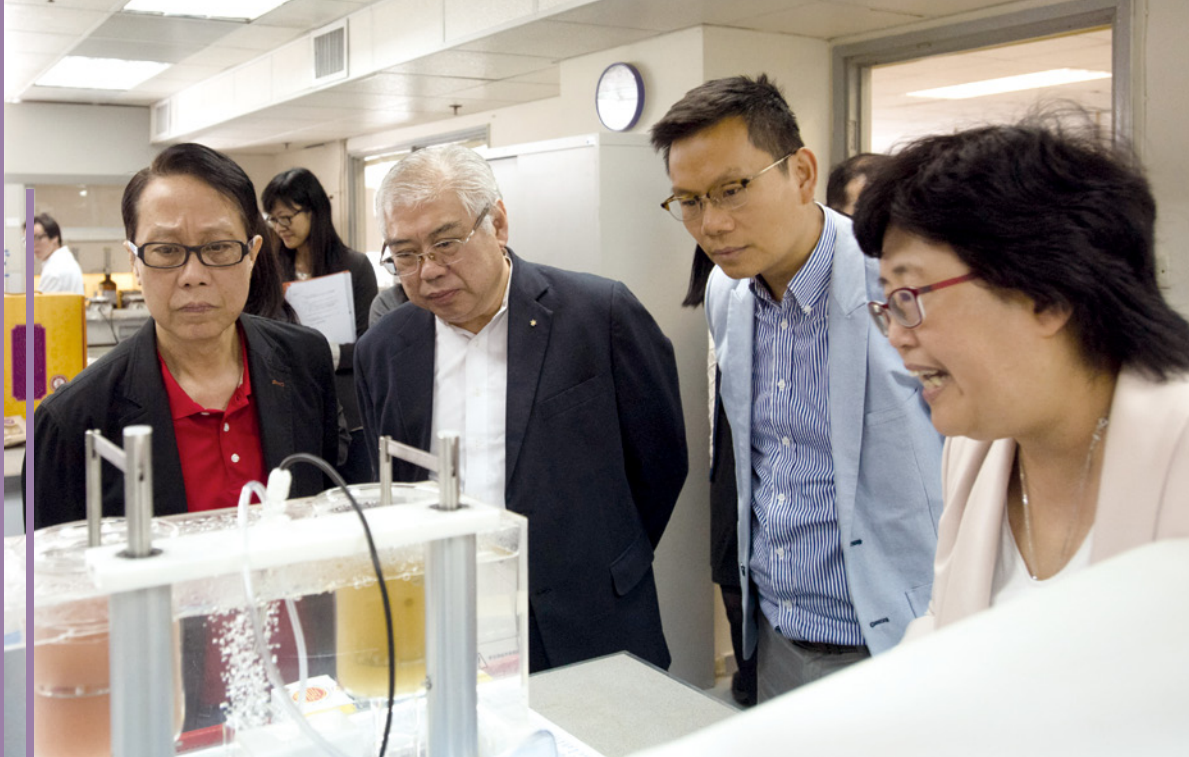
### Major work

- The Panel discussed the Consultation Document on Regulation of Private Healthcare Facilities, Consultation Document on Voluntary Health Insurance Scheme, and Report of the Steering Committee on Review of Hospital Authority;
- The Panel discussed the measures for the prevention and control of Middle East Respiratory Syndrome, Ebola virus disease, seasonal influenza and dengue fever. On the incidents whereby excessive lead was found in drinking water of public rental housing estates, the Panel called on the Administration to expand the scope of blood lead testing for residents affected by the incidents and step up public education on the health effects of excessive lead in drinking water;



- The Panel discussed the preliminary arrangements for the Colorectal Cancer Screening Pilot Programme. Members urged the Administration to provide the Panel with the proposed operational details before the Programme was launched;
- Members discussed and expressed diverse views on the Administration's proposal to provide the CUHK Medical Centre Limited with a loan of \$4.033 billion for developing a non-profit making private teaching hospital;
- The Panel supported the capital works projects on expansion of the Hong Kong Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service Headquarters, extension of the Operating Theatre Block of Tuen Mun Hospital and expansion of the United Christian Hospital, and monitored the development progress of the Hong Kong Children's Hospital;
- Members discussed and expressed various views on the legislative amendment proposals of prohibiting advertisements relating to provision of sex selection services through reproductive technology procedures, revising 118 statutory fee items relating to the registration of healthcare professionals, and strengthening tobacco control;
- Members supported the Administration's proposals to retain the supernumerary directorate posts of the Healthcare Planning and Development Office for five years, and to retain the supernumerary directorate posts of the Electronic Health Record Office for three years. Members, however, raised concern about the recent trend of the Administration to retain the supernumerary directorate posts;
- Members called on the Hospital Authority to expand the coverage of its Drug Formulary, shorten the waiting time for public specialist outpatient services, carefully plan the implementation of extending the General Outpatient Clinic Public-Private Partnership Programme, enhance security management in public hospitals, strengthen the management of medical equipment and pathology reports, and improve its sentinel and serious untoward event management;
- The Subcommittee on Health Protection Scheme established under the Panel continued its work in this session; and
- The Subcommittee on Issues Relating to the Development of Chinese Medicine established under the Panel commenced work in this session.

[🔊 Report of the Panel]



Members of the Subcommittee on Issues Relating to the Development of Chinese Medicine view a demonstration of the testing of Chinese medicine in a laboratory of the Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre.

### *Local visit*

#### *Visit to the Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre*

On 27 April 2015, the Subcommittee on Issues Relating to the Development of Chinese Medicine visited the Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre to better understand the testing of proprietary Chinese medicines.

Subcommittee members tour the laboratories of the Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre.





## Panel on Home Affairs



Hon Starry LEE Wai-king, Chairman of the Panel on Home Affairs.



Hon YIU Si-wing, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Home Affairs.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to district, community and rural matters, civic education, building management, youth matters, provision of leisure and cultural services, development of arts and culture, public entertainment, sport and recreation.

Chairman	Hon Starry LEE Wai-king
Deputy Chairman	Hon YIU Si-wing
No. of members	21 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	12
Subcommittee under the Panel	 <a href="#">Joint Subcommittee to Monitor the Implementation of the West Kowloon Cultural District Project</a>

### Major work

- The Panel discussed and supported a total of 20 Signature Project Scheme projects proposed by 13 District Councils (“DCs”);
- The Panel supported the Administration’s proposals to increase the honorarium of DC members by 15% and provide each DC member with a new provision of \$10,000 per term to cover expenses for duty visits, both with effect from 1 January 2016;
- The Panel urged the Administration to conduct a comprehensive review of the pilot scheme to enhance the District Administration Scheme through District Management Committees in Sham Shui Po and Yuen Long;

- The Panel discussed the Government's sports policy and the development of football in Hong Kong. Members urged the Administration to encourage more schools to open up their sports facilities for public use and to create an enabling environment for the promotion of football/futsal in schools;
- The Panel continued to follow up on the progress of the proposed Multi-purpose Sports Complex project at Kai Tak;
- The Panel discussed the outcomes of two public consultation exercises respectively on the enhanced measures against shop front extensions and the review of the Hotel and Guesthouse Accommodation Ordinance (Cap. 349);
- The Panel discussed two public consultation documents issued by the Administration respectively on the review of the Building Management Ordinance (Cap. 344) and the review of the Chinese Temples Ordinance (Cap. 153); and
- The Joint Subcommittee to Monitor the Implementation of the West Kowloon Cultural District Project established under the Panel and the Panel on Development continued its work in this session.

[🔊 Report of the Panel]

The Panel on Home Affairs receives public views on the review of the Building Management Ordinance (Cap. 344).





## Panel on Housing




Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen, Chairman of the Panel on Housing.



Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Housing.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to private and public housing matters.

Chairman	Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen
Deputy Chairman	Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun
No. of members	22 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	12

### Major work

- The Panel was briefed on the new Long Term Housing Strategy (“LTHS”) and the Public Housing Construction Programme for the five-year period from 2014-2015 to 2018-2019. Members expressed concern about whether the supply target of public rental housing (“PRH”) under the new LTHS and the construction progress could meet the existing huge demand for PRH flats;
- The Panel was consulted on the implementation of the Green Form Subsidized Home Ownership Pilot Scheme, and exchanged views with the Administration about the pricing mechanism, eligibility of applicants and potential impact of the scheme on the supply of PRH flats;

- The Panel was briefed on the Hong Kong Housing Authority's ("HA") initial assessment of the Interim Scheme to Extend the Home Ownership Scheme Secondary Market to White Form Buyers. Members expressed grave concern about the high drop-out rate of the successful applicants, and passed a motion urging the HA to shelf the scheme;
- The Panel discussed issues relating to unlawful refinancing of Home Ownership Scheme ("HOS") flats with unpaid premium, and requested the Administration to step up enforcement against the non-compliance of HOS flat owners and money lenders;
- The Panel discussed with the Administration the results of annual review of the income and asset limits for PRH for 2015-2016, and made suggestions on the approach for setting the two limits;
- The Panel received a briefing on HA's refined arrangements for the Quota and Points System ("QPS") concerning allocation of PRH to non-elderly one-person applicants, and explored the possibility of granting additional points to disabled QPS applicants under the age of 45;
- The Panel discussed the design of new PRH flats, and expressed various concerns including the smaller living space in new PRH flats provided to tenants affected by redevelopment programmes; and
- The Panel discussed the problem of excessive lead found in water samples of PRH estates, and passed a motion requesting the Administration to conduct water sampling tests expeditiously for all public housing estates in the territory.

[📎 [Report of the Panel](#)]







Members of the Panel on Housing are briefed on the Lift Addition Programme for public rental housing estates.

### *Local visit*

#### *Visit to Kwai Shing West Estate and Kwai Shing East Estate*

On 10 April 2015, the Panel visited Kwai Shing West Estate and Kwai Shing East Estate to understand the progress of the Lift Addition Programme for public rental housing estates.

Panel members express their views on improving pedestrian access in Kwai Shing West Estate to representatives of the Housing Department.



## Panel on Information Technology and Broadcasting



Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT (right) and Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Information Technology and Broadcasting.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to information technology, telecommunications, broadcasting, film services and creative industry.

Chairman	Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT
Deputy Chairman	Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok
No. of members	23 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	11

### Major work

- The Panel followed up issues relating to the non-renewal of Asia Television Limited (“ATV”)’s domestic free television programme (“free TV”) service licence. Members noted that the Communications Authority (“CA”) gave formal notice to ATV to withdraw all the frequencies assigned to it following expiry of its licence as from 2 April 2016. Some members expressed concern about the uncertainty on the provision of analogue television service if ATV terminated its service before the expiry of its licence. The Panel passed a motion urging the authorities to handle properly the issues relating to the non-renewal of ATV’s free TV service licence, including re-assigning expeditiously the broadcasting spectrum to be vacated in future to the applicants who intended to operate free TV service, so as to introduce new competition into the local free television market and optimize the use of airwaves;



- The Panel followed up the progress of processing the applications for renewal of the analogue sound broadcasting licences received by the CA. The Panel noted that in support of their applications for licence renewal, Hong Kong Commercial Broadcasting Company Limited and Metro Broadcast Corporation Limited had submitted to the CA their proposed six-year investment plans on capital and programming expenditure for 2016 to 2022;
- The Panel was briefed on the Administration's review on the regulation of person-to-person telemarketing calls ("P2P calls") and its effort to undertake a comprehensive landscaping exercise regarding P2P calls. Some members criticized that the Administration had all along adopted an approach of procrastination which had caused Hong Kong's regulatory regime to lag behind international practices. However, a few members considered that a balance should be struck between the need to minimize the nuisance caused by P2P calls and the economic benefits brought by such calls; and
- The Panel was briefed on the review of the Control of Obscene and Indecent Articles Ordinance (Cap. 390). Members in general agreed with the proposed abolition of the administrative classification function of the Obscene Articles Tribunal ("OAT") while leaving the OAT to only deal with judicial determination on whether an article was obscene or indecent upon referral by the court or magistrate concerned in civil or criminal proceedings.

[🔊 Report of the Panel]

The Panel on Information Technology and Broadcasting is briefed by the Administration on the Chief Executive in Council's decision on the non-renewal of Asia Television Limited's domestic free television programme service licence.



## Panel on Manpower



Hon WONG Kwok-kin, Chairman of the Panel on Manpower.



Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Manpower.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to labour, manpower planning, vocational training and education, and qualifications framework.

Chairman	Hon WONG Kwok-kin
Deputy Chairman	Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan
No. of members	18 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	10

### Major work

- The Panel discussed the work progress of the Standard Working Hours Committee in formulating proposals on the direction of a working hours policy suitable for the circumstances and future development of Hong Kong. The Panel agreed to appoint a subcommittee to study issues relating to standard working hours;
- The Panel received a briefing on the review results of the special arrangement for employees with disabilities under the Statutory Minimum Wage regime. Members expressed views on the implementation of the special arrangement and urged the Administration to ensure that persons with disabilities had equal access to employment in the open labour market;



- The Panel discussed the major findings of the 2014 Annual Earnings and Hours Survey and expressed views on the methodology on data collection and compilation;
- The Panel discussed the updated occupational safety and health performance and the latest situation of occupational diseases in Hong Kong;
- The Panel discussed and supported the Administration's proposal to designate 3 September 2015 on a one-off basis as both a statutory holiday and a general holiday to commemorate the 70th anniversary of the victory of the Chinese people's war of resistance against Japanese aggression. Members also urged the Administration to expedite the alignment of two types of holidays for employees;
- The Panel discussed the policy relating to foreign domestic helpers ("FDHs") and the regulation of employment agencies ("EAs") placing FDHs, and urged the Administration to strengthen the regulation of local EAs; and
- Members supported the proposal to appoint a joint subcommittee under the Panel and the Panel on Financial Affairs to study issues relating to the arrangement of offsetting severance payments and long service payments against Mandatory Provident Fund accrued benefits.

[📎 [Report of the Panel](#)]



The Panel on Manpower is briefed by the Administration on the proposal to designate 3 September 2015 on a one-off basis as both a statutory holiday and a general holiday.



## Panel on Public Service




Hon POON Siu-ping, Chairman of the Panel on Public Service.



Hon KWOK Wai-keung, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Public Service.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to the civil service and the staff of Government-funded public bodies and other public service organizations.

Chairman	Hon POON Siu-ping
Deputy Chairman	Hon KWOK Wai-keung
No. of members	15 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	10

### Major work

- The Panel was briefed by the Administration on the various initiatives to extend the service of civil servants and received views from civil service associations/unions on the subject. Members urged the Administration to maintain a close dialogue with the staff sides to ensure the smooth implementation of these various initiatives, in particular, devising detailed guidelines on the criteria and procedures for considering applications for further employment by serving civil servants;
- The Panel discussed the 2015-16 civil service pay adjustment. Whilst members generally did not object to the Administration's proposal, they urged the Administration to discontinue the practice of deducting payroll cost of increments ("PCIs") from the gross pay trend indicators ("PTIs") as such deduction was unfair to those civil servants whose salaries had reached the maximum pay points of their ranks. A motion was passed requesting the Administration to immediately review the policy of deducting PCIs from the gross PTIs and report the review outcome to the Panel in six months;



- The Panel also discussed the application of the 2013 Pay Level Survey (“PLS”). Members noted that the Administration would, before the next PLS exercise, conduct a review of the PLS to identify room for improvement;
- The Panel continued to monitor the employment of Non-Civil Service Contract (“NCSC”) staff by Government bureaux/departments. Members urged the Administration to speed up the pace of replacing NCSC positions by civil service posts, critically review the manpower situations of those bureaux/departments which had a relatively high ratio of NCSC staff, improve the terms and conditions of service for NCSC staff, and accord priority to NCSC staff who had been working for the Government for a long period of time when they applied for civil service posts;
- The Panel reviewed the provision of medical and dental benefits for civil service eligible persons (“CSEPs”). Members again urged the Administration to include the provision of Chinese medicine services to CSEPs; and
- The Panel reviewed the employment of ethnic minorities and persons with disabilities in the civil service. Members in general considered that the Administration should adopt a more proactive approach and devise effective measures to facilitate the employment of these persons within the civil service.

