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**Position Report on Bills Committees/subcommittees
(as at 17 June 2003)**

Summary	(a)	Number of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in action	:	9	(see <u>List A</u> for details)
	(b)	Number of other subcommittees under House Committee in action	:	1	(see <u>List B</u> for details)
	(c)	Number of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation reporting to House Committee on 20.6.03	:	1	(see <u>List C</u> for details)
	(d)	Number of other subcommittees under House Committee reporting to House Committee on 20.6.03	:	1	(see <u>List D</u> for details)
	(e)	Number of Bills Committees in action	:	12	(see <u>List E</u> for details)
	(f)	Number of Bills Committees reporting to House Committee on 20.6.03	:	4	(see <u>List F</u> for details)
	(g)	Number of Bills Committees held in abeyance	:	4	(see <u>List G</u> for details)
	(h)	Number of Bills Committees on waiting list	:	6	(see <u>List H</u> for details)
	(i)	Bills pending resumption of Second Reading debate	:	8	(see <u>List I</u> for details)
	(j)	Bills pending decision of House Committee	:	1	(see <u>List J</u> for details)

List A : Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in action

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on United Nations Sanctions (Afghanistan) (Amendment) Regulation 2002 and United Nations Sanctions (Angola) (Suspension of Operation) Regulation 2002 - Ms Doris CHAN CAS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	4.10.02 Hon Margaret NG	4 30.10.02 10.12.02 21.1.03 25.2.03		A draft report on the Subcommittee's deliberations has been prepared. A further meeting may be convened to consider the report and the recommendations to be made.
2. Subcommittee on the draft Criminal Jurisdiction Ordinance (Amendment of Section 2(2)) Order 2002 - Mrs Percy MA CAS(2)3 Tel : 2869 9253	6.12.02 Hon James TO Kun-sun	2 8.1.03 17.3.03		Next meeting to be held on 24.6.03.
3. Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation relating to Village Representative elections - Miss Flora TAI CAS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	21.2.03 Hon Andrew WONG Wang-fat, JP	4 3.3.03 13.3.03 16.4.03 5.5.03	7.3.03 (Verbal report) 21.3.03 (1st report) 25.4.03 (2nd verbal report)	Next meeting to be held on 19.6.03 to discuss the Village Representative (Election Petition) Rules.

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
3. Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation relating to Village Representative elections - Miss Flora TAI CAS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			9.5.03 (3rd verbal report) 16.5.03 (2nd report)	
4. Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation relating to District Councils election gazetted on 16 May 2003 - Mrs Percy MA CAS(2)3 Tel : 2869 9253	23.5.03 Hon IP Kwok-him, JP	3 30.5.03 2.6.03 9.6.03	6.6.03 (1st report)	Next meeting to be held on 18.6.03 to continue discussion on the remaining item of subsidiary legislation.
5. Subcommittee on Registration of Persons (Application for New Identity Cards) Order and Registration of Persons (Application for New Identity Cards) (Repeal) Order 2003 - Mrs Constance LI CAS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	23.5.03 Hon IP Kwok-him, JP	1 12.6.03	13.6.03 (Verbal report)	First meeting held on 12.6.03. The Administration was requested to provide further information.

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
6. Subcommittee on Dutiable Commodities (Amendment) Regulation 2003 - Ms Anita SIT CAS(1)6 Tel : 2525 3331	6.6.03 Hon SIN Chung-kai	1 17.6.03	27.6.03	Reporting to the House Committee on 27.6.03.
7. Subcommittee on proposed resolution under Section 7 of the Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance - Mrs Percy MA CAS(2)3 Tel : 2869 9253	6.6.03			First meeting to be held on 18.6.03 to elect the Chairman.
8. Subcommittee on Road Traffic (Temporary Reduction of New Territories Taxi Fares) Regulation 2003 and Road Traffic (Temporary Reduction of New Territories Taxi Fares) (No.2) Regulation 2003 - Mr Andy LAU CAS(1)2 Tel : 2869 9577	13.6.03			First meeting to be held on 19.6.03 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
9. Subcommittee on Apprenticeship (Designation of Trades) Order 2003 and Apprenticeship (Periods of Apprenticeship) Notice 2003 - Mrs Constance LI CAS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	13.6.03			First meeting to be held on 20.6.03 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.

