

Waste Disposal (Amendment) Bill 2005
Administration's Response to Members' request made at
the 6th meeting of the Bills Committee held on 8 November 2005

Provide the cost computation of the proposed fees for processing applications for waste collection licence and renewal licence

We envisage that the fee for a clinical waste collection licence would be similar to that for a chemical waste collection licence as such applications will involve the appraisal of the Operational Plan and Emergency Response Plan submitted by the applicant, inspection of the collection fleet and the vehicle maintenance depot (if any), appraisal of the level of competency of the waste collection staff, etc, similar to that for chemical waste control. The cost computation of the current chemical waste collector licence fee is at Annex. The clinical waste collector licensing fee will be finalised at the Regulation-making stage, taking into account any additional cost elements and cost fluctuations by then.

CHEMICAL WASTE COLLECTION LICENCE COST COMPUTATION

Fees under the Waste Disposal (Permits and Licenses) (Forms and Fees)
Regulation
(Cost at 2000-01 Prices)

	Application for licence for provision of waste collection service	Renewal of licence for provision of waste collection service
	(HK\$)	(HK\$)
Staff Costs	17,011	8,204
Departmental Expenses	1,104	551
Accommodation Costs	654	324
Depreciation	6	3
Cost of Services Provided by Other Departments	31	15
Central Administrative Overhead	463	224
Total Cost	~\$19,270	~\$9,320