[🔊 Report of the Panel]

The Panel on Public Service receives views from civil service associations/unions on the extension of the service of civil servants.



## Panel on Security



Hon IP Kwok-him, Chairman of the Panel on Security.



Hon NG Leung-sing, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Security.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to security, public order, public safety, corruption-related matters and nationality and immigration matters.

Chairman	Hon IP Kwok-him
Deputy Chairman	Hon NG Leung-sing
No. of members	32 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	12

### Major work

- The Panel discussed the Police's handling of large-scale public assemblies, in particular incidents relating to the "Occupy Movement" between September and December 2014 and expressed various views on the principles adopted by the Police in handling public order events. The Panel passed a motion expressing support for the Police's enforcement actions during the Movement, and another motion urging the Administration to formulate support measures to address the psychological pressure borne by the frontline police officers concerned;



- The Panel received an update on the latest drug situation in Hong Kong and urged the Administration to draw up appropriate measures to tackle drug abuse problem and identify drug abusers at an early stage;
- The Panel discussed the results of the Administration's study of matters raised in the Commissioner on Interception of Communications and Surveillance's annual report to the Chief Executive as required under the Interception of Communications and Surveillance Ordinance (Cap. 589);
- The Panel discussed and raised no objection to the Administration's legislative proposal to relax the upper age limit for Category B security personnel permit from 65 to 70 and introduce a medical check requirement for Category B security personnel permit holders aged 65 or above;
- The Panel discussed the Administration's proposal to implement the Next Generation Smart Identity Card System and a one-off next generation smart identity card replacement exercise, and expressed various views on the security and privacy protection of the proposed system;
- The Panel discussed and monitored the implementation progress of the unified screening mechanism for determining non-refoulement claims; and
- The Panel passed a motion urging the Administration to review section 161 of the Crimes Ordinance (Cap. 200) and other relevant legislation to strengthen the combat against illegal acts associated with the use of computers.

[🔗 [Report of the Panel](#)]



## Local visits

### Visit to the Fire Services Department

On 23 March 2015, the Panel visited the Fire Services Department to better understand its work, including the functions of different types of fire services vehicles and the operation of the Fire Services Communications Centre.

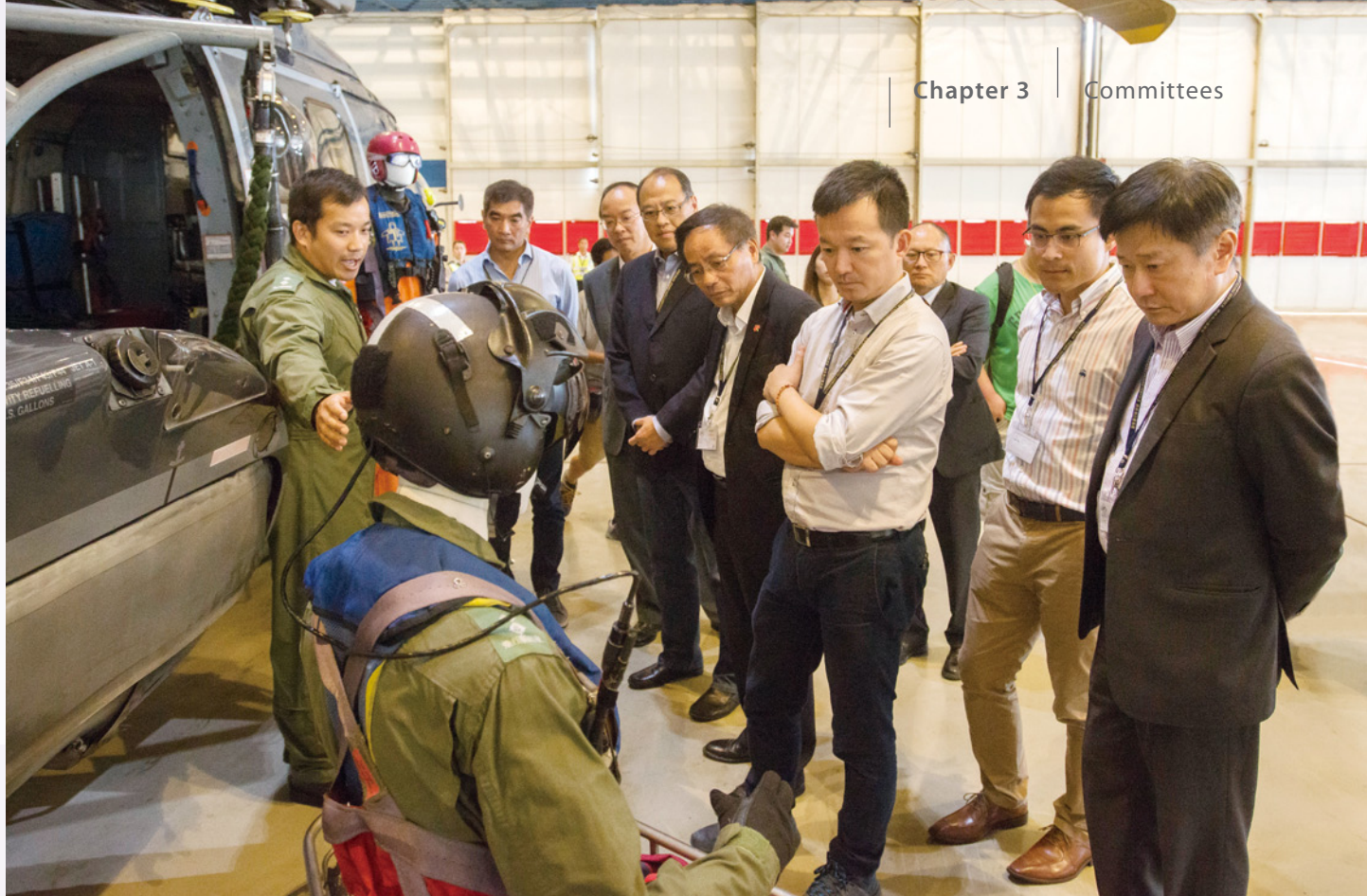


Members of the Panel on Security visit the Fire Services Headquarters Building.



Panel members learn more about the functions of different types of fire services vehicles.





Members of the Panel on Security visit the hangar of the Government Flying Service to better understand the equipment of different types of aircrafts.

### *Visit to the Government Flying Service*

On 7 October 2015, the Panel visited the Government Flying Service to better understand its operation and the emergency services.

Panel members are briefed by representatives of the Government Flying Service on the operation of the Air Command and Control Centre.



## Panel on Transport




Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun, Chairman of the Panel on Transport.



Hon TANG Ka-piu, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Transport.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to transport matters (including those on railways).

Chairman	Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun
Deputy Chairman	Hon TANG Ka-piu
No. of members	24 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	14
Subcommittee under the Panel	 <a href="#">Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways</a>

### Major work

- The Panel discussed the 2015 MTR fare adjustment rate of 4.3% as announced by MTR Corporation Limited (“MTRCL”). Members expressed dissatisfaction over the fare increase and urged the MTRCL to offer more fare concessions;



- The Panel was briefed on the work plan for a Public Transport Strategy Study (“PTSS”) which would comprise two parts, namely the Role and Positioning Review (“RPR”) and Topical Study. The RPR would examine the roles and positioning of public transport services other than heavy rail and a consultancy study would be commissioned. The Topical Study would focus on eight topical issues that were either of greater concern to the public transport trades or time-sensitive; and would be carried out by the Administration. To complement the Administration’s efforts to invite views from the transport trades and the public in conducting the PTSS, the Panel held four special meetings during the session to collect opinions from the transport trades and the public in respect of the roles and positioning of franchised buses, non-franchised buses, minibuses and taxis;
- The Panel was consulted on a number of infrastructural projects prior to their submissions to the Finance Committee. The major ones included the proposal to increase the approved project estimate for the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities – Reclamation and Superstructures; the funding proposal to upgrade “Dualling of Hiram’s Highway between Clear Water Bay Road and Marina Cove and Improvement to Local Access to Ho Chung” to Category A, and the proposal for the detailed design and site investigation works of widening of Tai Po Road (Sha Tin Section), etc.;
- The Panel was briefed by the Administration on a number of short-, medium- and long-term measures which were proposed by the Transport Advisory Committee to solve road traffic congestion; and
- The Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways established under the Panel continued its work in this session.

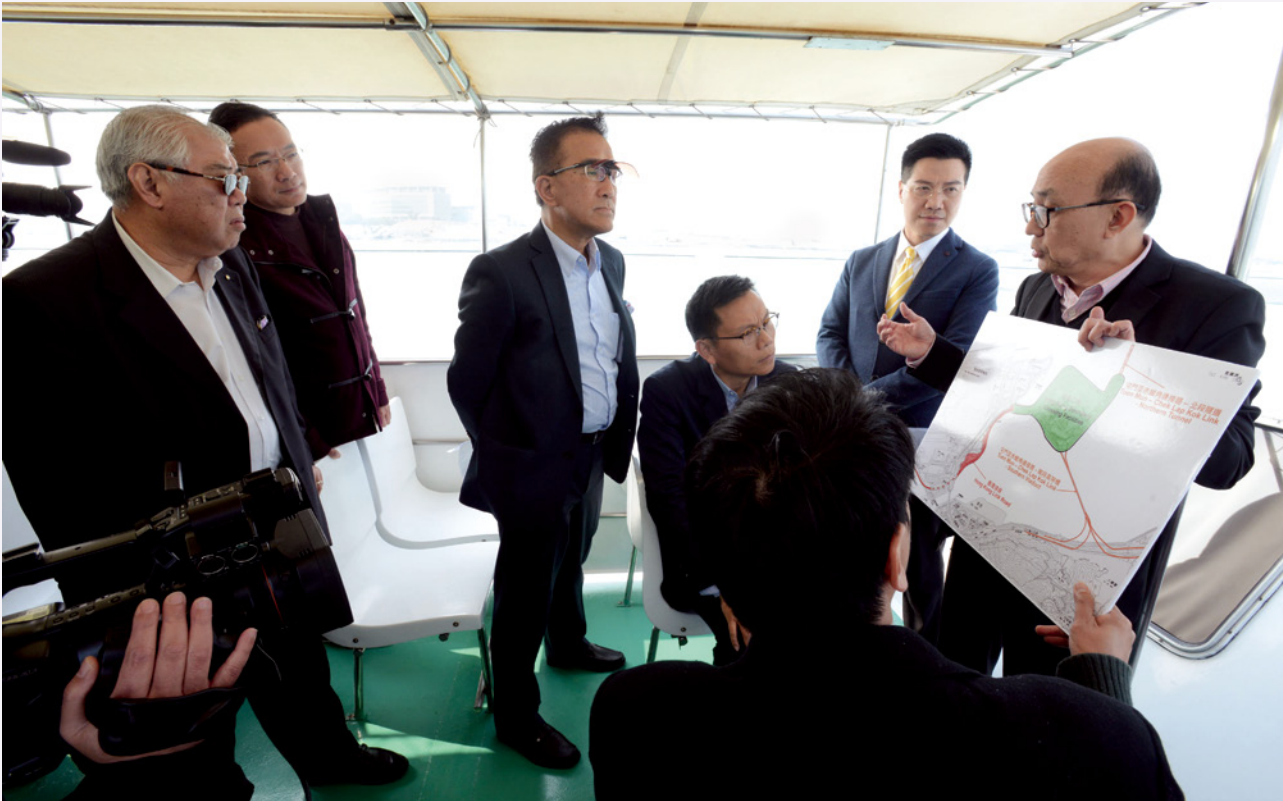
#### [🔊 Report of the Panel]



## Local visits

### *Visit to observe the reclamation works of Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge*

On 3 February 2015, the Panel observed the reclamation works of Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge near Tung Chung by boat to better understand its works progress.



Members of the Panel on Transport receive a briefing on the reclamation works progress of Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge.



Panel members board a boat to observe the reclamation works at sea.





Members of the Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways observe the evening peak conditions of the platform of MTR Admiralty Station.

### *Visit to MTR Admiralty Station*

On 19 May 2015, the Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways visited MTR Admiralty Station to observe the conditions of the train compartments and platform during peak hours.

Subcommittee members are given a briefing on crowd control conducted by a representative of the MTR Corporation Limited.



## Panel on Welfare Services



Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che, Chairman of the Panel on Welfare Services.



Hon CHAN Yuen-han, Deputy Chairman of the Panel on Welfare Services.

The Panel monitors and examines Government policies and issues of public concern relating to welfare (including women welfare) and rehabilitation services, poverty, social enterprise and Family Council.

Chairman	Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che
Deputy Chairman	Hon CHAN Yuen-han
No. of members	19 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	15
Subcommittees under the Panel	 <a href="#">Subcommittee on Retirement Protection</a> and <a href="#">Subcommittee on Strategy and Measures to Tackle Domestic Violence and Sexual Violence</a>

### Major work

- Members supported the use of public funding for the Special Scheme on Privately Owned Sites for Welfare Uses with a view to providing urgently needed services as soon as possible. They called on the Administration to require that such services should be dominated by publicly funded services with 8:2 as the ratio of publicly funded services to self-financing services;
- A majority of members took the view that in making salary adjustment arrangement for staff in non-governmental organizations (“NGOs”) receiving Lump Sum Grant subvention, ex-staff who had departed NGOs before the payment date of salary adjustment should receive backpay on salary adjustment. These members expressed their strong objection to some NGOs’ provision of incentive payments to staff, which were in essence bonus payments;



- The Panel noted that services not meeting users' needs, unattractive service packages and high service fee were major reasons for low participation rate in the first phase of the Pilot Scheme on Community Care Service Voucher for the Elderly. Members called on the Administration to make improvements to the Scheme in the second phase;
- The Panel passed a motion urging the Government to temporarily suspend the implementation of the Residential Care Service ("RCS") Voucher Scheme in view of the objection raised by the social services sector and many elderly people, and reinstate in-depth discussions with various stakeholders;
- The Panel requested the Administration to prepare an interim report on the Elderly Services Programme Plan and brief the Panel on the report in November or December 2015. The Panel had appointed a subcommittee to follow up Elderly Commission's preparation of the Programme Plan and study the policies and measures relating to the future development of elderly services schemes;
- Members cast doubt on the effectiveness of the inspection and licensing system for monitoring residential care homes for the elderly ("RCHEs"). They urged the Administration to immediately review the Residential Care Homes (Elderly Persons) Ordinance (Cap. 459) and the related Code of Practice. The Social Welfare Department was requested to strictly enforce the Ordinance and the Code of Practice to ensure that the service quality of both private and subvented RCHEs could reach a reasonable level;
- The Panel supported the Administration's proposals to construct an integrated rehabilitation services complex in Kwun Tong and Tuen Mun respectively. Members called on the Administration to actively consider applications for changing the use of vacant schools or sites in Tuen Mun for providing RCS;
- The Subcommittee on Retirement Protection established under the Panel continued its work in this session; and
- The Subcommittee on Strategy and Measures to Tackle Domestic Violence and Sexual Violence established under the Panel commenced work in this session.

#### [🔊 Report of the Panel]



The Panel on Welfare Services receives public views on the Elderly Services Programme Plan.

## Select committees

The Council may appoint one or more select committees for in-depth consideration of matters or bills referred by the Council. Where so authorized by the Council, select committees may, as required when exercising its powers and functions, summon persons concerned to attend before the committee to give evidence or to produce documents. As soon as a select committee has completed consideration of the matter or bill referred to it, it reports to the Council and is thereupon dissolved.

In addition, a petition presented to the Council will be referred to a select committee under Rule 20(6) of the Rules of Procedure if the request for the petition to be referred is supported by not less than 20 Members.

### *Select Committee to Inquire into the Background of and Reasons for the Delay of the Construction of the Hong Kong section of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link*



Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong (right) and Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen (left), Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Select Committee to Inquire into the Background of and Reasons for the Delay of the Construction of the Hong Kong section of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link.

The Select Committee was established pursuant to the referral by the Council under Rule 20(6) of the Rules of Procedure of a petition jointly presented by Hon WU Chi-wai and Hon Charles Peter MOK at the Council meeting of 25 June 2014. The Select Committee was not authorized by the Council to exercise the powers under section 9(1) of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382).

