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Paper for the House Committee meeting on 12 October 2001

Membership of the Parliamentary Liaison Subcommittee

Purpose

This paper invites the House Committee to endorse the recommendations of the Parliamentary Liaison Subcommittee for electing a Member to fill the vacancy in the Subcommittee arising from the resignation of a Member from the Legislative Council.

Background

2. The House Committee agreed at its meeting on 13 October 2000 that the Parliamentary Liaison Subcommittee could have a maximum of 12 members, and that it was not necessary to fill all 12 seats if less than 12 nominations were received at the time of election. At the House Committee meeting held on 20 October 2000, nine Members were elected to the Subcommittee:

Dr Hon LUI Ming-wah, JP (Chairman)
Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP (Deputy Chairman)
Hon David CHU Yu-lin, JP
Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, JP
Prof Hon NG Ching-fai
Hon James TO Kun-sun
Hon CHAN Kwok-keung
Hon Howard YOUNG, JP
Hon CHOY So-yuk

Following the resignation of Prof NG Ching-fai from the Council, there are now only eight members on the Subcommittee.

The Subcommittee's recommendations

3. In the light of the House Committee's decision on the size of the Subcommittee and the need to ensure that the Subcommittee's membership is broadly balanced and representative of the groupings in the Council, the Subcommittee recommends that a Member be elected to fill the vacancy and that the election be held at the House Committee meeting to be held on 26 October 2001. In accordance with the election procedure agreed by the House Committee on 13 October 2000, the election of Members to the Subcommittee is by way of nominations made orally at the meeting of the House Committee. If there are more nominations than places available, an election by a show of hands will be conducted.

Decision sought

4. Members are invited to endorse the Subcommittee's recommendations in paragraph 3 above.

Legislative Council Secretariat
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