## Remuneration of Legislative Council Members ——

## A Comparison between Members' actual remuneration adjusted according to movement of Consumer Price Index (C) and Members' assumed remuneration adjusted according to Civil Service pay adjustments from July 1997 to June 2007

(HK\$)

From	Jul 97	1	Apr 98	1	-	Oct 99	-		-		Apr 02		Oct 03	Jan 04	Oct 04	Jan 05	Oct 05		Apr 07	]
То	Sep 97	Mar 98	Sep 98	Mar 99	Sep 99	Mar 00	Sep 00	Mar 01	Sep 01	Mar 02	Sep 02	Sep 03	Dec 03	Sep 04	Dec 04	Sep 05	Sep 06	Mar 07	Jun 07	
CPI(C) adjustment rate		6.10%		5%		-2%		-5.10%		-2%		-2.30%	-2.90%		-1.90%		0.40%	1.90%		
(A) Actual remuneration according to changes in CPI(C)	57,330 -1	60,830	60,830	63,870	63,870	62,590	62,590	59,400	59,400	58,210	58,210	56,870	55,220	55,220	54,170	54,170	54,390	55,420	55,420	
Civil Service pay adjustment rate			6.03%		-		-		4.99%		-	-4.42%		-3.01%		-3.10%	-		4.96%	
(B) Remuneration if in line with Civil Service pay adjustments	57,330	57,330	60,787	60,787	60,787	60,787	60,787	60,787	63,820	63,820	63,820	60,999	60,999	59,163	59,163	57,330	57,330	57,330	60,174	
Difference per month (A)-(B)	0	3,500	43	3,083	3,083	1,803	1,803	-1,387	-4,420	-5,610	-5,610	-4,129	-5,779	-3,943	-4,993	-3,160	-2,940	-1,910	-4,754	diff
No. of months during the period	3	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	12	3	9	3	9	12	6	3	
Difference during the period	-	21,000	258	18,498	18,498	10,818	10,818	- 8,322	-26,520	-33,660	-33,660	-49,548	-17,337	-35,487	-14,979	-28,440	-35,280	-11,460	-14,262	- 229

<sup>(1)</sup> Monthly remuneration of Members (other than the President, the President's Deputy and Members who also served on the Executive Council) as at 1 July 1997

Observation: Had Members' remuneration been adjusted according to the Civil Service pay adjustments in the past 10 years (from July 1997 to June 2007), their total remuneration during the period would have been higher. As a matter of fact, Members' remuneration in July 2007 is lower than 10 years ago.