Chairman	Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong
Deputy Chairman	Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen
No. of members	13 [  <a href="#">Membership list</a> ]
No. of meetings held	10 (including six public hearings)



### Major work

- The Committee inquired into the background of and reasons for the delay of the construction of the Hong Kong section of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link ("the project delay"), as announced by the Government and MTR Corporation Limited ("MTRCL") in April 2014;
- The Committee also inquired into the performance and accountability of the Government and the MTRCL relating to the project delay and whether the Government and the MTRCL have deliberately covered up the project delay; and
- The Committee held six public hearings to obtain evidence from witnesses. It will hold further public hearings, deliberate on the evidence obtained, and prepare and finalize the report in the next session.

Witnesses attend public hearings of the Select Committee to give evidence.





# Chapter 4

## Redress System

The Legislative Council operates a Redress System to receive and handle complaints from members of the public who are aggrieved by Government actions or policies. It also deals with public representations on Government policies and legislation, as well as other matters of public concern.





Members take turns, in groups of seven, to be on duty each week to oversee the Redress System and to receive and handle representations and complaints made by deputations. During their duty week, they also take turns for “ward duty” during which they meet with individual complainants and provide guidance to staff in the processing of cases.

No. of new cases requiring investigation	7 042 <sup>1</sup>
No. of cases dealt with and concluded during the session	7 008 <sup>2</sup>
No. of site visits conducted	8
No. of case conferences held with representatives of the Government and/or public organizations	90
No. of telephone enquiries received	1 534

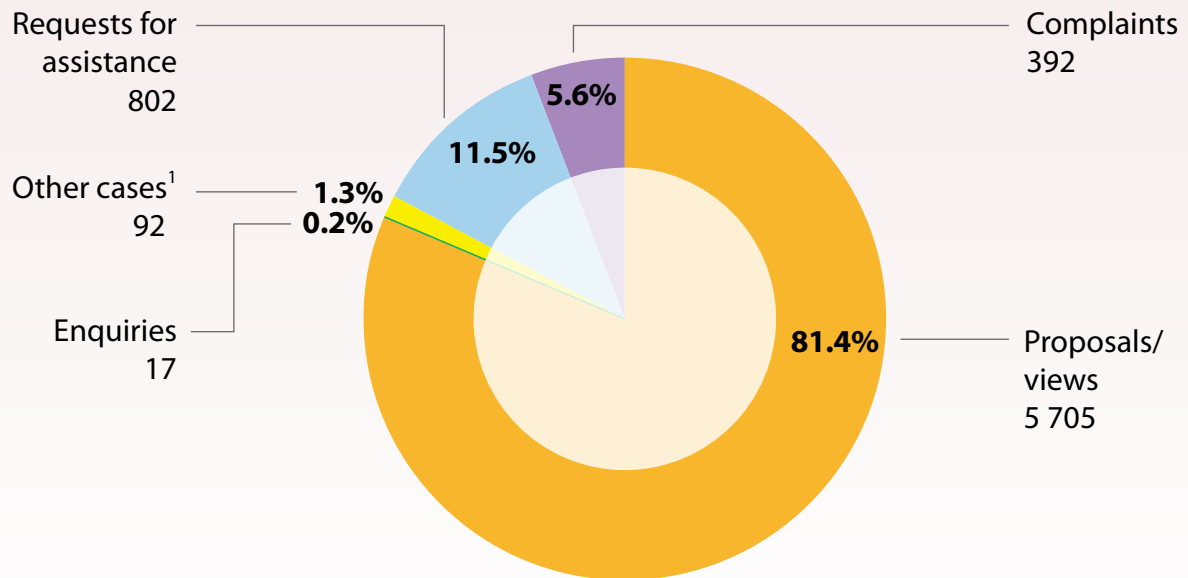
<sup>1</sup> Among the 7 042 new cases received, 192 were group representations and 6 850 were submitted by individual members of the public. A total of 4 514 new cases were related to the proposed three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport.

<sup>2</sup> Among the 7 008 cases concluded, assistance was provided in 6 881 cases (98.2%) while 127 cases (1.8%) were not pursued as they were either outside the scope of the Redress System, groundless or incomprehensible, etc. Among the 6 881 cases, 4 514 cases were related to the proposed three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport.

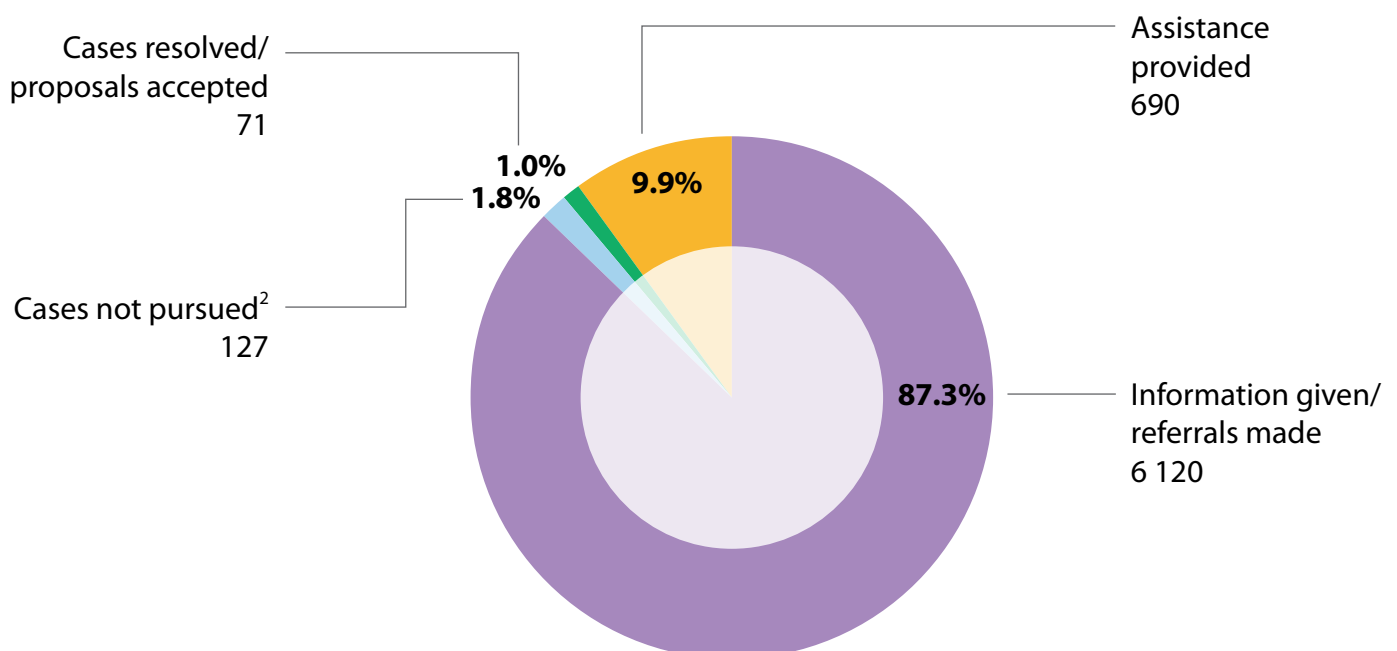


Duty Roster Members meet with a deputation lodging complaints to listen to their views.

## Nature of concluded cases



## Outcome of concluded cases

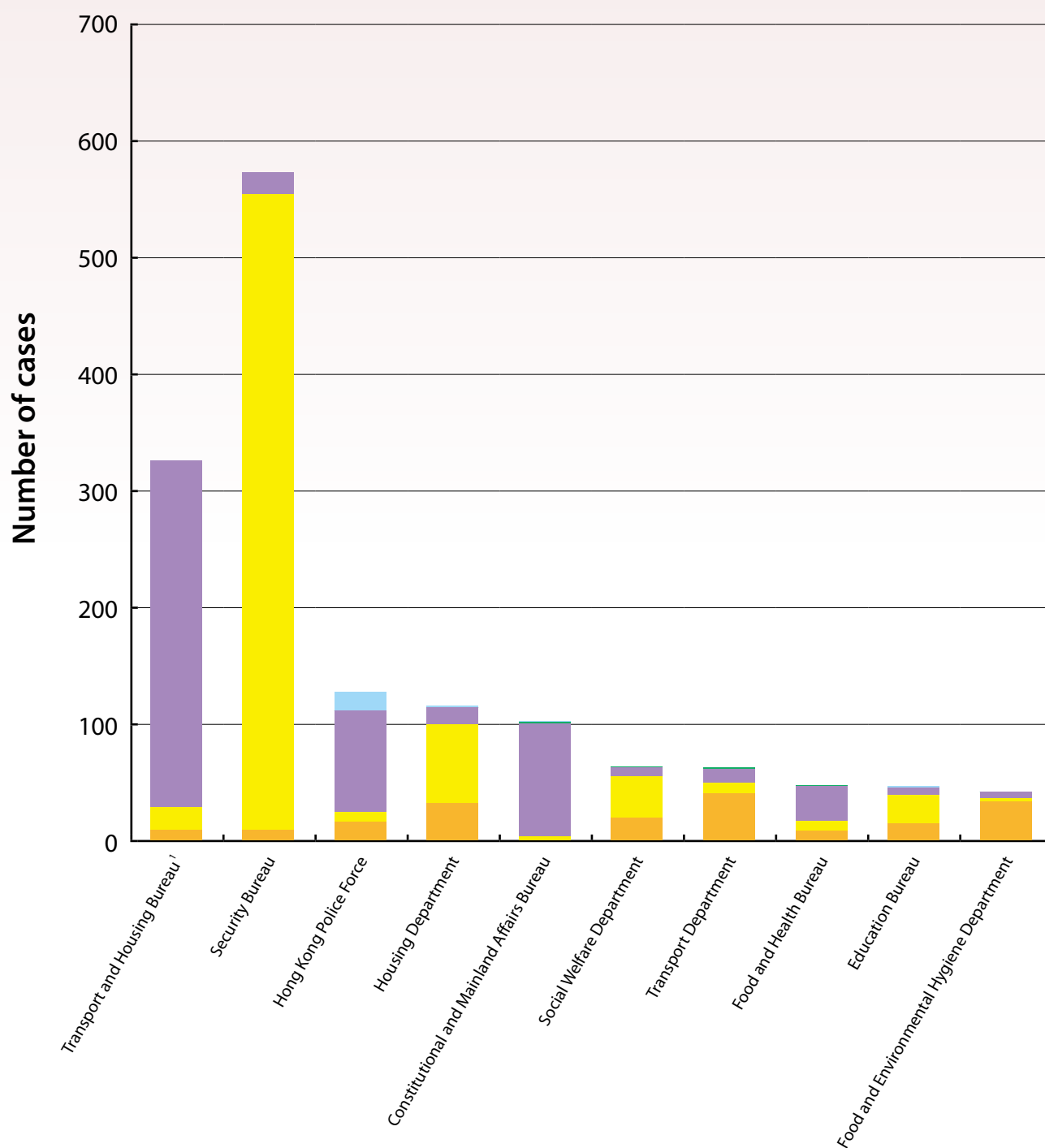


<sup>1</sup> These were cases which fell outside the scope of the Redress System.

<sup>2</sup> Cases were not pursued because they fell outside the scope of the Redress System, or were considered unreasonable/groundless, or the proposals/requests were incomprehensible.



## Statistical breakdown of concluded cases by nature in respect of the 10 policy bureaux/Government departments which had the largest number of cases



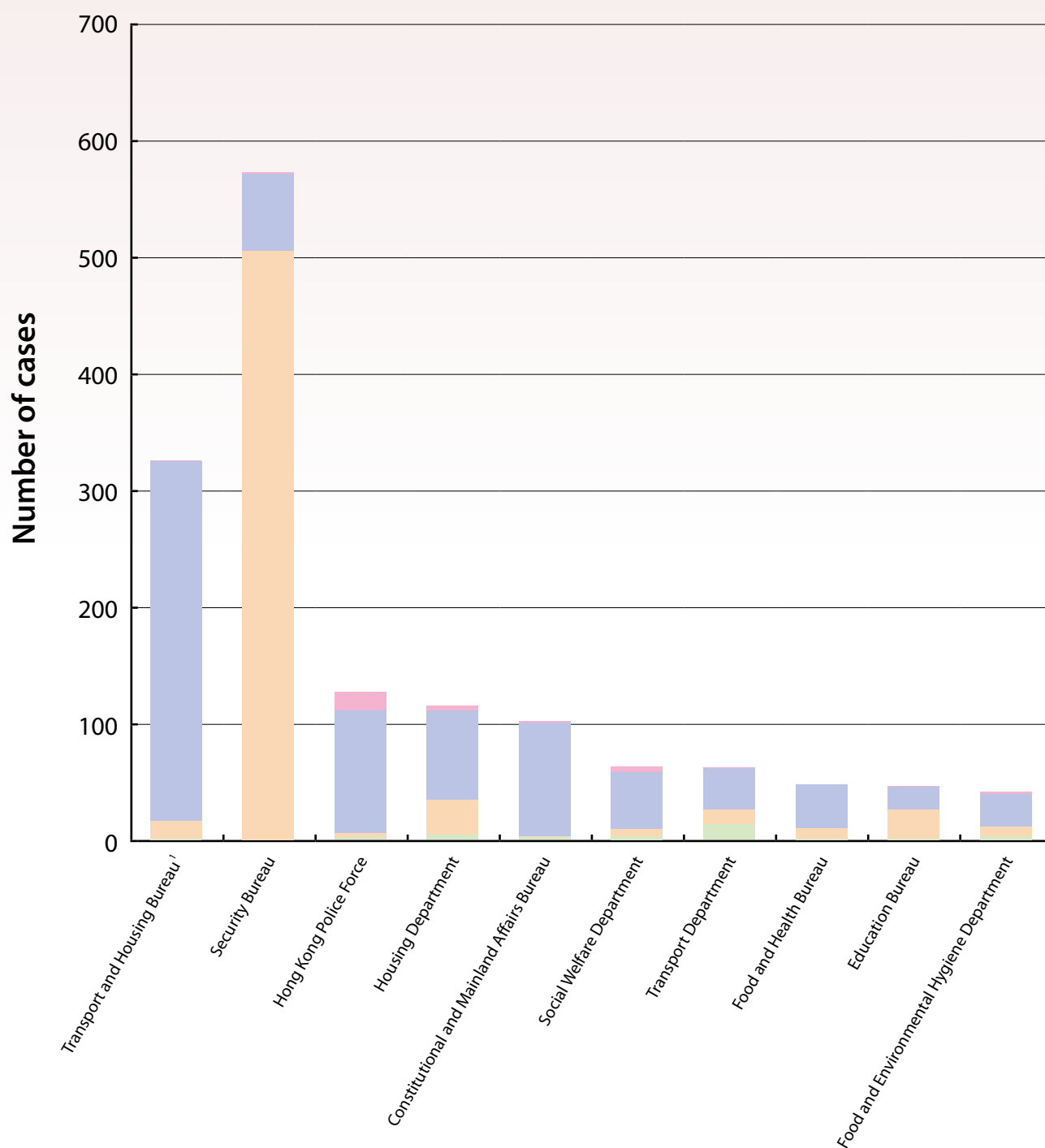
### Legend:

- Complaints
- Requests for assistance
- Proposals/ views
- Enquiries
- Other cases<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The figure does not include 4 514 cases concluded in relation to the proposed three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport.

<sup>2</sup> These were cases which fell outside the scope of the Redress System.

## Statistical breakdown of concluded cases by outcome in respect of the 10 policy bureaux/Government departments which had the largest number of cases



### Legend:

■ Cases resolved/  
proposals accepted

■ Assistance  
provided

■ Information given/  
referrals made

■ Cases not  
pursued<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The figure does not include 4 514 cases concluded in relation to the proposed three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport.

<sup>2</sup> Cases were not pursued because they fell outside the scope of the Redress System, or were considered unreasonable/groundless, or the proposals/requests were incomprehensible.



## Common types of cases handled

The following highlights some of the more common types of cases dealt with under the Redress System.

