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**Position Report on Bills Committees/subcommittees  
(as at 8 November 2005)**

- Summary**
- (a) Number of subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in action : 2 (see List A for details)
  - (b) Number of other subcommittees under House Committee in action : 6 (see List B for details)
  - (c) Number of Bills Committees in action : 13 (see List C for details)
  - (d) Number of Bills Committees reporting to House Committee on 11.11.05 : 1 (see List D for details)
  - (e) Number of Bills Committees held in abeyance : 1 (see List E for details)
  - (f) Bills pending resumption of Second Reading debate : 2 (see List F for details)

**List A : Subcommittees on subsidiary legislation in action**  
 (subject to the provisions of sections 34 and 35 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance(Cap. 1))

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee on Harmful Substances in Food (Amendment) Regulation 2005 - Mrs Constance LI CCS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	7.10.05  Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, JP	2 25.10.05 8.11.05	18.11.05	Scrutiny period to be extended to 30.11.05.
2. Subcommittee on Closed Area (Hong Kong Ministerial Conference of World Trade Organization) Order - Miss Mary SO SCS(2)8 Tel : 2869 9551	14.10.05  Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee, GBS, JP	3 21.10.05 1.11.05 7.11.05		Next meeting to be held on 10.11.05 to meet with deputations and to continue discussion with the Administration.

## List B : Other subcommittees under House Committee in action

Name of Subcommittee Clerk	Date of formation of Subcommittee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Remarks
1. Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions - Miss Polly YEUNG CCS(1)3 Tel : 2869 9246	8.10.04  Hon Margaret NG	4 29.10.04 15.4.05 12.5.05 12.7.05		Next meeting to be scheduled.
2. Subcommittee on Members' Remuneration and Operating Expenses Reimbursement - Mrs Anna LO PCS(A) Tel : 2869 9480	15.10.04  Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing, SBS, JP	7 1.11.04 11.11.04 6.12.04 1.3.05 25.4.05 2.6.05 17.6.05	19.11.04 (1st report) 24.6.05 (2nd report) 8.7.05 (3rd report)	
3. Subcommittee to Study the Subject of Combating Poverty - Mrs Constance LI CCS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	12.11.04  Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, JP (Chairman)  Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)	10 9.12.04 14.1.05 23.2.05 (2 sessions) 22.3.05 28.4.05 19.5.05 23.6.05		Next meeting to be scheduled.

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3. Subcommittee to Study the Subject of Combating Poverty - Mrs Constance LI CCS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>		12.7.05 21.7.05 14.10.05		
4. Subcommittee to Study Issues Relating to the Provision of Boarding Places, Senior Secondary Education and Employment Opportunities for Children with Special Educational Needs - Miss Flora TAI CCS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	14.1.05  Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung	6 22.2.05 30.3.05 25.4.05 30.5.05 27.6.05 1.11.05		Next meeting to be held on 25.11.05 to meet with deputations and the Administration.
5. Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development - Miss Odelia LEUNG CCS(1)4 Tel : 2869 9245	21.1.05  Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC (Chairman)  Hon James TO Kun-sun (Deputy Chairman)	16 4.2.05 21.2.05 16.3.05 23.3.05 8.4.05 22.4.05 6.5.05 13.5.05 17.6.05	18.2.05 (1st report) 8.7.05 (Report on Phase I Study)	Next meeting to be held on 12.11.05.

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5. Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development - Miss Odelia LEUNG CCS(1)4 Tel : 2869 9245 <i>(Continued from previous page)</i>		24.6.05 29.6.05 2.9.05 13.9.05 28.9.05 15.10.05 29.10.05		
6. Subcommittee to Study the Administration's Proposals for the Methods for Selecting the Chief Executive in 2007 and for Forming the Legislative Council in 2008 - Mrs Percy MA CCS(2)3 Tel : 2869 9253	21.10.05  Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP (Chairman)  Hon Howard YOUNG, SBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)	2 27.10.05 4.11.05		Next six meetings to be held on 11.11.05, 12.11.05, 15.11.05, 19.11.05, 22.11.05 and 28.11.05 to meet with the Administration.

## List C : Bills Committees in action

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Construction Industry Council (No.2) Bill - Miss Odelia LEUNG CCS(1)4 Tel : 2869 9245	13.10.04	15.10.04  Hon KWONG Chi-kin	16 5.11.04 2.12.04 9.12.04 4.1.05 22.2.05 15.3.05 31.3.05 19.4.05 10.5.05 31.5.05 21.6.05 14.7.05 20.7.05 3.10.05 10.10.05 25.10.05	21.1.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 10.11.05 to meet with the Administration.
2. Bills Committee on Securities and Futures (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Miss Polly YEUNG CCS(1)3 Tel : 2869 9246	6.4.05	8.4.05  Hon SIN Chung-kai, JP (Chairman)  Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, SC (Deputy Chairman)	5 22.4.05 19.5.05 30.5.05 10.6.05 5.7.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be scheduled.

