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**Questions scheduled for the
Legislative Council meeting on 1 March 2006**

Questions by:

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| (1) | Hon Albert HO | (Oral reply) | |
| (2) | Hon WONG Yung-kan
<i>(Replacing his previous question)</i> | (Oral reply) | (New question) |
| (3) | Hon Martin LEE | (Oral reply) | |
| (4) | Hon Emily LAU | (Oral reply) | |
| (5) | Hon CHAN Kam-lam | (Oral reply) | |
| (6) | Hon TAM Heung-man | (Oral reply) | |
| (7) | Hon James TO | (Written reply) | |
| (8) | Dr Hon YEUNG Sum | (Written reply) | |
| (9) | Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG | (Written reply) | |
| (10) | Hon KWONG Chi-kin | (Written reply) | |
| (11) | Ir Dr Hon Raymond HO | (Written reply) | |
| (12) | Hon Abraham SHEK | (Written reply) | |
| (13) | Hon Andrew CHENG | (Written reply) | |
| (14) | Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming | (Written reply) | |
| (15) | Dr Hon Joseph LEE | (Written reply) | |
| (16) | Hon SIN Chung-kai | (Written reply) | |
| (17) | Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki | (Written reply) | |
| (18) | Hon Frederick FUNG | (Written reply) | |
| (19) | Hon Albert CHAN | (Written reply) | |
| (20) | Hon CHOY So-yuk | (Written reply) | |

註 :

NOTE :

議員將採用這種語言提出質詢

Member will ask the question in this language

#(2) 黃容根議員 (口頭答覆)

據報，政府近月加快研究在香港實施中央屠宰家禽。關於中央屠宰家禽及對飼養、批發及零售活家禽行業的影響，政府可否告知本會：

- (一) 是不是已放棄在西區副食品批發市場設立家禽分區屠宰場的計劃；若然，原因是甚麼；若不是，為何在該分區屠宰場的試驗計劃得出結果前便研究實施中央屠宰家禽；
- (二) 有沒有就全面取締銷售活家禽行業制訂時間表；若有，將在何時全面禁止出售活雞，以及有沒有就全面取締養雞場制訂時間表；及
- (三) 當局曾表示只會在家禽的飼養場、批發市場及零售市場出現兩宗或以上禽流感個案後，才會強制取締整個行業，為何現時卻加快研究中央屠宰家禽的建議，以及會不會在決定應否實施中央屠宰前，先行評估實施的影響；若不會，原因是甚麼？

(2) Hon WONG Yung-kan (Oral Reply)

It has been reported that, in recent months, the Government is expediting the study on implementing central slaughtering of poultry in Hong Kong. Regarding central slaughtering of poultry and its impact on the poultry farming, wholesaling and retailing trades, will the Government inform this Council:

- (a) whether it has abolished the plan to set up a regional poultry abattoir in the Western Wholesale Food Market; if so, of the reasons for that; if not, why it has proceeded to study the implementation of central slaughtering before the outcome of the regional poultry abattoir pilot scheme is available;
- (b) whether it has set a timetable for the total ban on the trades engaged in the sale of live poultry; if it has, when the sale of live chickens will be totally banned, and whether it has set a timetable for closing down all chicken farms; and
- (c) given that the authorities have indicated that it will only enforce a mandatory ban on the whole live poultry industry if two or more cases of avian influenza have been found in poultry farms, wholesale markets or retail markets, of the reasons for expediting now the study the proposal regarding central slaughtering of poultry, and whether or not they will, before deciding whether to implement central slaughtering, assess its impact; if not, the reasons for that?