Policy bureau/ Government department	Total no. of cases	Common types of cases handled	Follow-up
Transport and Housing Bureau	4 840	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requests for assistance on the services provided by and fare adjustments of public transport operators, issuance of taxi licences, annual vehicle examination procedures, review of the allocation policy of public rental housing units, and reinstatement of tenancy control; and</li> <li>• Views on the proposed three-runway system at the Hong Kong International Airport, the proposal of lifting the development moratorium at the south of Pokfulam for public housing development, measures to stabilize the property market and revitalize industrial buildings to increase housing supply, and the Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The requests were taken up with the Administration in the form of written referrals or case conferences, while the views were circulated to Members for information; and</li> <li>• Policy issues were referred to the relevant Legislative Council panels for follow-up.</li> </ul>
Security Bureau	575	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requests for assistance on enhancement of the in-kind assistance offered to non-refoulement claimants in Hong Kong and the mechanism for handling sexual violence cases by the Police, further opening up of the Sha Tau Kok Frontier Closed Area, review of the unified screening mechanism for screening torture claims to guard against abuse, issuance of One-way Permits to Mainland single mothers of minor children in Hong Kong, and transfer of sentenced persons to their places of origin for serving the remainder of their sentences; and</li> <li>• Views on illegal employment of and drug trafficking activities committed by non-refoulement claimants in Hong Kong, measures to combat parallel trading activities, and immigration control.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The requests were taken up with the Administration in the form of written referrals or case conferences, while the views were circulated to Members for information; and</li> <li>• Policy issues were referred to the Legislative Council Panel on Security for follow-up.</li> </ul>

Policy bureau/ Government department	Total no. of cases	Common types of cases handled	Follow-up
Hong Kong Police Force	127	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complaints about illegal parking, road obstruction and unlawful gambling;</li> <li>Requests for assistance on suspected criminal cases and the hotline services of the Complaints Against Police Office; and</li> <li>Views on the Police's handling of the "Occupy Movement" and public processions, and the alleged assault of police officers by a technician of a television company.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The complaints and requests were taken up with the Administration in the form of written referrals while the views were circulated to Members for information.</li> </ul>
Housing Department	115	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complaints about the Quota and Points System for non-elderly one-person applicants, lengthy waiting time for allocation of public rental housing ("PRH") units, and noise nuisances from PRH tenants;</li> <li>Requests for assistance on redevelopment of and the facilities in PRH estates, applications for transfer, and termination of PRH tenancies; and</li> <li>Views on the abuse of PRH resources, the building quality of PRH estates, and the monitoring of property services agencies in managing outsourced PRH estates.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The complaints and requests were taken up with the Administration in the form of written referrals or case conferences, while the views were circulated to Members for information; and</li> <li>Policy issues were referred to the Legislative Council Panel on Housing for follow-up.</li> </ul>
Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau	102	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requests for assistance on enhancement of the voting arrangements for electors with visual impairment, registration of local newspapers, and the feasibility study conducted by the Equal Opportunities Commission on legislating against discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation, gender identity and intersex status; and</li> <li>Views on the methods for selecting the Chief Executive in 2017 and the relevant public consultations conducted by the Government, constitutional development in Hong Kong, the functional constituency seats of the Legislative Council, and regulation of political parties on acceptance of donations.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The requests were taken up with the Administration and the Equal Opportunities Commission in the form of written referrals or case conference, while the views were circulated to Members for information; and</li> <li>Policy issues were referred to the Legislative Council Panel on Constitutional Affairs for follow-up.</li> </ul>



Members visit Lugard Road to follow up on a complaint case about the proposed construction of a hotel on the road.



Members observe the width of Lugard Road.

Members visit Chung Ying Street in the Sha Tau Kok Frontier Closed Area ("FCA") to gain a better understanding of the local economic activities.



Members chat with local residents to learn more about their views on the suggestions about further opening up of the Sha Tau Kok FCA.





Members, accompanied by representatives of the Administration and the MTR Corporation Limited, visit MTR Po Lam Station to follow up on a request for provision of an additional access point at the station.

Members observe the passenger flow of MTR Po Lam Station during morning peak hours.



Members visit the pedestrian connection facilities between the West Kowloon Terminus of the Express Rail Link and the adjoining developments to follow up on the planning, design and management of the pedestrian connection facilities.

Members receive an on-site briefing on the exterior design of Jordan Road Footbridge.





## Significant cases handled

### *Examination arrangements for students with special education needs*

A deputation sought Members' assistance on provision of special examination arrangements for students with special education needs ("SEN"). At the case conference held with Members, the Administration assured Members that the Hong Kong Examinations and Assessment Authority ("HKEAA") would provide special examination arrangements for SEN candidates, such as extended examination time, enlarged or ivory coloured question papers and short breaks during the examination. In addition, starting from 2017, candidates with severe problems in writing could apply for using speech-to-text software for answering examination questions orally. SEN candidates could also put up their requests for other special examination arrangements for HKEAA's consideration. In response to Members' request, HKEAA undertook to publicize the above special arrangements widely to schools, parents and SEN students via its website and school circulars.

### *Protection of endangered plant species*

Two deputations sought Members' assistance to enhance the protection for incense tree which was an endangered plant species. They urged the Government to step up enforcement actions to combat Mainland syndicates' illegal felling and smuggling activities, and to legislate against the sale of incense trees in Hong Kong. At the case conferences held with Members, the Administration undertook to step up patrols. An intelligence liaison mechanism with the Mainland Customs authorities was established to enhance the intelligence exchange for effective combat of smuggling activities. Since stolen incense trees were mainly sold outside Hong Kong as shown in the past cases, the Administration did not consider that there was urgency in legislating against the sale of incense tree products in Hong Kong. Nevertheless, any person who unlawfully felled any trees or growing plants on Government land including incense trees was liable to conviction.



### *Regulation of person-to-person telemarketing calls*

Several members of the public sought Members' assistance to tighten the regulation of person-to-person telemarketing calls ("P2P calls") to minimize nuisances. In response to the concerns raised by Members and the public, the Administration undertook to commission a consultant to conduct a survey to solicit the views of the public, the business sector and the industry on the regulation of P2P calls. It would also obtain an update on the regulatory measures, if any, taken by other jurisdictions on P2P calls. In the light of the survey results, it would deliberate on the way forward, including whether a consultation exercise would be conducted on the regulation of P2P calls.

### *Enhanced support for patients suffering from "rare diseases"*

A deputation sought Members' assistance to enhance the support services for patients suffering from "rare diseases" such as Tuberous Sclerosis Complex and their family members. The Administration assured Members that the Hospital Authority attached great importance to providing optimal care to patients. Various treatments including rehabilitative care, pain alleviation, surgical treatment and bone marrow transplant were provided to patients in need. Patients and their family members could apply for financial assistance under different funding schemes. On an individual case regarding a patient suffering from Tuberous Sclerosis Complex, the Administration took heed of Members' advice and provided day respite, counselling and other support services to the patient and his family members to address their needs.

### *Cheung Chau ferry service*

A deputation sought Members' assistance on refurbishment of the queuing area of the Cheung Chau Ferry Pier and provision of a ferry route between Cheung Chau and Aberdeen to cater for passengers' needs. Subsequent to Members' follow-up with the Administration, improvement works, including the construction of a cantilevered shelter, were carried out to optimize the use of spaces in the pier to improve the queuing arrangement for passengers and to facilitate better ventilation. "Cheung Chau – Aberdeen" licensed ferry service also commenced in August 2015.





# Chapter 5

## Parliamentary Visits

The President and a Legislative Council delegation conducted duty visits to Japan and Germany respectively in this session.





## Overseas duty visit of the President to Japan

At the invitation of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing conducted an overseas duty visit to Japan in his capacity as the President of the Legislative Council from 9 to 13 March 2015. During the visit, the President visited The National Diet, met with the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Japan-Hong Kong Parliamentarian League, some Diet Members, the State Minister for Foreign Affairs, and some other organizations. The President also met with the Japan media and Hong Kong people living in Japan to explain to them the constitutional development in Hong Kong.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (fourth from left) presents a souvenir to Hon Masahiko KOUMURA (fourth from right), Chairman of the Japan-Hong Kong Parliamentarian League.

During an interview by a Nippon Hoso Kyokai (NHK, Japan Broadcasting Corporation) reporter, Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing expresses his views on the constitutional reform in Hong Kong.







Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (third from left in back row) takes a photo with the Hong Kong people living in Tokyo.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing poses for a photo with Mr Minoru KIUCHI (right), State Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan.

Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (centre) visits the Ukishima Solar Power Plant and receives a briefing on the operation of the photovoltaic panels.



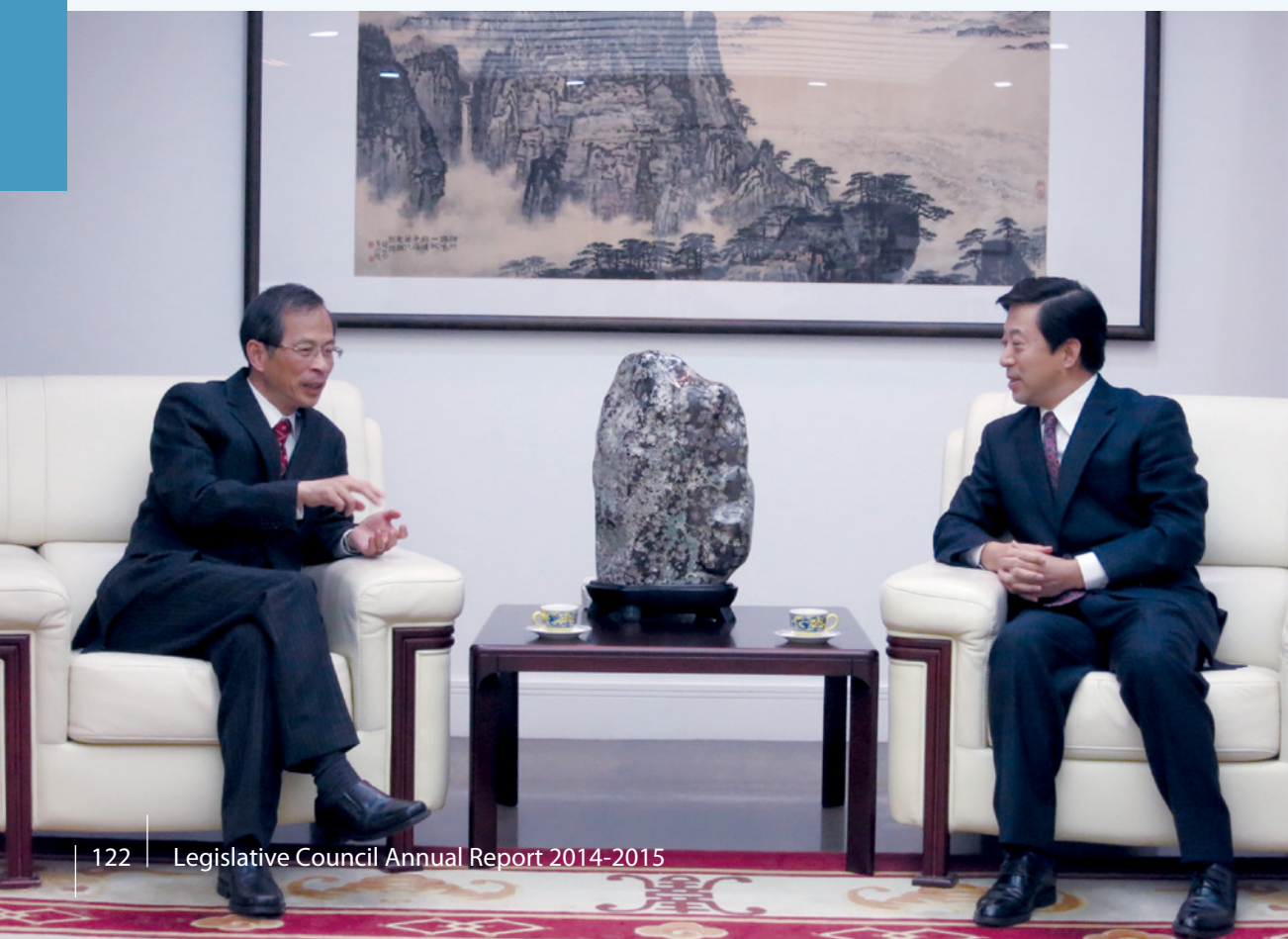




Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing presents a souvenir to Mr Akimitsu ASHIDA (left), Vice Chairman of the Board of Councillors of Keidanren (Japan Business Federation) and Chairman of Japan-Hong Kong Business Cooperation Committee, after a round-table discussion with a group of senior business executives on Hong Kong's latest political and economic developments.



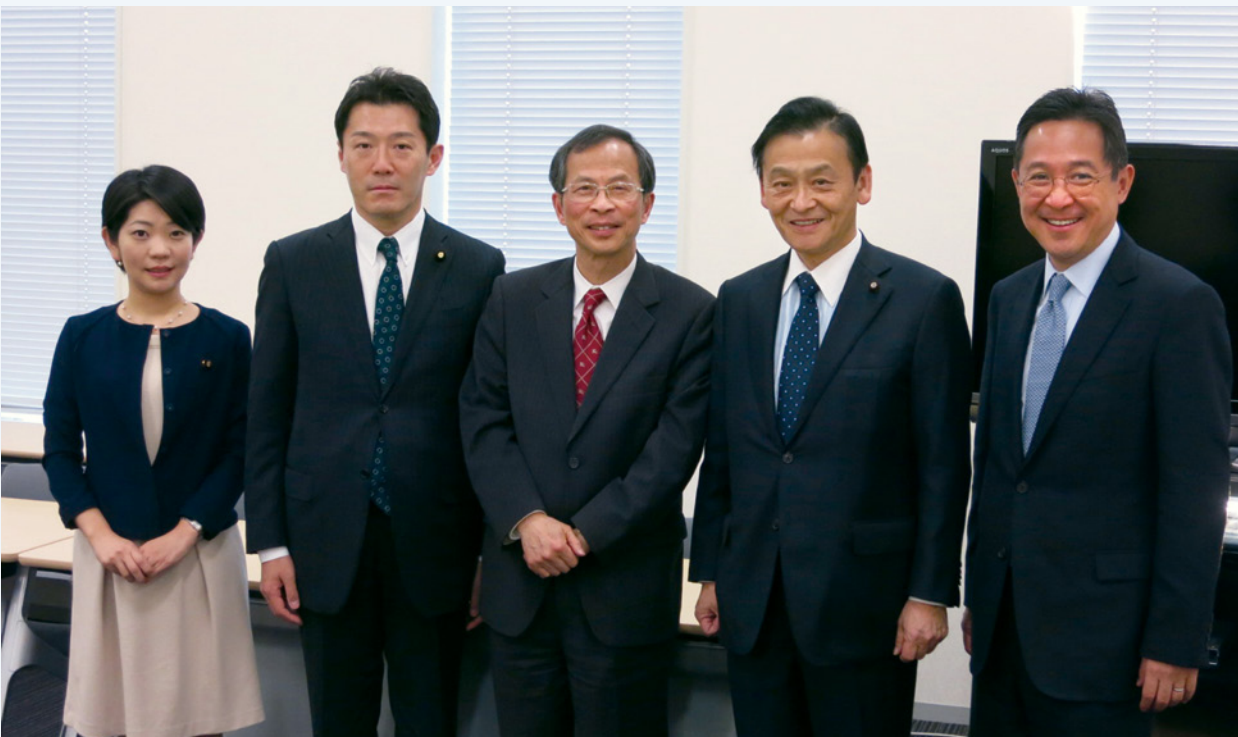
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing pays a courtesy call on Mr HAN Zhiqiang (right), Acting Ambassador and Minister of the Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Japan.







Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (second from left) meets with Hon Nobutaka MACHIMURA (first from right), Speaker of the House of Representatives of Japan, to discuss issues of mutual concern.