List B : Other subcommittees under House Committee in action

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement - Mrs Anna LO PASA Tel : 2869 9480	20.10.00 Hon NG Leung-sing, JP	9 1.11.00 9.11.00 30.11.00 16.3.01 15.6.01 26.6.01 4.10.01 11.4.02 29.5.03	17.11.00 (1st report) 8.12.00 (2nd report) 29.6.01 (3rd report) 2.11.01 (4th report) 31.5.02 (5th report)	

List C : Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation reporting to House Committee on 20.6.03

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on Fire Services (Fire Hazard Abatement) Regulation - Mrs Constance LI CAS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	16.5.03 Hon IP Kwok-him, JP	2 26.5.03 2.6.03	6.6.03 (Verbal report) 20.6.03	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.03.

List D : Other subcommittees under House Committee reporting to House Committee on 20.6.03

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee to follow up the outstanding capital works projects of the former municipal councils - Mrs Constance LI CAS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	20.10.00 Dr Hon TANG Siu-tong, JP	16 10.11.00 7.12.00 1.3.01 4.4.01 18.4.01 3.5.01 21.6.01 16.10.01 15.11.01 10.1.02 7.3.02 2.5.02 4.7.02 14.11.02 19.2.03 22.5.03	20.6.03	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.03.

List E : Bills Committees in action

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Telecommunications (Amendment) Bill 2002 - Miss Polly YEUNG CAS(1)3 Tel : 2869 9246	15.5.02	17.5.02 Hon SIN Chung-kai	14 12.7.02 25.7.02 7.10.02 6.11.02 3.12.02 12.12.02 7.1.03 27.2.03 19.3.03 30.4.03 12.5.03 23.5.03 9.6.03 13.6.03	6.6.03 (1st report) 13.6.03 (Verbal report) 20.6.03 (2nd verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 19.6.03 to meet with the Administration. Second verbal report to the House Committee on 20.6.03.
2. Bills Committee on Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2001 and Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2003 - Ms Connie SZETO CAS(1)4 Tel : 2525 1612	19.12.01 12.2.03	4.1.02 Hon SIN Chung-kai	11 10.7.02 16.9.02 8.10.02 7.11.02 10.12.02 14.2.03 4.3.03	13.6.03 (Verbal report) 20.6.03		Reporting to the House Committee on the Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2001 on 20.6.03. Next meeting to be held on 4.7.03 to meet with deputations and the Administration to continue discussion on the Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2003.

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
2. Bills Committee on Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2001 and Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2003 - Ms Connie SZETO CAS(1)4 Tel : 2525 1612 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			7.4.03 9.5.03 6.6.03 12.6.03			
3. Bills Committee on Education (Amendment) Bill 2002 - Miss Flora TAI CAS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	4.12.02	6.12.02 Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan	8 27.2.03 17.3.03 27.3.03 11.4.03 9.5.03 12.5.03 30.5.03 3.6.03			Scrutiny of the Bill will resume around mid-September 2003.
4. Bills Committee on National Security (Legislative Provisions) Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	26.2.03	28.2.03 Hon IP Kwok-him, JP (Chairman) Hon Ambrose LAU Hon-chuen, GBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)	25 6.3.03 25.3.03 27.3.03 1.4.03 (2 sessions) 8.4.03 (2 sessions)	20.6.03 (Verbal report)	9.7.03	Next meeting to be held on 21.6.03 to discuss the Committee Stage amendments proposed by members.

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4. Bills Committee on National Security (Legislative Provisions) Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			12.4.03 (2 sessions) 15.4.03 (2 sessions) 22.4.03 (2 sessions) 26.4.03 (2 sessions) 29.4.03 (2 sessions) 3.5.03 (morning) (2 sessions) 3.5.03 (afternoon) (2 sessions) 10.5.03 (2 sessions) 13.5.03 (2 sessions) 17.5.03 (2 sessions) 20.5.03 (2 sessions) 24.5.03 (2 sessions) 27.5.03 (2 sessions)			

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4. Bills Committee on National Security (Legislative Provisions) Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			31.5.03 (2 sessions) 3.6.03 (2 sessions) 7.6.03 (2 sessions) 10.6.03 (3 sessions) 14.6.03 (morning) (2 sessions) 14.6.03 (afternoon) (2 sessions) 17.6.03 (3 sessions)			
5. Bills Committee on Land Titles Bill - Miss Salumi CHAN CAS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	18.12.02	3.1.03 Hon Margaret NG	7 19.3.03 8.4.03 23.4.03 5.5.03 12.5.03 (2 sessions) 22.5.03 9.6.03			Next four meetings to be held on 19.6.03, 30.6.03, 17.7.03 and 31.7.03 to meet with the Administration.

