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Ms Anita Sit  
Clerk to the Establishment Subcommittee  
Legislative Council Secretariat  
Legislative Council Building,  
8 Jackson Road,  
Central, Hong Kong.

Dear Ms Sit,

**Establishment Subcommittee Meeting**

At the Establishment Subcommittee meeting on 11 June, we undertook to provide Members with information on civil service directorate posts created for special purposes in organisations other than Government bureaux and departments, and which have been left vacant.

Apart from 105 civil service directorate posts in trading funds and the Housing Authority that are filled and managed like those in all Government departments, there are 29 civil service directorate posts in other organisations under special arrangements to accommodate civil servants working there. Their present position is listed below -

Organisation	Civil service directorate posts		Remarks
	No.	Strength	
Hospital Authority	15	15	These posts will be deleted once the incumbents leave the service. Annual information notes are submitted to ESC reporting on these and other civil service posts.
Vocational Training Council	2	2	These posts will be deleted once the incumbents leave the service. Annual information notes are submitted to ESC reporting on these and other civil service posts.

Organisation	Civil service directorate posts		Remarks
	No.	Strength	
Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA)	8	1	HKMA regularly reviews these and other civil service posts having regard to operational requirements and career development of civil servants in the Authority with an annual submission to the ESC on these posts. HKMA is currently reviewing the continued need for these directorate posts.
Office of the Ombudsman	4	1	3 officers have been recruited on non-civil-service terms to replace civil servants. A submission will be made to ESC for the deletion of these posts in due course.

I should be grateful if you would pass the information to Members.

Yours truly,

(K K Lam)  
for Secretary for Financial Services  
and the Treasury