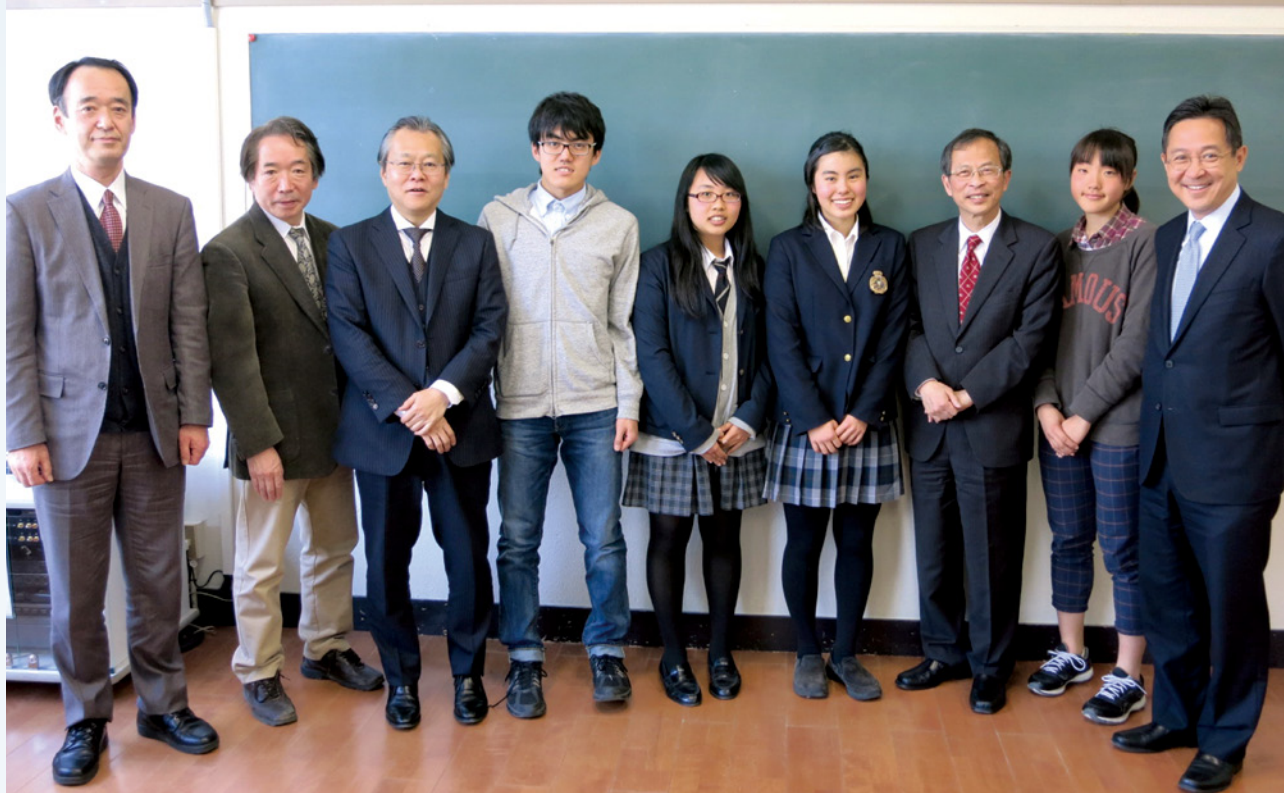


Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (centre) accompanied by Mr Kenneth CHEN (first from right), Secretary General of the Legislative Council Secretariat, meets with Members of the National Diet of Japan.

Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing exchanges a souvenir with Mr Sakae KOISO (left), the representative of the NISSAN Oppama Plant.







Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (third from right) and Mr Kenneth CHEN (first from right), Secretary General of the Legislative Council Secretariat, pose for a photo with students and teaching staff of the Senior High School at Otsuka, University of Tsukuba.

Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (left) delivers a speech to Japan-based journalists on the latest political developments in Hong Kong.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (second from left) visits the Yumenoshima Tropical Greenhouse Dome.



## Parliamentary visit to Germany

A Legislative Council delegation led by Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing (Leader) and Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan (Deputy Leader) and comprising seven other Members conducted a parliamentary visit to Germany from 1 to 6 March 2015 in response to an invitation from the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany. This was the first time the Council had been invited to send a delegation to visit an overseas government.

The purpose of the visit was to establish and reinforce link with the German legislature, foster better mutual understanding, keep the Federal Parliament of Germany, community and leaders abreast of the latest developments in Hong Kong, and sustain their interest in Hong Kong affairs. The visit was worthwhile for Members to gain insight of the political and electoral system of Germany, as well as the functions and operation of its bicameral legislature. The delegation met with Members of the German Parliament, Members of the Bremen Parliament, government officials and academics during its stay.

[🔗 [Report on the parliamentary visit](#)]



Members of the Legislative Council delegation to Germany take a group photo during a visit to the Federal Ministry of the Interior of Germany.

The delegation visits the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in Berlin.







A group photo in front of the glass dome of the Reichstag Building.

Ms Ulla SCHMIDT (fifth from right), Vice-President of the German Bundestag (Lower House of the German Parliament), meets with the delegation.



The delegation meets with Mr Cem ÖZDEMİR (fifth from left), Member of the German Bundestag and Vice-Chairman of the Bundestag's German-Chinese Parliamentary Friendship Group, and Ms Antje LEZIUS (third from left), Member of the German Bundestag.





Dr Johann WADEPHUL (fifth from left), Member of the Bundestag and Chairman of the Bundestag's Committee for the Scrutiny of Elections, Immunity and the Rules of Procedure, and delegation members at a luncheon meeting.



The delegation meets with Dr Markus EDERER (third from right), State Secretary of the Federal Foreign Office, and Mr Peter PRUGEL (second from right), Ambassador and Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific.

A group photo at the German Bundesrat (Upper House of the German Parliament).







A meeting with Mr Claus KOGGEL (second from right), Head of Division for Parliamentary Relations and Language Service of the German Bundesrat.



The delegation visits the Bremen Town Hall.



A meeting with Mr Jan BEMBENNEK (fifth from right), Desk Officer for Mobility Management to the Senator for the Environment, Construction and Transport, and Ms Birgitt RAMBALSKI (sixth from right), Director for Protocol and Foreign Affairs at the State Chancellery of the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen.

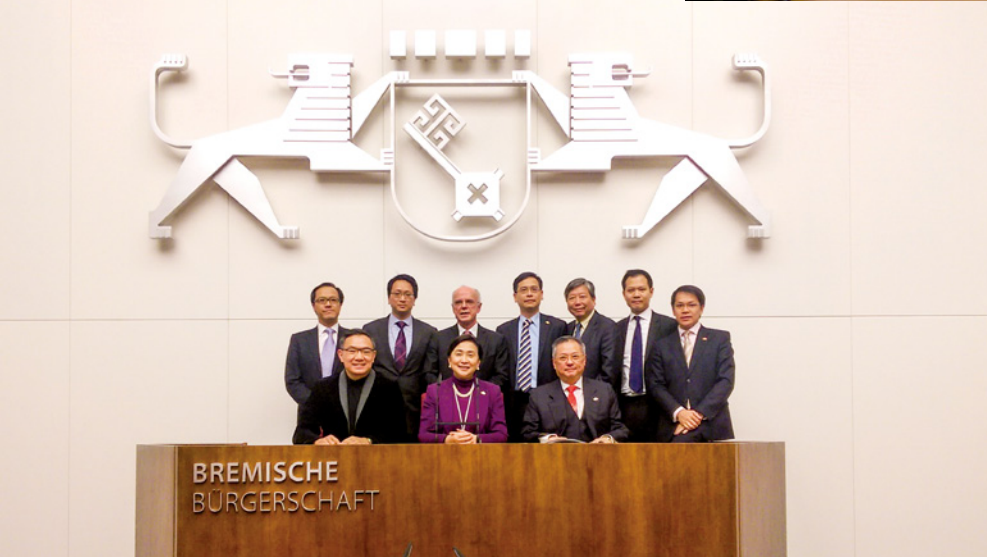






Mr Christian GUTSCHMIDT (fourth from right), Head of the Foreign Trade and International Economic Relations Office to the Senator for Economic Affairs, Labour and Ports, gives a briefing to the delegation on Bremen as a business centre.

Mr Christian WEBER (centre), President of the Bremen Parliament, conducts a tour of the Bremen Parliament House for the delegation.



The delegation takes a group photo with Mr Christian WEBER (third from left in back row).

The delegation receives a briefing by Mr Jürgen WAYAND (right), Returning Officer of Bremen, on the Bremen state election to elect the city and state legislature.





# Chapter 6

## Corporate Liaison

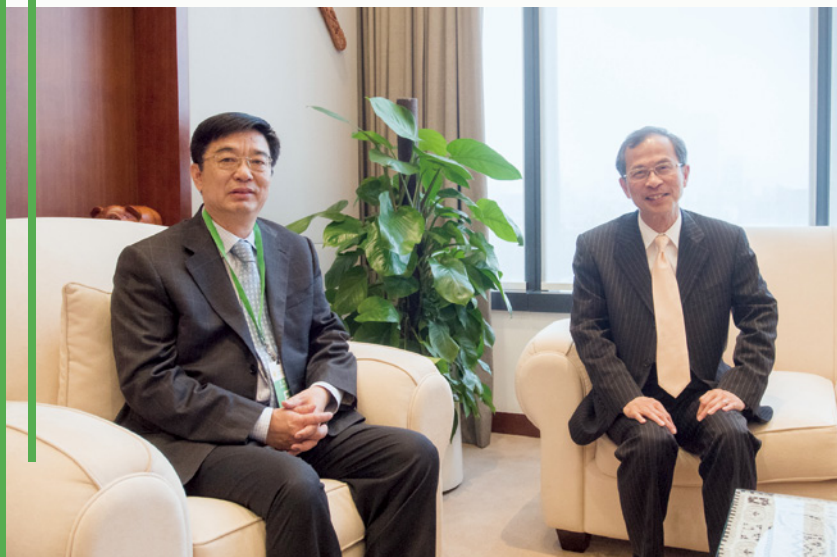
Members receive overseas visitors, visiting dignitaries and other parliamentary organizations to share knowledge and exchange ideas. Members also take part in meetings and liaison activities to establish and reinforce links with consular officials and local organizations.





## Meetings with visiting dignitaries

The President and Members regularly receive overseas visitors and visiting dignitaries referred by Government departments and consuls-general in Hong Kong, as well as other parliamentary organizations. During the session, 44 such meetings were held with overseas visitors to brief them on the work of the Council and the latest developments in Hong Kong. These visitors included members of overseas legislatures, political and business leaders, Government officials, as well as prominent people from international organizations and renowned institutions.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing meets with Mr LI Shuyu (left), Director-General of the Shanghai Customs District.



Mr CHENG Yonghua (left), Ambassador of the People's Republic of China to Japan poses for a photo with Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing.



Members pose for a photo with Mr Jan WALTmans (second from left), Head of East Asia Division, Asia and Oceania Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Netherlands.





Members in a group photo with Hon Philip RUDDOCK (fourth from left), Chief Government Whip, Member for Berowra of New South Wales, and Co-Convenor of the Parliamentary Hong Kong Friendship Group, Australia.



Members and the delegation of researchers to Members of All-Party Parliamentary China Group, the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in a group photo.

Members meet with the European Parliament's Delegation for Relations with the People's Republic of China.





## Meeting-cum-luncheons with District Council members

Members hold regular meetings on a roster basis with members of District Councils to exchange views on issues of mutual interest. Members take turns to convene such meetings, each of which is followed by a luncheon attended by members of the District Council concerned, the President and Members. Policy issues raised at these meetings are referred to the relevant panels for more in-depth study, whilst individual cases are taken up by the Public Complaints Office for follow-up with the Government. During the session, 18 meetings were held with members of District Councils. To further enhance communication between the Legislature and the District Councils, the President and Members also held a luncheon with the Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of the 18 District Councils.



Members meet with District Council members to exchange views on matters of mutual concern.

The Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of the 18 District Councils, and Members get together at a luncheon in the Legislative Council Complex.



Members pose for a group photo with the Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of the 18 District Councils.



## Meeting-cum-luncheon with Heung Yee Kuk Councillors

Members also hold regular meetings with Heung Yee Kuk Councillors to exchange views on matters of mutual concern. During the session, a meeting between Members and Heung Yee Kuk Councillors was held on 5 February 2015, which was presided over by the Chairman of the House Committee. Policy issues raised and relevant views expressed by Heung Yee Kuk Councillors at the meeting were referred to the relevant panels for consideration and follow-up.



Members and Heung Yee Kuk Councillors hold meetings regularly to discuss and exchange views on matters of mutual interest.



Members and Heung Yee Kuk Councillors in a group photo.





## Luncheons with consuls-general

To enhance contact between Members and the diplomatic community in Hong Kong, luncheons were organized during the session to provide opportunities for Members to meet with consular officials and exchange views with them on the Council's work and matters of mutual concern. Two such luncheons were held on 17 November 2014 and 23 March 2015 with a combined attendance of 47 consular officials and 19 Honorary Consuls.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing briefs the consuls-general in Hong Kong and the Honorary Consuls in Hong Kong and Macao on the work of the Legislative Council.

The consuls-general and the Honorary Consuls join Members in a toast at a luncheon.







Members, the consuls-general and the Honorary Consuls in a group photo.





## Luncheon with the Chief Executive, Executive Council Members and senior Government officials

The President regularly hosts luncheons for the Chief Executive, Executive Council Members, senior Government officials and Members to enhance relationship and communication between the Legislature and the Administration. During the session, a luncheon was held on 27 February 2015.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing hosts a spring luncheon in the Legislative Council Complex.

Government officials and Members compete in a game before the start of the spring luncheon.





## Lunch gathering of Members and former Members

The Legislative Council held a lunch gathering to reinforce links with former Members on 15 December 2014. The gathering was attended by 19 former Members.



A group photo of Members and former Members taken after a lunch gathering.

Members and former Members at the lunch gathering.





## Tea reception with charitable organizations

The Legislative Council hosts a tea reception each year for Members and the new Boards of Directors of six charitable organizations, namely Tung Wah Group of Hospitals, Po Leung Kuk, Lok Sin Tong, Pok Oi Hospital, Yan Chai Hospital and Yan Oi Tong. The tea reception provided an opportunity for Members to meet with the Boards of Directors of the organizations in a relaxed atmosphere and to exchange views on matters of mutual concern. The tea reception was held on 12 January 2015 during the session.



Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (centre) poses for a group photo with the new chairmen of six local charitable organizations.

Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (left in front row) greets the representatives of the charitable organizations at a tea reception.





## Friendly football matches

The Legislative Council football team took part in two matches during the session with the Hong Kong Bar Association and the Chamber of Hong Kong Computer Industry.



The Legislative Council football team takes a game off the Hong Kong Bar Association team, 3 to 2.

The Legislative Council football team plays a friendly football match with the Chamber of Hong Kong Computer Industry team, resulting in a 1 to 4 game.





# Chapter 7

## Public Engagement

The Legislative Council seeks to engage with the public and enhance public understanding of its work. A range of education, visitor, and online services are available to bring up-to-date information of the Council to the public. The Council has also enhanced its presence on social media websites to connect with the public.

*The People*, an artwork installed in the Main Lobby of the Legislative Council Complex, features 87 silhouettes illustrating people's daily activities taking place in the neighbourhoods in Hong Kong. It creates fascinating moods with reflections and shadow effects.



## Education and visitor services

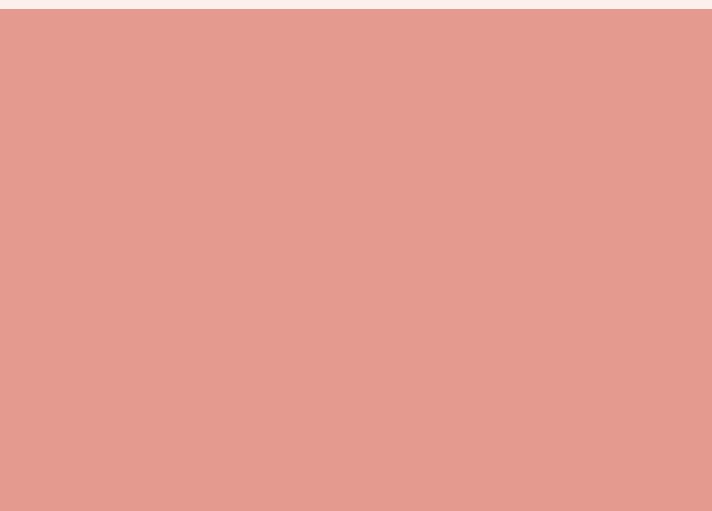
A wide range of education and visitor services provided for the public in the Legislative Council Complex are designed to give participants the opportunity to meet and engage with Members. Members conduct guided educational tours of the Complex and participate in education activities held for schools following the tours such as role-plays on the work of the Council and story-telling. Under the Meeting with Members programme, Members hold discussions with students on topics relating to the work of the Council and social issues. Members also attend mock Council debates organized by youth organizations in the Complex to share with participants their experience as legislators. A total of 383 activity sessions organized for 12 357 students and visitors had Members' participation in this session.