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
6. Bills Committee on Betting Duty (Amendment) Bill 2003 - Miss Flora TAI CAS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	9.4.03	11.4.03 Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-ye, GBS, JP	8 9.5.03 23.5.03 28.5.03 6.6.03 10.6.03 (2 sessions) 12.6.03 13.6.03 16.6.03 (2 sessions)			Next four meetings to be held on 18.6.03, 20.6.03, 23.6.03 and 24.6.03 to continue discussion with the Administration.
7. Bills Committee on Construction Workers Registration Bill - Mr Andy LAU CAS(1)2 Tel : 2869 9577	19.3.03	21.3.03 Hon CHAN Kwok-keung	1 2.6.03			Next meeting to be held on 24.6.03 to meet with deputations and the Administration.
8. Bills Committee on Construction Industry Levy (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2003 - Ms Doris CHAN CAS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	9.4.03	11.4.03				First meeting to be held on 20.6.03 to elect the Chairman.

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
9. Bills Committee on Public Officers Pay Adjustments (2004/2005) Bill - Miss Salumi CHAN CAS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	21.5.03	23.5.03				First meeting to be held on 2.7.03 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.
10. Bills Committee on Boundary Facilities Improvement Tax Bill - Ms Anita SIT CAS(1)6 Tel : 2525 3331	11.6.03	13.6.03				First meeting to be held on 2.7.03 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.
11. Bills Committee on Education (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2003 - Miss Flora TAI CAS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	9.4.03	11.4.03				First meeting to be held on 7.7.03 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.
12. Bills Committee on Buildings (Amendment) Bill 2003 - Ms Anita SIT CAS(1)6 Tel : 2525 3331	30.4.03	2.5.03				First meeting to be held on 3.7.03 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.

List F : Bills Committee reporting to House Committee on 20.6.03

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Chemical Weapons (Convention) Bill - Miss Salumi CHAN CAS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	7.11.01	9.11.01 Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan	15 18.4.02 16.7.02 18.10.02 24.10.02 19.11.02 13.12.02 9.1.03 21.1.03 17.2.03 3.3.03 31.3.03 14.4.03 19.5.03 26.5.03 10.6.03	13.6.03 (Verbal report) 20.6.03	2.7.03	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.03.
2. Bills Committee on Prevention of Child Pornography Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	23.1.02	25.1.02 Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo	17 17.4.02 3.5.02 17.5.02 3.6.02 26.6.02 17.10.02 8.11.02 29.11.02	20.6.03	9.7.03	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.03.

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2. Bills Committee on Prevention of Child Pornography Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			9.1.03 17.1.03 18.2.03 2.4.03 30.4.03 29.5.03 5.6.03 11.6.03 16.6.03			

<p>3. Bills Committee on Companies (Amendment) Bill 2002 - Miss Becky YU CAS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213</p>	<p>31.1.02</p>	<p>1.2.02 Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP</p>	<p>26 24.7.02 4.10.02 15.10.02 22.10.02 6.11.02 11.11.02 18.11.02 28.11.02 6.12.02 9.1.03 23.1.03 20.2.03 27.2.03 12.3.03 20.3.03 3.4.03 24.4.03 6.5.03 20.5.03</p>	<p>13.6.03 (Verbal report) 20.6.03</p>	<p>2.7.03</p>	<p>Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.03.</p>
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3. Bills Committee on Companies (Amendment) Bill 2002 - Miss Becky YU CAS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>			30.5.03 3.6.03 6.6.03 9.6.03 10.6.03 12.6.03 16.6.03			
4. Bills Committee on Legislative Council (Amendment) Bill 2003 - Mrs Percy MA CAS(2)3 Tel : 2869 9253	26.2.03	28.2.03 Hon Andrew WONG Wang-fat, JP	6 5.5.03 15.5.03 29.5.03 5.6.03 12.6.03 16.6.03	13.6.03 (Verbal report) 20.6.03	2.7.03	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.6.03.

