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Bills Committee on Housing (Amendment) Bill 2002

Further to the Bills Committee meeting this morning, I would be grateful if you would bring to the attention of Members of the Bills Committee the following information :

		Actual expenditure in \$million	
		2001/2002	April 2002 – <u>January 2003</u>
—	allowance paid to the Chairman of the Housing Authority	\$1.14	\$0.93
_	other expenses (secretarial support and chauffeur service to the Chairman of the Housing Authority)	\$1.02	\$0.86
	Total	\$2.16	\$1.79

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After the Secretary for Housing, Planning and Lands takes up the Chairmanship of the Housing Authority upon enactment of the Housing (Amendment) Bill 2002, we envisage that payment of the expenditure in paragraph 1 above, which is being incurred by the Housing Authority, will no longer be required.

Please let me know if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

(Stephen Chung) for Secretary for Housing, Planning and Lands

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