Tours/education activities with Members' participation	349 sessions conducted for 11 228 participants
<u>Meeting with Members</u> sessions	26 sessions conducted for 550 participants
<u>Mock Council debates</u> with Members' participation	8 sessions conducted for 579 participants

Members meet with students and visitors during guided educational tours.







Members meet with students and visitors during education activities.







Members share with students their views on social issues at Meeting with Members sessions.





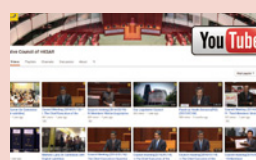
Members give feedback to participants and explain the procedures for transacting the business of a Council meeting in mock Council debates.



## Online services

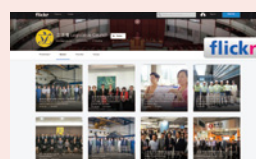
Online services were introduced in January 2014 pursuant to the resolution passed by the Council to approve the use by The Legislative Council Commission of social media websites to share information contained in the records of the proceedings of the Council. To further enhance the dissemination of information about Members, and meetings and activities of the Council and its committees, the video records of committee meetings were posted on the YouTube channel starting from this session in addition to those of Council meetings. An upgraded version of the mobile application that included three new functions, namely “Webcast”, “Social Media Sharing” and “e-Books”, was launched in November 2014.

No. of video clips uploaded to YouTube channel



3 611

No. of photos uploaded to Flickr



1 108

No. of users downloaded the mobile application



2 387

# Chapter 8

## Administrative Support for the Council

### The Legislative Council Commission

The Legislative Council Commission ("the Commission") is a statutory body established under The Legislative Council Commission Ordinance (Cap. 443). Chaired by the President of the Legislative Council and comprising 12 other Members (the Ordinance states that the Commission may have no more than 13 members, including the Chairman), the Commission exercises managerial and financial functions in providing, through the Legislative Council Secretariat, administrative support and services to the Council independent of the Government. Five committees have been appointed by the Commission to carry out specific delegated functions. These are: the Committee on Personnel Matters, the Committee on Members' Operating Expenses, the Committee on Facilities and Services, the Committee on the Use of Legislative Council Square and the Appeals Committee on the Use of Legislative Council Square.

[ Report on the Activities of The Legislative Council Commission 2014-2015 tabled in Council]

### The Legislative Council Secretariat

Headed by the Secretary General, the Legislative Council Secretariat comprises 10 divisions. The Commission directly appoints Secretariat staff. As at 13 October 2015, 648 posts had been established within the Secretariat. An organization chart of the Secretariat is in **Appendix 4**.



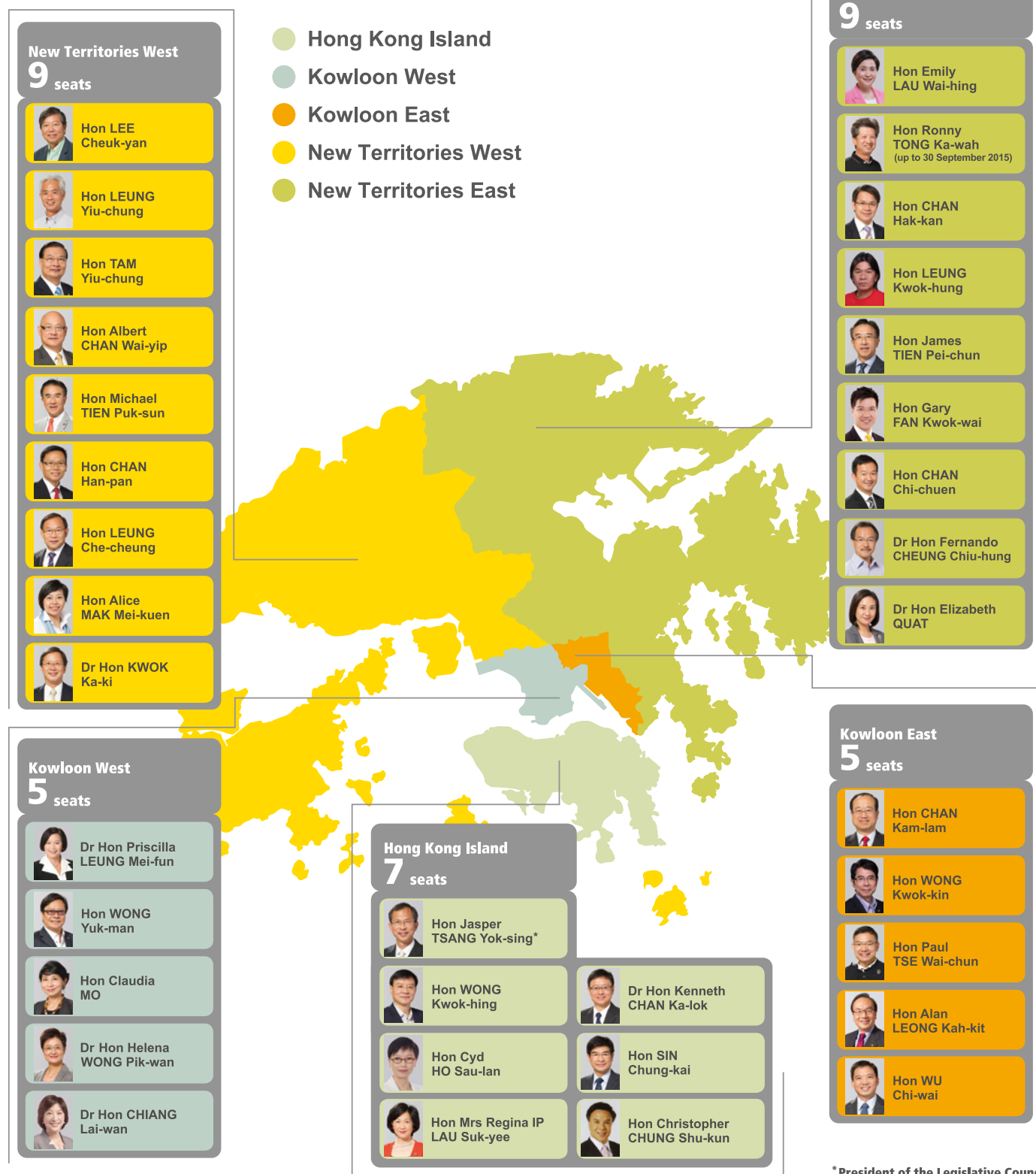
# Appendix 1

## Composition of the Legislative Council

### Members returned by geographical constituencies

**35** Members

are returned by 5 geographical constituencies.



\*President of the Legislative Council

## Members returned by functional constituencies

# 35

Members

are returned by 29 functional constituencies.

	 <b>Heung Yee Kuk</b> Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat	 <b>Agriculture &amp; Fisheries</b> Hon Steven HO Chun-yin
 <b>Insurance</b> Hon CHAN Kin-por	 <b>Transport</b> Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming	 <b>Education</b> Hon IP Kin-yuen
 <b>Legal</b> Hon Dennis KWOK	 <b>Accountancy</b> Hon Kenneth LEUNG	 <b>Medical</b> Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau
 <b>Health Services</b> Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long	 <b>Engineering</b> Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-ki	 <b>Architectural, Surveying &amp; Planning</b> Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen
 <b>Labour</b> Hon KWOK Wai-keung	 <b>Labour</b> Hon POON Siu-ping	 <b>Labour</b> Hon TANG Ka-piu
 <b>Social Welfare</b> Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che	 <b>Real Estate &amp; Construction</b> Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him	 <b>Tourism</b> Hon YIU Si-wing
 <b>Commercial (First)</b> Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung	 <b>Commercial (Second)</b> Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong	 <b>Industrial (First)</b> Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen
 <b>Industrial (Second)</b> Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	 <b>Finance</b> Hon NG Leung-sing	 <b>Financial Services</b> Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung
 <b>Sports, Performing Arts, Culture &amp; Publication</b> Hon MA Fung-ki	 <b>Import &amp; Export</b> Hon WONG Ting-ki	 <b>Textiles &amp; Garment</b> Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan
 <b>Wholesale &amp; Retail</b> Hon Vincent FANG Kang	 <b>Information Technology</b> Hon Charles Peter MOK	 <b>Catering</b> Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yun
 <b>District Council (First)</b> Hon IP Kwok-him	 <b>District Council (Second)</b> Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	 <b>District Council (Second)</b> Hon James TO Kun-sun
 <b>District Council (Second)</b> Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee	 <b>District Council (Second)</b> Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	 <b>District Council (Second)</b> Hon CHAN Yuen-han



## Appendix 2

### Motions

#### Proposed resolutions under Article 75 of the Basic Law to amend the Rules of Procedure

Subject	Result	Council meeting date
<p><u>Proposed resolution under Article 75 of the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China</u></p> <p>Resolved that the Rules of Procedure of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region be amended as set out in <u>the Schedule</u>.</p> <p>moved by Hon TAM Yiu-chung</p>	Motion was passed	29 October 2014
<p><u>Proposed resolution under Article 75 of the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China</u></p> <p>Resolved that the Rules of Procedure of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region be amended as set out in <u>the Schedule</u>.</p> <p>moved by Hon IP Kwok-him</p>	Motion was negated	18 March 2015

## Motions under the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382)

Subject	Result	Council meeting date
<p><u>That this Council appoints a select committee to inquire into the police's handling of the triad gangs' attacks on citizens rallying in Mong Kok on 3 October 2014; and that in the performance of its duties the committee be authorized under section 9(2) of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) to exercise the powers conferred by section 9(1) of that Ordinance.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon WONG Yuk-man</p>	Motion was negated	29 October 2014
<p><u>That this Council appoints a select committee to conduct a comprehensive inquiry into the incident of the breaking out of large-scale unlawful occupation of roads in a number of districts since 28 September this year, including its organization and planning, funding sources, the public order and safety problems caused by the incident, the impacts on various aspects of Hong Kong, the Government's handling of the incident and all other related issues; and that in the performance of its duties the committee be authorized under section 9(2) of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) to exercise the powers conferred by section 9(1) of that Ordinance.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen</p>	Motion was negated	29 October 2014



Subject	Result	Council meeting date
<p><u>That this Council appoints a select committee to inquire into the allegation of the Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Mr LEUNG Chun-ying receiving the benefits of UGL Limited, an Australian corporation; and that in the performance of its duties the committee be authorized under section 9(2) of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) to exercise the powers conferred by section 9(1) of that Ordinance.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Claudia MO</p>	<p>Motion was negatived</p>	<p>5 November 2014</p>
<p><u>That this Council appoints a select committee to inquire into whether the Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Mr LEUNG Chun-ying, has contravened Article 47 of the Basic Law which stipulates that the Chief Executive must be a person of integrity, dedicated to his or her duties; whether he had accurately declared his holding of shares in DTZ Japan to the Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region when he assumed office; and whether the gains from his shares have constituted any conflict of interest with his performance of the duties of the Chief Executive, including but not limited to not issuing a domestic free television programme service licence to Hong Kong Television Network Limited, and other related issues; and that in the performance of its duties the committee be authorized under section 9(2) of the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382) to exercise the powers conferred by section 9(1) of that Ordinance.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan</p>	<p>Motion was negatived</p>	<p>20 November 2014</p>

## Motions under Rule 40 of the Rules of Procedure to adjourn a debate or proceedings of a committee of the whole Council

Subject	Result	Council meeting date
<p><u>Motion under Rule 40(1) of the Rules of Procedure to adjourn the debate on the proposed resolution under section 54A of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance</u></p> <p>moved by Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung</p>	Motion was negated	29 October 2014
<p><u>Motion under Rule 40(4) of the Rules of Procedure to adjourn further proceedings at the Committee stage of the Appropriation Bill 2015</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip</p>	Motion was negated	27 May 2015
<p><u>Motion under Rule 40(1) of the Rules of Procedure to adjourn the debate on the proposed resolutions under section 54A of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance and the relevant amendments</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip</p>	Motion was negated	29 May 2015



## Motions for the adjournment of the Council under Rule 16(2) of the Rules of Procedure

Subject	Result	Council meeting date
<p><u>That this Council do now adjourn for the purpose of debating the following issue: the handling of people's assemblies by the SAR Government and the Hong Kong Police since 26 September this year.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit</p>	Motion on Adjournment negated	15 October 2014
<p><u>That this Council do now adjourn for the purpose of debating the following issue: the Police's assistance in enforcing the injunction orders in Mong Kok and its handling of public assemblies since 25 November 2014.</u></p> <p>moved by Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok</p>	Motion on Adjournment negated	3 December 2014

## Motions for the adjournment of the Council under Rule 16(4) of the Rules of Procedure

Subject	Result	Council meeting date
<p><u>That this Council do now adjourn for the purpose of debating the following issue: the security arrangements adopted by the Legislative Council in respect of large-scale public events.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon WONG Yuk-man</p>	Motion on Adjournment passed	5 November 2014
<p><u>That this Council do now adjourn for the purpose of debating the following issue: the relationship between the incident of petrol bomb attack on a media organization and freedom of the press in Hong Kong.</u></p> <p>moved by Hon Claudia MO</p>	Motion on Adjournment passed	28 January 2015



## Appendix 3

# Membership of Legislative Council Committees (by Members)

Committees  Members	Finance Committee	Subcommittees under Finance Committee		Public Accounts Committee	Committee on Members' Interests	Committee on Rules of Procedure	Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records	House Committee	Subcommittees under House Committee					
		Establishment Subcommittee	Public Works Subcommittee						Parliamentary Liaison Subcommittee	Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement	Subcommittee on Poverty	Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions	Subcommittee to Prepare for the Operation of the Select Committee on the Petition Presented at the Council Meeting of 25 June 2014	Subcommittee on Proposals on the Method for Selecting the Chief Executive in 2017
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)							C (7)							
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	✓	✓	✓			✓		✓			✓		✓	✓
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan	✓	✓	✓			✓		✓		✓	✓		✓	✓
Hon James TO Kun-sun	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓			✓		✓
Hon CHAN Kam-lam	✓		✓					✓					✓	✓
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung	✓	✓	✓					✓			✓			✓
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat	✓							✓						✓
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	✓	✓	✓		DC		✓	✓	C	C				✓
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	✓		✓			C		✓			✓			C
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him			✓	C			✓	✓			✓			✓
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan	C					✓		✓						
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee	✓	✓	✓					✓			DC (10)			✓
Hon Vincent FANG Kang	✓						✓	✓						
Hon WONG Kwok-hing	✓		✓					✓						✓
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long	✓	✓	✓					✓						✓
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung	✓				✓			✓						✓
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen	✓						DC	C						✓
Hon WONG Ting-kiwong	✓	✓					✓	✓		✓				✓
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)	✓	✓	✓				✓	DC			✓			✓
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	DC			C		✓
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	✓	✓						✓	✓ (8)					✓
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai	✓							✓						✓
Hon CHAN Hak-kan	✓		✓	✓				✓						✓
Hon CHAN Kin-por	DC		✓				✓	✓			✓			✓
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun	✓					✓		✓			✓			✓
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau	✓		✓					✓						
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che	✓	✓	✓					✓			✓			
Hon WONG Kwok-kin	✓	✓				✓		✓						✓
Hon IP Kwok-him	✓		✓		C	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-ye	✓	✓				✓		✓						✓
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun	✓	✓ (2)	✓ (3)	DC		✓		✓						DC
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit	✓	✓	C	✓		DC		✓			✓			✓
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung	✓	✓	✓					✓						
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip	✓	✓	✓					✓						✓
Hon WONG Yuk-man	✓			✓		✓		✓		✓	✓			✓
Hon Claudia MO	✓	✓	✓					✓		✓			✓	✓
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun	✓		✓					✓					✓	✓
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun	✓		✓ (4)					✓	✓					✓
Hon NG Leung-sing	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓				✓		✓
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin	✓	✓	✓ (5)					✓						✓
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming	✓		✓		✓			✓			✓		✓	✓
Hon WU Chi-wai	✓	✓	DC					✓					✓	✓
Hon YIU Si-wing	✓	✓						✓					✓	✓
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓					✓	✓
Hon MA Fung-kiwong	✓	✓						✓						✓
Hon Charles Peter MOK	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓			✓		✓	✓
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen	✓	✓	✓					✓			✓			✓
Hon CHAN Han-pan	✓		✓					✓				✓		✓
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓				✓		✓
Hon CHAN Yuen-han	✓		✓		✓			✓			✓			✓
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung	✓		✓					✓			✓			✓
Hon Kenneth LEUNG	✓	C	✓	✓				✓				✓		✓
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen	✓		✓					✓						✓
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki	✓	✓	✓					✓			✓			✓
Hon KWOK Wai-keung	✓	✓						✓			✓			✓
Hon Dennis KWOK	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓			✓		✓
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung	✓	✓	✓ (6)					✓						✓
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓		C (11)			✓
Hon SIN Chung-kai	✓	DC	✓					✓						✓
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan	✓	✓	✓					✓						✓
Hon IP Kin-yuen	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓					✓
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT	✓		✓					✓						✓
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong	✓	✓						✓				✓	C	✓
Hon POON Siu-ping	✓	✓						✓						✓
Hon TANG Ka-piu	✓	✓						✓			✓		✓	✓
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan	✓		✓					✓					✓	✓
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kiwong	✓		✓					✓	✓				✓	✓
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan	✓	✓						✓					✓	✓
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun	✓		✓					✓	✓					✓
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen	✓		✓					✓	✓ (9)				DC	✓
Total	69	41	48	7	7	12	13	69	11	6	22	8	13	60

