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## Bills Committee on Waste Disposal (Amendment)(No. 2) Bill 2003

## List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 14 April 2004

- (1) To provide a comparison between Hong Kong and overseas countries on the following aspects -
  - (a) charging mechanism for landfills and the fee levels;
  - (b) selective demolition;
  - (c) punitive measures for indiscriminate demolition of buildings; and
  - (d) measures to foster an environment conducive to the development of recycling business for construction and demolition waste.
- (2) To advise the bases upon which the respective fees for different reception facilities are arrived at.
- (3) To consult the Legislature and the affected trades on the draft manual, including the reference table for determining the content of waste, for site staff of different reception facilities.
- (4) To seriously consider extending the direct payment system to cover both major and minor waste producers, thereby obviating the need to involve waste haulers to collect the charges from waste producers.
- (5) To clarify the employer-employee relationship under proposed section 16A, particularly in the event of subcontracting.

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