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LC Paper No. CB(1) 2025/06-07 (These minutes have been seen by the Administration)

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Bills Committee on Hazardous Chemicals Control Bill

Minutes of the tenth meeting held on Tuesday, 12 June 2007, at 2:45 pm in Conference Room B of the Legislative Council Building

Members present : Hon CHOY So-yuk, JP (Chairman)

Hon SIN Chung-kai, JP

Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP

Member absent : Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, SBS, JP

Public officers attending

Environmental Protection Department

Mr Carlson K S CHAN

Deputy Director of Environmental Protection

Dr Stephanie MA

Senior Environmental Protection Officer

Department of Justice

Ms S K LEE

Acting Deputy Principal Government Counsel

Ms Frances HUI

Senior Government Counsel

Ms Phyllis POON Government Counsel

Clerk in attendance : Miss Becky EU

Chief Assistant Secretary (1)1

Staff in attendance: Miss Monna LAI

Assistant Legal Adviser 7

Mrs Mary TANG

Senior Assistant Secretary (1)2

I Confirmation of minutes

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(LC Paper No. CB(1) 1852/06-07 -- Minutes of the meeting held on 25 May 2007)

The minutes of the meeting held on 25 May 2007 were confirmed.

II Meeting with the Administration

(LC Paper No. CB(1) 1854/06-07(01) -- List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion on 25 May 2007

LC Paper No. CB(1) 1854/06-07(02) -- Administration's response to LC Paper No. CB(1) 1854/06-07(01))

The Subcommittee deliberated (Index of proceedings attached at **Annex A**).

- 3. The Administration was requested to -
 - (a) review the English and Chinese text of clause 48(2) to ensure consistency in presentation; and
 - (b) introduce Committee Stage amendments (CSAs) to clauses 1 and 2 to replace "Secretary for the Environment, Transport and Works" with "Secretary for the Environment" following the resolution on the re-organization of policy bureaux to be moved by the Secretary for Constitutional Affairs on 13 June 2007; and
 - (c) provide a full set of CSAs to be introduced by the Administration for circulation to members of the Bills Committee
- 4. <u>Members</u> agreed that subject to the CSAs to be provided by the Administration, a report on the deliberations of the Bills Committee, recommending the resumption of Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 11 July 2007, would be submitted for consideration by the House Committee at its meeting on 22 June 2007.

III Any other business

5. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 3:20 pm.

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Bills Committee on Hazardous Chemicals Control Bill Meeting on Tuesday, 12 June 2007, at 2:45 pm in Conference Room B of the Legislative Council Building

Time marker	Speaker	Subject(s)	Action required
000000 - 000307	Chairman	Confirmation of minutes of the meeting held on 25 May 2007 (LC Paper No. CB(1) 1852/06-07)	
000308 - 001128	Administration	Administration's explanation on its response to the list of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 25 May 2007 (LC Paper No.CB(1) 1854/06-07 (02))	
001129 - 001646	Chairman Administration ALA7	Committee Stage amendments (CSAs) to the Chinese text of clause 50A(1) in response to ALA7's letter of 23 May 2007 circulated under LC Paper No. CB(1) 1770/06-07(01)	
001647 - 002418	Ms Audrey EU Chairman Administration	Continuation of examination of CSAs to clauses 44, 48 and 50A proposed by the Administration as set out in LC Paper No. CB(1) 1719/06-07(01) Ms Audrey EU's request for consistency in presentation of the English and Chinese texts of clause 48(2) regarding the use of brackets	The Administration to review the English and Chinese texts of clause 48(2) to ensure consistency in presentation
002419 - 002607	Chairman Mr SIN Chung-kai Ms Audrey EU	Legislative timetable	
002608 - 002729	Administration Chairman Mr SIN Chung-kai	CSAs to clauses 1 and 2 to replace "Secretary for the Environment, Transport and Works" with "Secretary for the Environment" following the resolution on the re-organization of policy bureaux to be moved by the Secretary for Constitutional Affairs on 13 June 2007	The Administration to introduce CSAs to clauses 1 and 2 to replace "Secretary for the Environment, Transport and Works" with "Secretary for the Environment" following the resolution on the re-organization of policy bureaux to be moved by the Secretary for Constitutional Affairs on 13 June 2007

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