C = Chairman DC = Deputy Chairman

- (1) Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, President of the Legislative Council, presides over Council meetings and is not a member of any committees.
- (2) Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun (since 20.1.2015)
- (3) Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun (since 13.1.2015)
- (4) Hon James TIEN Pei-chun (up to 17.11.2014)
- (5) Hon Steven HO Chun-yin (since 25.3.2015)

- (6) Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung (since 3.2.2015)
- (7) Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing in his capacity as the President of the Legislative Council is the ex-officio chairman of the Committee on Access to the Legislature's Documents and Records.
- (8) Hon Starry LEE Wai-king (since 14.11.2014)
- (9) Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen (up to 21.9.2015)
- (10) Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee (Chairman up to 24.2.2015) (Deputy Chairman since 24.2.2015)
- (11) Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung (Deputy Chairman up to 24.2.2015) (Chairman since 24.2.2015)

Committees	Bills Committees														
	Bills Committee on Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Arbitration (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Bankruptcy (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Child Abduction Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2013	Bills Committee on Clearing and Settlement Systems (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Competition (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Construction Workers Registration (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Bill	Bills Committee on Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on District Cooling Services Bill	Bills Committee on Electoral Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Electronic Health Record Sharing System Bill	Bills Committee on Employment (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Human Reproductive Technology (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 2015
Members															
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)															
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan			✓	✓		✓									
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan						✓	✓						✓		
Hon James TO Kun-sun	✓	✓						✓							
Hon CHAN Kam-lam			C		✓				C						✓
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung											✓				
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat															
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing									✓ (3)		✓	✓	✓		
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	✓	✓		✓				✓							
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him	✓	✓				✓	✓		✓						✓
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan													✓		
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee									✓						
Hon Vincent FANG Kang													✓		
Hon WONG Kwok-hing													✓		
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long												✓		✓	
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung						✓			✓				✓		
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen					C	C		✓	✓		✓				✓
Hon WONG Ting-kwong			✓		✓	✓			✓	✓					
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)	✓			✓		✓		✓	✓						
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan		✓		✓	✓ (2)	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king			✓		✓			✓			✓				✓
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai							✓			✓					
Hon CHAN Hak-kan															
Hon CHAN Kin-por					✓										
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun	✓	✓									✓				
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau												✓		✓	
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che												✓			
Hon WONG Kwok-kin													✓		
Hon IP Kwok-him							✓				C				
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-ye						✓									
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓		✓		✓		
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit	✓					✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung							✓								
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip						✓									
Hon WONG Yuk-man	✓			✓					✓		✓				
Hon Claudia MO									✓						
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun															
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun															
Hon NG Leung-sing			✓		✓										✓
Hon Steven HO Chun-yan						✓					✓				
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming															
Hon WU Chi-wai										✓		✓			
Hon YIU Si-wing	✓					✓									
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai									✓ (4)						
Hon MA Fung-kuo											✓				
Hon Charles Peter MOK					✓	✓			✓		✓	C		✓	✓
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen					✓				✓		✓		✓	✓ (7)	
Hon CHAN Han-pan											✓	✓		✓	
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok											✓		✓		
Hon CHAN Yuen-han							✓		✓ (5)				✓		✓
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung															
Hon Kenneth LEUNG		C	✓		✓			C					C		✓
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen									✓ (6)			✓			
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki												✓		C	
Hon KWOK Wai-keung							✓						✓		
Hon Dennis KWOK	C	✓	✓	C		✓		✓	✓						
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung			✓		✓	✓									C
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung				✓								✓		✓	
Hon SIN Chung-kai					✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓		✓
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan												✓	✓	✓	
Hon IP Kin-yuen											✓		✓	✓	
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT						✓			✓		✓		✓	✓	
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong									✓				✓	✓	
Hon POON Siu-ping							✓						✓	✓	
Hon TANG Ka-piu	✓		✓			✓	✓						✓	✓	
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan													✓	✓	
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kuo							C	✓		C	✓	✓	✓		✓
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan						✓	✓		✓				✓	✓	
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun									✓						
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen		✓					✓	✓		✓	✓				
Total	11	9	10	8	11	21	15	11	21	7	21	15	22	10	12

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(1) Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, President of the Legislative Council, presides over Council meetings and is not a member of any committees.

(2) Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan (up to 8.3.2015)

(3) Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing (up to 5.5.2015)

(4) Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai (up to 28.1.2015)

(5) Hon CHAN Yuen-han (up to 30.4.2015)

(6) Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen (up to 15.5.2015)

(7) Hon CHAN Chi-chuen (since 9.4.2015)



Committees  Members	Bills Committees (... continued)															
	Bills Committee on Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 3) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Insurance Companies (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Interception of Communications and Surveillance (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Land (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Peak Tramway (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Private Columbia Bill	Bills Committee on Promotion of Recycling and Proper Disposal (Electrical Equipment and Electronic Equipment) (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Property Management Services Bill	Bills Committee on Securities and Futures (Amendment) Bill 2015	Bills Committee on Securities and Futures and Companies Legislation (Uncertificated Securities Market Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Sex Discrimination (Amendment) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2014	Bills Committee on Veterinary Surgeons Registration (Amendment) Bill 2014
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)																
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan																✓
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan						✓			✓					✓		
Hon James TO Kun-sun			✓	✓					✓			✓			✓	
Hon CHAN Kam-lam				✓			✓					C	✓			
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung								✓								
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat																
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing				✓				✓							✓	
Hon TAM Yiu-chung															C	
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him					✓						✓		✓			
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan									✓					✓		C
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee																
Hon Vincent FANG Kang								✓		✓						
Hon WONG Kwok-hing							✓		✓		✓					
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long								C						✓		
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung							C			✓			✓			
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen	C		✓			✓				✓		✓	✓			
Hon WONG Ting-kyong	✓		C			✓		✓		✓						
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)															✓	
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	✓	✓	✓			✓					✓	✓	✓		✓	
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai																
Hon CHAN Hak-kan					✓				✓	✓						✓
Hon CHAN Kin-por			DC	✓	✓	C					✓					
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun									✓					✓	✓	
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau								✓								
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che								✓	✓		✓					
Hon WONG Kwok-kin			✓	✓		✓			✓							
Hon IP Kwok-him				C	✓				C		✓					
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-ye								✓								
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓ (2)			✓	✓	✓
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit	✓		✓					✓	✓		✓					
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung						✓		✓	✓					✓		
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip								✓	✓							
Hon WONG Yuk-man			✓	✓				✓	✓		✓ (3)					
Hon Claudia MO				✓				✓			✓					
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun																
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun																
Hon NG Leung-sing			✓	✓		✓										
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin			✓						✓		✓					✓
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming				✓			✓				✓					
Hon WU Chi-wai					✓				✓	✓	DC					
Hon YIU Si-wing			✓	DC			✓									
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai															✓	
Hon MA Fung-kyok				✓												
Hon Charles Peter MOK	✓	✓		✓						✓			✓		✓	
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen															✓	✓
Hon CHAN Han-pan					✓		✓	✓	✓					✓		✓
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok					✓		✓		DC	✓				✓		✓
Hon CHAN Yuen-han									✓							
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung				✓					✓		✓			✓		
Hon Kenneth LEUNG	✓	C				✓						✓	✓			
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen								✓	✓		✓			✓		✓
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki						✓		✓								
Hon KWOK Wai-keung	✓		✓	✓			✓			✓	✓			✓		
Hon Dennis KWOK		✓	✓	✓									✓		✓	
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung	✓		✓				✓					✓	C			
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung			✓					✓							✓	
Hon SIN Chung-kai	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓					✓	✓			
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan									✓					✓		
Hon IP Kin-yuen																
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT				✓	✓			✓	✓					✓		
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong															✓	
Hon POON Siu-ping						✓								✓		
Hon TANG Ka-piu	✓					✓								✓		
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan				✓										C		✓
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kyok	✓				✓					C						
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan				✓		✓								✓		
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun				✓					✓		✓			✓		
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen				✓	C		✓		✓		C					
Total	11	6	18	24	12	15	13	19	25	11	19	7	10	20	13	9

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(2) Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun (since 15.10.2014)

(3) Hon WONG Yuk-man (up to 19.12.2014)

Committees  Members	Subcommittees on Subsidiary Legislation										
	Subcommittee on Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorist Financing (Financial Institutions) Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 2) Notice 2015	Subcommittee on Building (Administration) (Amendment) Regulation 2015 and Building (Minor Works) (Fees) (Amendment) Regulation 2015	Subcommittee on Four Subsidiary Legislation Related to Competition Ordinance Gazetted on 18 February 2015	Subcommittee to Study the Proposed Subsidiary Legislation on the Procedures to be Adopted by the Competition Tribunal	Subcommittee on Three Regulations Relating to Control Regime for the Import of Eggs	Subcommittee on Dangerous Dogs Regulation (Exemption) (Amendment) Notice 2014 and Rabies (TNR Programme) (Exemption) Notice	Subcommittee on District Council's Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 7) Order 2015 and Maximum Amount of Election Expenses (District Council Election) (Amendment) Regulation 2015	Subcommittee on District Court Equal Opportunities (Amendment) Rules 2014	Subcommittee on Durable Commodities (Liquor) (Amendment) Regulation 2015 and Durable Commodities (Liquor Licences) (Fees) (Amendment) Regulation 2015	Subcommittee on Electronic Transactions Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 1) Order 2014	Subcommittee on Food and Drugs (Composition and Labelling) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulation 2014
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)											
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan								✓			
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan								C			
Hon James TO Kun-sun	✓										
Hon CHAN Kam-lam	C										
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung											
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat											
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing							✓				
Hon TAM Yiu-chung								✓			
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him		✓		✓							
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan					✓				C		
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee					✓						
Hon Vincent FANG Kang					✓						✓
Hon WONG Kwok-hing					✓						
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long											✓
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung			✓								
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen	✓		C	✓						C	
Hon WONG Ting-kwong			✓	✓					✓	✓	✓
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)			✓ (2)	✓							
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king							✓				
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai						✓					
Hon CHAN Hak-kan											
Hon CHAN Kin-por											
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun				✓ (3)							
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau											✓
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che											
Hon WONG Kwok-kin		✓									
Hon IP Kwok-him									C		
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee											
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit		✓		✓	✓		✓				✓
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung				✓							
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip											
Hon WONG Yuk-man											
Hon Claudia MO						C					
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun											
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun											
Hon NG Leung-sing	✓										
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin					C				✓	✓	✓
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming											
Hon WU Chi-wai											
Hon YIU Si-wing									✓	✓	
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai											
Hon MA Fung-kuok							✓				
Hon Charles Peter MOK			✓							✓	
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen						✓	✓		✓		
Hon CHAN Han-pan		✓			✓		✓				
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok									✓		
Hon CHAN Yuen-han											
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung						✓	✓				
Hon Kenneth LEUNG											
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen											C
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki											✓
Hon KWOK Wai-keung									✓		✓
Hon Dennis KWOK	✓		✓	C				✓			
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung	✓										
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung											
Hon SIN Chung-kai	✓		✓	✓			✓		✓	✓	
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan					✓	✓			✓		✓
Hon IP Kin-yuen											
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT							✓			✓	✓
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong			✓				✓				
Hon POON Siu-ping											
Hon TANG Ka-piu				✓							✓
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan			✓	✓						✓	
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kuok		✓	✓								
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan	✓		✓	✓							
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun							✓				
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen		C									
Total	8	7	13	11	8	6	14	6	10	8	13

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(2) Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (since 24.3.2015)

(3) Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun (up to 31.3.2015)



Committees  Members	Subcommittees on Subsidiary Legislation (...continued)									
	Subcommittee on Foreign Lawyers Practice (Amendment) Rules 2015 Solicitors' Practice (Amendment) Rules 2015 and Limited Liability Partnerships (Top-up Insurance) Rules	Subcommittee on Fourth Technical Memorandum for Allocation of Emission Allowances in Respect of Specified Licences	Subcommittee on Rules of the High Court (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules 2014 and Rules of the District Court (Amendment) Rules 2014	Subcommittee on the Two Orders Made under Sections 49 and 49(1A) of the Inland Revenue Ordinance and Gazetted on 17 October 2014	Subcommittee on Proposed Resolution Relating to the Establishment of the Innovation and Technology Bureau	Subcommittee on the Two Proposed Resolutions Relating to the Establishment of the Innovation and Technology Bureau	Subcommittee on Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources and Contributions) (Amendment) Regulation 2015	Subcommittee on Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes (Amendment) Ordinance 2015 (Commencement) Notice 2015	Subcommittee on Merchant Shipping (Control of Harmful Anti-Fouling Systems on Ships) Regulation and Merchant Shipping (Prevention and Control of Pollution) (Fees) (Amendment) Regulation 2015	Subcommittee on Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Pollution by Garbage) Regulation and Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Pollution by Garbage) Regulation (Repeal) Regulation
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)										
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan			✓				✓			
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan							✓			
Hon James TO Kun-sun				C						
Hon CHAN Kam-lam					✓	✓				
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung								✓		
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat										
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing										
Hon TAM Yiu-chung							✓			
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him										
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan										
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee										
Hon Vincent FANG Kang										
Hon WONG Kwok-hing					✓	✓				
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long										
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung										
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen				✓	✓	✓				
Hon WONG Ting-kwong					✓	✓		✓		
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)										
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan		C	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king										
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai										
Hon CHAN Hak-kan		✓								
Hon CHAN Kin-por										
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun	✓						✓			
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau										
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che										
Hon WONG Kwok-kin										
Hon IP Kwok-him						✓				
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-ye					✓	✓				
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun	✓		✓				✓			
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit					✓	✓				
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung					✓	✓				
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip					✓	✓			✓	✓
Hon WONG Yuk-man						✓				
Hon Claudia MO					✓	✓				
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun										
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun										
Hon NG Leung-sing						✓				
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin						✓			✓	✓
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming		✓			✓	✓			C	✓
Hon WU Chi-wai		✓							✓	✓
Hon YIU Si-wing										
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai		✓								
Hon MA Fung-kwok										
Hon Charles Peter MOK					✓	✓				
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen					✓	✓				
Hon CHAN Han-pan										
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok					✓	✓			✓	✓
Hon CHAN Yuen-han										
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung										
Hon Kenneth LEUNG				✓						
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen										
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki					✓					
Hon KWOK Wai-keung		✓								
Hon Dennis KWOK	C		C				C			
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung										
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung										
Hon SIN Chung-kai					✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan										
Hon IP Kin-yuen										
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT					✓	✓	✓			
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong										
Hon POON Siu-ping								✓	✓	
Hon TANG Ka-piu		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan					✓	✓				
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-ki					C	C				
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan					✓	✓		C		
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun					✓	✓				
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen					✓	✓			✓	
Total	3	7	4	3	23	26	9	7	9	8