List G : Bills Committees held in abeyance

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 2000 - Ms Connie SZETO CAS(1)4 Tel : 2525 1612	18.10.00	20.10.00 Hon Eric LI Ka-cheung, JP	3 6.11.00 20.11.00 4.12.00	At the House Committee meeting on 2.3.01, the Bills Committee reported that it had identified a number of problems with the anti-avoidance safeguards proposed in the Bill and had requested the Administration to further discuss the problems with parties concerned. Members agreed that the Bills Committee's work should be held in abeyance pending the Administration's response.
2. Bills Committee on Companies (Corporate Rescue) Bill - Miss Salumi CHAN CAS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	23.5.01	25.5.01 Hon Margaret NG	5 12.7.01 27.9.01 22.10.01 14.11.01 5.12.01	At the House Committee meeting on 7.12.01, the Bills Committee recommended that the scrutiny of the Bill should be held in abeyance to allow time for the Administration to conduct consultation on, and work out the details of, a new proposal. The House Committee agreed to the Bills Committee's recommendation.
3. Bills Committee on Human Organ Transplant (Amendment) Bill 2001 - Ms Doris CHAN CAS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	20.6.01	22.6.01 Dr Hon LO Wing-lok	4 14.12.01 25.1.02 22.2.02 22.3.02	At the House Committee meeting on 1.11.02, the Bills Committee reported that as the Administration was not in a position to report back to the Bills Committee in the immediate future, it agreed to hold in abeyance the consideration of the Bill, pending the Administration's response to the outstanding issues.

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Remarks
4. Bills Committee on Foreshore, Sea-bed and Roads (Amendment) Bill 2003 - Miss Salumi CHAN CAS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	19.2.03	21.2.03 Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-ye, GBS, JP	2 1.4.03 28.4.03	At the House Committee meeting on 2.5.03, the Bills Committee reported that as the Administration was prepared to reconsider the way forward on the Bill, the Bills Committee agreed to the Administration's proposal to hold consideration of the Bill in abeyance.

List H : Bills Committees on waiting list

Name of Bills Committee	Object(s) of the Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee
1. Bills Committee on Hong Kong Examinations and Assessment Authority (Amendment) Bill 2003	<p>To amend the Hong Kong Examinations and Assessment Authority Ordinance (Cap. 261) to -</p> <p>(a) empower The Hong Kong Examinations and Assessment Authority to conduct examinations and assessments on its own, jointly with or as agent for other persons and organizations in Hong Kong or elsewhere, and to award certificates to candidates who attain a standard determined by the Authority in such examinations and assessments; and</p> <p>(b) increase the fines for breach of secrecy and impersonation from \$10,000 to level 4 (\$25,000).</p>	30.4.03	2.5.03
2. Bills Committee on Deposit Protection Scheme Bill	<p>(a) To provide for the establishment of a mandatory Deposit Protection Scheme (DPS) for the purpose of providing compensation to depositors under specified circumstances, a DPS Board and a DPS Fund;</p> <p>(b) To provide for contributions to the Fund and for the entitlement to and payment of compensation from the Fund; and</p> <p>(c) To provide for incidental and consequential matters.</p>	30.4.03	2.5.03
3. Bills Committee on Broadcasting (Amendment) Bill 2003	<p>To amend the Broadcasting Ordinance (Cap. 562) to -</p> <p>(a) introduce both civil remedies and criminal sanction against the use or possession of unauthorized decoders for commercial purposes; and</p> <p>(b) provide civil remedies against the use or possession of unauthorized decoders to view subscription television programmes.</p>	14.5.03	16.5.03

