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resolution)

Part I Fees

Chiropractors Registration Ordinance (Cap. 428) Chiropractors Registration (Fees) Regulation (L.N. 79)

The Regulation prescribes the fees payable for application for registration of chiropractors (\$3,055), practising certificate (\$1,240), certificate for registration (\$2,370) and various other certificates etc. under the principal ordinance. It will commence operation on a day to be appointed by the Secretary for Health and Welfare.

A LegCo Brief HWB/M/22/16 dated 3 April 2001 is issued by the Health and Welfare Bureau for Members' information.

The Panel on Health Services was briefed on the Regulation and the commencement notice (under the following gazette item) at its meeting on 9 April 2001.

Part II Others

Chiropractors Registration Ordinance (Cap. 428) Chiropractors Registration Ordinance (Cap. 428) (Commencement) Notice 2001 (L.N. 80)

The Notice appoints -

- (a) 6 April 2001 as the day on which section 17(3) of the principal ordinance, which provides the Chiropractors Council with the power to make rules on disciplinary investigations and proceedings; and
- (b) 8 June 2001 as the day on which sections 8 to 12, 14 to 16, 17(1), (2) and (4) to (9), 18 to 23, 24(a) to (g), (j) and (k) and 25, which set out in general the registration and disciplinary procedures

shall come into operation.

According to LegCo Brief HWB/M/22/16 dated 3 April 2001 and issued by the Health and Welfare Bureau, the remaining inoperative provisions of the principal ordinance (section 24(h) and (i)), which criminalise the illegal practices of chiropractic, will be put into effect at a later date, to be decided having regard to the progress of the registration exercise.

University of Hong Kong Ordinance (Cap. 1053) Statutes of the University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Statutes 2001 (L.N. 81)

These Statutes provides for the following -

- (a) the award of some new degrees and academic distinctions;
- (b) the changing of the degree "Bachelor of Science (Sports Science and Leisure Management)" to "Bachelor of Science in Sports Science and Leisure Management"; and
- (c) the revision of the membership of the Senate to take into account the change of the Chinese name of the Computer Centre, the disestablishment of the Radioisotope Unit and the replacement of the School of Postgraduate Medical Education and Training by the Medical Education Unit.

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