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Committees  Members	Subcommittees on Subsidiary Legislation (...continued)									
	Subcommittee on Minimum Wage Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Notice 2015 and Employment Ordinance (Amendment of Ninth Schedule) Notice 2015	Subcommittee on Overseas Lawyers (Qualification for Admission) (Amendment) Rules 2014 (Commencement) Notice	Subcommittee on Three Pieces of Subsidiary Legislation Relating to Over-the-counter Derivative Transactions	Subcommittee on Port Control (Public Cargo Working Area) Order 2015	Subcommittee on Rating (Exemption) Order 2015	Subcommittee on Registration of Copyright Licensing Bodies (Amendment) Regulation 2015, Trade Marks (Amendment) Rules 2015 and Registered Designs (Amendment) Rules 2015	Subcommittee on Road Traffic (Amendment) Ordinance 2012 (Commencement) Notice	Subcommittee on Road Traffic Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 10) Order 2015	Subcommittee on Waste Disposal (Designated Waste Disposal Facility) (Amendment) Regulation 2013 (Commencement) Notice 2014 and Waste Disposal (Refuse Transfer Station) (Amendment) Regulation 2013 (Commencement) Notice	Subcommittee on Statutes of the University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Statute 2015
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)										
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan										
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan	✓									
Hon James TO Kun-sun		✓								
Hon CHAN Kam-lam										
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung	✓									
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat										
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing										
Hon TAM Yiu-chung										
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him		✓								C
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan	✓									
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee	✓									
Hon Vincent FANG Kang					✓					
Hon WONG Kwok-hing										
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long										
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung										
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen	✓				C					
Hon WONG Ting-kwong						✓				
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)										
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan	✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	C	
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king				✓	✓					
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai										
Hon CHAN Hak-kan								✓	✓	
Hon CHAN Kin-por										
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun		✓								
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau										
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che										
Hon WONG Kwok-kin										
Hon IP Kwok-him	✓			C	✓					
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-ye										
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun		✓				✓				
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit										✓
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung										
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip					✓					
Hon WONG Yuk-man										
Hon Claudia MO										
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun										
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun										
Hon NG Leung-sing			✓							
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin										
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming	✓			✓			✓	C	✓	
Hon WU Chi-wai					✓					
Hon YIU Si-wing	✓			✓	✓					
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai							✓			
Hon MA Fung-kwok						✓				
Hon Charles Peter MOK						C				
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen	✓				✓					
Hon CHAN Han-pan										
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok				✓	✓				✓	
Hon CHAN Yuen-han										
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung	✓									
Hon Kenneth LEUNG										
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen										
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki	✓						✓	✓		
Hon KWOK Wai-keung	✓									
Hon Dennis KWOK		C				✓				
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung			✓		✓					
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung	✓									
Hon SIN Chung-kai	✓		C	✓	✓	✓				
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan										✓
Hon IP Kin-yuen										✓
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT									✓	
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong	✓									✓
Hon POON Siu-ping	✓						✓	✓	✓	
Hon TANG Ka-piu	✓						✓	✓	✓	
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan	C									
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok					✓		C		✓	
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan	✓									
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun				✓	✓					✓
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen				✓	✓				✓	
Total	20	5	3	9	15	7	6	6	9	6

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Committees  Members	Panels																	
	Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services	Panel on Commerce and Industry	Panel on Constitutional Affairs	Panel on Development	Panel on Economic Development	Panel on Education	Panel on Environmental Affairs	Panel on Financial Affairs	Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene	Panel on Health Services	Panel on Home Affairs	Panel on Housing	Panel on Information Technology and Broadcasting	Panel on Manpower	Panel on Public Service	Panel on Security	Panel on Transport	Panel on Welfare Services
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)																		
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan	✓		✓			✓		✓		✓								✓
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan			✓									✓		✓			✓	
Hon James TO Kun-sun	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓				✓				✓	✓	
Hon CHAN Kam-lam	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓								✓	✓	
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung			✓			✓						✓		✓				✓
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat			✓	DC												✓ (5)		
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	✓	✓	✓	✓									✓		✓	✓		
Hon TAM Yiu-chung	✓		C			✓	✓						✓		✓			✓
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him	✓		✓	✓		✓		✓				✓						
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan						✓			C					✓				
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee			✓	✓								✓						✓
Hon Vincent FANG Kang		DC				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓					✓	
Hon WONG Kwok-hing			✓			✓		✓	✓	✓		✓					✓	
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long			✓						✓	C		✓						
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung		✓	✓		C			✓									✓	
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen		✓			✓			✓										
Hon WONG Ting-kwong		C	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓			✓					
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)	✓		✓		✓			✓					✓				✓	✓
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓		✓		✓			✓		
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		C							
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai		✓	✓		✓	C					✓					✓		
Hon CHAN Hak-kan				✓			C		✓			✓					✓	
Hon CHAN Kin-por			✓	✓	✓		✓	C		✓				✓		✓		
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun	C		✓			✓	✓						✓			✓		
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau					✓				✓	DC				✓	✓			✓
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che			✓			✓			✓	✓	✓			✓				C
Hon WONG Kwok-kin			✓						✓					C		✓		
Hon IP Kwok-him			✓	✓		✓					✓	✓		✓		C		
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-ye			✓	✓		✓		✓					✓		✓		✓	
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun	✓		DC	✓	✓		✓						✓		✓	✓	✓	
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit	✓		✓	✓					✓			✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung	✓		✓	✓		✓						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip				✓	✓		✓			✓		✓					✓	
Hon WONG Yuk-man	✓		✓						✓			✓				✓		
Hon Claudia MO			✓						✓		✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓							✓	C	
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun			✓	✓	✓			✓										
Hon NG Leung-sing	✓		✓					✓			✓		✓			DC		
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓		DC		✓		✓					
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming					✓		✓		✓ (4)		✓					✓	✓	✓
Hon WU Chi-wai			✓	✓			✓					✓				✓	✓	
Hon YIU Si-wing			✓	✓	✓					✓	DC		✓			✓		
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai			✓	✓		✓	✓ (3)										✓	
Hon MA Fung-kuo	✓	✓	✓								✓		✓			✓		
Hon Charles Peter MOK		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓			✓			✓		
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen			✓	✓		✓			✓	✓			✓			✓		✓
Hon CHAN Han-pan				✓	✓		✓		✓	✓							✓	✓
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok			✓	✓		✓	DC		✓		✓					✓		
Hon CHAN Yuen-han			✓	✓										✓				DC
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung				✓							✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Hon Kenneth LEUNG			✓ (2)		✓		✓	✓								✓		
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen	✓		✓	✓					✓	✓		C						
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki			✓						✓	✓				✓			✓	✓
Hon KWOK Wai-keung												✓		✓	DC	✓		
Hon Dennis KWOK	DC	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓								✓		
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung			✓	✓	✓			DC					✓			✓		
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung			✓	✓	✓	✓				✓		✓				✓		✓
Hon SIN Chung-kai		✓	✓		✓			✓					✓	✓	✓			
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan			✓			✓			✓	✓	✓				✓			✓
Hon IP Kin-yuen			✓			DC					✓				✓			
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT	✓			✓	✓		✓			✓			C			✓	✓	
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong	✓	✓	✓												✓			
Hon POON Siu-ping										✓				✓	C		✓	✓
Hon TANG Ka-piu	✓				✓						✓			✓	✓		DC	✓
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓		✓		✓	DC		✓		
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kuo		✓		✓			✓					✓	DC			✓		
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan	✓	✓	✓		DC				✓					✓		✓		
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun						✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	DC	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen			✓	C		✓	✓				✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
Total	23	14	53	30	25	27	24	18	24	18	21	22	23	18	15	32	24	19

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 (3) Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai (up to 21.1.2015)

- (4) Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming (up to 27.10.2014)  
 (5) Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat (up to 14.11.2014)

Committees  Members	Subcommittees of Panels									Select Committee
	Panel on Development and Panel on Home Affairs Joint Subcommittee to Monitor the Implementation of the West Kowloon Cultural District Project	Panel on Education Subcommittee to Study the Implementation of Free Kindergarten Education	Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene Subcommittee on Issues Relating to Public Markets	Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene Subcommittee on Hawker Policy	Panel on Health Services Subcommittee on Health Protection Scheme	Panel on Health Services Subcommittee on Issues Relating to the Development of Chinese Medicine	Panel on Transport Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways	Panel on Welfare Services Subcommittee on Retirement Protection	Panel on Welfare Services Subcommittee on Strategy and Measures to Tackle Domestic Violence (Formerly known as Subcommittee on Strategy and Measures to Tackle Domestic Violence)	Select Committee to Inquire into the Background of and Reasons for the Delay of the Construction of the Hong Kong section of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link
Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing (President) (1)										
Hon Albert HO Chun-yan								✓	✓	
Hon LEE Cheuk-yan							✓			✓
Hon James TO Kun-sun							✓			
Hon CHAN Kam-lam							✓			✓
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung								✓		
Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat										
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing	✓									
Hon TAM Yiu-chung		✓						✓		
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him	✓	✓								
Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan		✓								
Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee										
Hon Vincent FANG Kang			C	✓	✓	✓				
Hon WONG Kwok-hing		✓	✓	✓			DC			
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long					✓	✓				
Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung										
Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen										
Hon WONG Ting-kwong						✓				
Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah (up to 30.9.2015)							✓	✓		
Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan	✓	✓	✓	✓						
Hon Starry LEE Wai-king	✓	C								
Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai							✓			
Hon CHAN Hak-kan					✓					
Hon CHAN Kin-por										
Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun										
Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau					C					
Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che		✓		✓	✓	✓		DC	✓	
Hon WONG Kwok-kin										
Hon IP Kwok-him	✓	✓								
Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee		✓					✓			
Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun							✓			
Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit	DC		DC	DC			✓	✓		
Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung							✓	✓		
Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip										
Hon WONG Yuk-man				✓						
Hon Claudia MO	✓			✓			✓			✓
Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun			✓				✓			✓
Hon James TIEN Pei-chun										
Hon NG Leung-sing										
Hon Steven HO Chun-yin	✓	✓	✓	C						
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming	✓						✓	✓		✓
Hon WU Chi-wai							✓			✓
Hon YIU Si-wing					✓	✓				
Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai	✓ (2)						✓			✓
Hon MA Fung-kuok	✓	✓								
Hon Charles Peter MOK		✓			✓					✓
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
Hon CHAN Han-pan			✓	✓	✓	C	C	✓		✓
Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok		✓		✓						
Hon CHAN Yuen-han	✓							C	DC	
Hon LEUNG Che-cheung									✓	
Hon Kenneth LEUNG										
Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen			✓	✓	✓	✓				
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki					✓	✓		✓	✓ (4)	
Hon KWOK Wai-keung										
Hon Dennis KWOK										
Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung										
Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung		✓						✓	C	
Hon SIN Chung-kai										
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan	✓	✓							✓	
Hon IP Kin-yuen		DC								
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT						✓	✓			
Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong										C
Hon POON Siu-ping					✓			✓		
Hon TANG Ka-piu							✓	✓	✓	✓
Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan	✓	✓ (3)								
Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kuok							✓			✓
Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan										
Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun	C	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			
Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen	✓						✓			DC
Total	16	18	10	13	11	10	20	15	9	13

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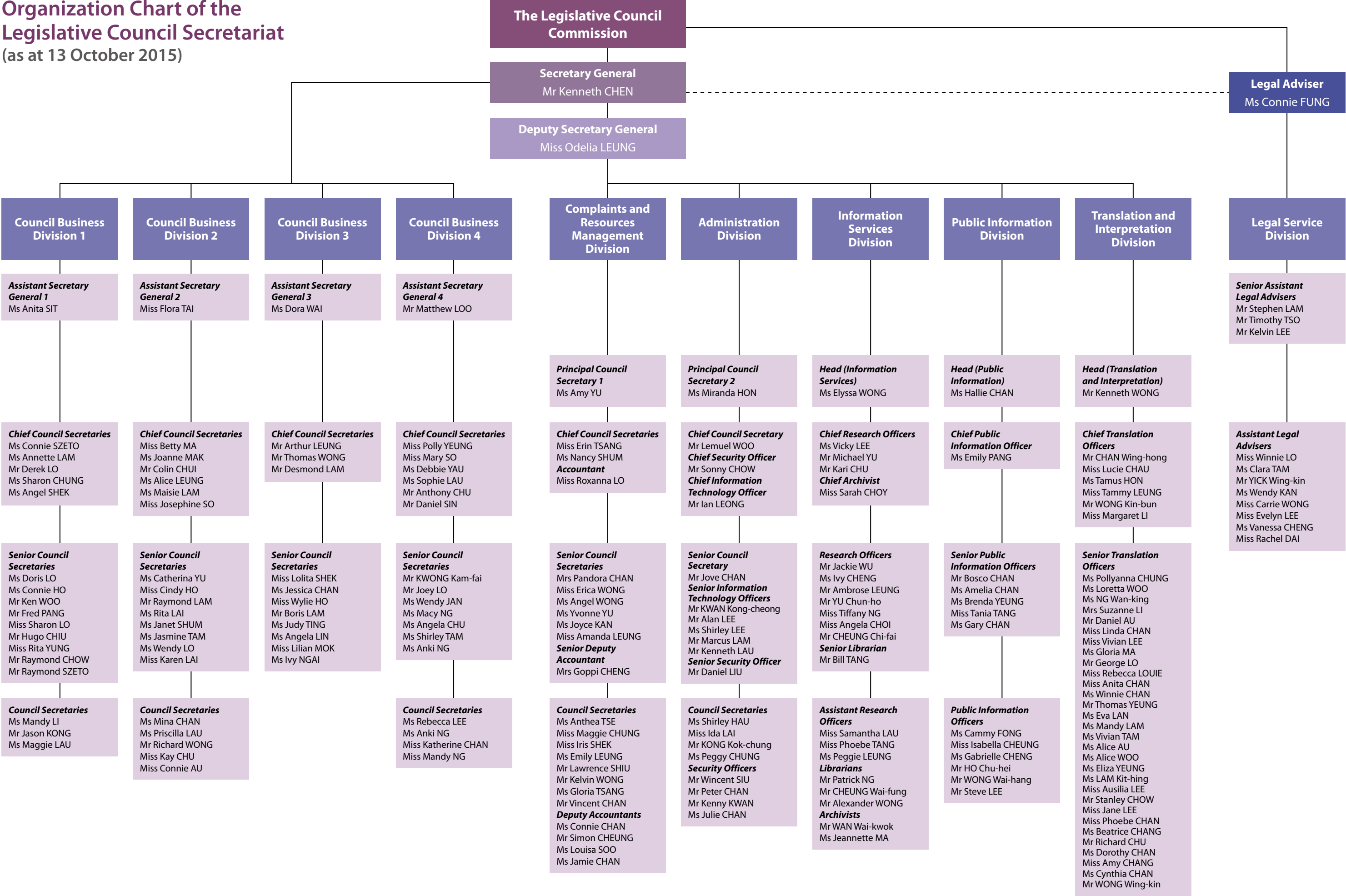
(2) Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai (up to 15.1.2015)

(3) Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan (up to 5.5.2015)

(4) Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki (since 12.1.2015)



Appendix 4  
Organization Chart of the  
Legislative Council Secretariat  
(as at 13 October 2015)





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