Name of Bills Committee	Object(s) of the Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee
4. Bills Committee on Town Planning (Amendment) Bill 2003	To amend the Town Planning Ordinance (Cap. 131) to streamline the town planning process with a view to enhancing public involvement and to strengthen the enforcement powers against unauthorized developments.	21.5.03	23.5.03
5. Bills Committee on United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) (Amendment) Bill 2003	<p>To amend the United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) Ordinance (Cap. 575) (the Ordinance) to -</p> <p>(a) give effect to the outstanding obligations of freezing property other than funds under the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1373 and the Special Recommendations of the Financial Action Task Force on Money Laundering;</p> <p>(b) implement the United Nations International Convention for the Suppression of Terrorist Bombings;</p> <p>(c) implement the United Nations Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Maritime Navigation and the United Nations Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Fixed Platforms Located on the Continental Shelf;</p> <p>(d) repeal and replace section 10 in relation to prohibition on recruitment;</p> <p>(e) specify the authorities to which and the persons to whom information obtained under the Ordinance may be disclosed;</p> <p>(f) provide for the power of investigation in relation to offences under the Ordinance, and powers of seizure and detention of property suspected to be terrorist property; and</p> <p>(g) make other drafting and consequential amendments.</p>	21.5.03	23.5.03

Name of Bills Committee	Object(s) of the Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee
6. Bills Committee on Landlord and Tenant (Consolidation) (Amendment) Bill 2003	To amend the Landlord and Tenant (Consolidation) Ordinance (Cap. 7) (the Ordinance) by removing provisions relating to the security of tenure of domestic premises under Part IV and abolishing the notice of termination requirement under Part V of the Ordinance and to make consequential amendments.	11.6.03	13.6.03

List I : Bills pending resumption of Second Reading debate

Name of Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of House Committee meeting(s) at which the Bill was considered	Date of resumption of Second Reading debate (if known)	Remarks
1. Stamp Duty (Amendment) Bill 2002	11.12.02	13.12.02 6.6.03	18.6.03	At the House Committee meeting on 6.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 18.6.03.
2. Evidence (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2002	29.5.02	31.5.02 13.6.03	25.6.03	At the House Committee meeting on 13.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.03.
3. Revenue Bill 2003	9.4.03	11.4.03 13.6.03	25.6.03	At the House Committee meeting on 13.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.03.
4. Revenue (No. 2) Bill 2003	9.4.03	11.4.03 13.6.03	25.6.03	At the House Committee meeting on 13.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 25.6.03.

Name of Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of House Committee meeting(s) at which the Bill was considered	Date of resumption of Second Reading debate (if known)	Remarks
5. Chemical Weapons (Convention) Bill	7.11.01	9.11.01 13.6.03	2.7.03	At the House Committee meeting on 13.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.03.
6. Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2001	19.12.01	4.1.02 13.6.03	2.7.03	At the House Committee meeting on 13.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.03.
7. Companies (Amendment) Bill 2002	31.1.02	1.2.02 13.6.03	2.7.03	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.03.
8. Legislative Council (Amendment) Bill 2003	26.2.03	28.2.02 13.6.03	2.7.03	At the House Committee meeting on 13.6.03, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill. The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 2.7.03.

List J : Bills pending decision of House Committee

Name of Bill	Object(s) of the Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of House Committee meeting(s) at which the Bill was/will be considered	Remarks
1. Industrial Training (Construction Industry) (Amendment) Bill 2001	To empower the Construction Industry Training Authority to arrange for and cover the costs of the medical examination of persons employed in prescribed occupations in the construction industry involving exposure to hazardous substances.	14.3.01	16.3.01 21.2.03 28.2.03 7.3.03	<p>At the House Committee meeting on 16.3.01, Members agreed to defer a decision on the Bill pending the introduction of the related regulation to be made under the Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance.</p> <p>At the House Committee meeting on 21.2.03, Members noted that the related regulation had still not been introduced. Members agreed that the Administration should be asked to expedite action.</p> <p>The Director of Administration (D of Adm) provided a written response in his letter dated 27.2.03. At the House Committee meeting on 28.2.03, Members agreed to defer discussion on D of Adm's letter to the meeting on 7.3.03.</p> <p>At the House Committee meeting on 7.3.03, Members agreed that a decision on the Bill be deferred, pending the discussion of the Panel on Manpower with the Administration on its proposal to hold the proposed regulation to be made under the Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance in abeyance.</p>