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3. Bills Committee on Building Management (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Miss Flora TAI CCS(2)2 Tel : 2869 9252	27.4.05	29.4.05  Hon James TO Kun-sun	9 17.5.05 2.6.05 14.6.05 23.6.05 25.6.05 (2 sessions) 30.6.05 (2 sessions) 12.7.05 4.10.05 10.10.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 10.11.05 to continue discussion with the Administration. Biweekly meetings have been scheduled until June 2006.
4. Bills Committee on Revenue (Personalized Vehicle Registration Marks) Bill 2005 - Miss Polly YEUNG CCS(1)3 Tel : 2869 9246	4.5.05	6.5.05  Hon CHAN Kam-lam, SBS, JP	5 13.5.05 24.5.05 14.6.05 28.6.05 28.9.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 18.11.05 to meet with the Administration.
5. Bills Committee on Smoking (Public Health) (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Ms Doris CHAN CCS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	11.5.05	13.5.05  Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo (Chairman)  Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip (Deputy Chairman)	7 10.6.05 4.7.05 21.7.05 3.10.05 6.10.05 (4 sessions) 24.10.05 (3 sessions) 31.10.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 24.11.05 to meet with the Administration.

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
6. Bills Committee on Waste Disposal (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Mrs Percy MA CCS(2)3 Tel : 2869 9253	18.5.05	20.5.05  Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP	6 8.7.05 26.7.05 (2 sessions) 30.9.05 14.10.05 25.10.05 8.11.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 22.11.05 to meet with the Administration. Biweekly meetings have been scheduled until February 2006.
7. Bills Committee on Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants Bill - Miss Becky YU CCS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213	27.4.05	20.5.05  Hon CHOY So-yuk, JP	2 24.6.05 4.10.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 10.11.05 to meet with the Administration.
8. Bills Committee on Civil Aviation (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Miss Becky YU CCS(1)1 Tel : 2869 9213	1.6.05	17.6.05  Hon Margaret NG	3 8.7.05 15.7.05 24.10.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 11.11.05 to meet with the Administration.



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9. Bills Committee on Certification for Employee Benefits (Chinese Medicine) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2005 - Mrs Sharon TONG CCS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	15.6.05	17.6.05  Hon LI Kwok-ying, MH	3 13.7.05 5.10.05 31.10.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 2.12.05 to meet with the Administration.
10. Bills Committee on Financial Reporting Council Bill - Miss Salumi CHAN CCS(1)5 Tel : 2869 9244	6.7.05	8.7.05  Hon TAM Heung-man	4 19.7.05 27.9.05 (2 sessions) 7.10.05 31.10.05	14.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next meeting to be held on 17.11.05 to meet with the Administration.
11. Bills Committee on Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CCS(2)1 Tel : 2869 9254	6.7.05	8.7.05  Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP	2 22.7.05 10.10.05	14.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next two meetings to be held on 11.11.05 and 18.11.05 to meet with the Administration and deputations respectively.

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12. Bills Committee on Revenue (Profits Tax Exemption for Offshore Funds) Bill 2005 - Ms Connie SZETO SCS(1)4 Tel : 2525 1612	6.7.05	8.7.05  Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP	2 15.7.05 25.10.05 (2 sessions)	14.10.05 (Verbal report)		Next two meetings to be held on 28.11.05 and 19.12.05 to meet with the Administration.
13. Bills Committee on Dentists Registration (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Ms Doris CHAN CCS(2)4 Tel : 2869 9255	6.7.05	8.7.05				First meeting to be held on 21.11.05 to elect the Chairman and to meet with the Administration.

## List D : Bills Committees reporting to House Committee on 11.11.05

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading debate	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels and Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2005 - Mr Andy LAU CCS(1)2 Tel : 2869 9577	18.5.05	20.5.05  Hon Miriam LAU Kin-ye, GBS, JP	4 28.6.05 13.7.05 20.9.05 12.10.05	7.10.05 (Verbal report) 11.11.05	30.11.05	Reporting to the House Committee on 11.11.05.

### List E : Bills Committees held in abeyance

Name of Bills Committee Clerk	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of formation of Bills Committee Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date and number of meetings held	Remarks
1. Bills Committee on Public Health and Municipal Services (Amendment) Bill 2005 - Mrs Constance LI CCS(2)5 Tel : 2869 9269	4.5.05	6.5.05  Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, JP	1 24.5.05	At the House Committee meeting on 27.5.05, the Bills Committee reported that it had decided to hold in abeyance the consideration of the Bill, to allow time for the Administration to consult 18 District Councils and Heung Yee Kuk.

## List F : Bills pending resumption of Second Reading debate

Name of Bill	Date of introduction of Bill into Legislative Council	Date of House Committee meeting(s) at which the Bill was considered	Date of resumption of Second Reading debate (if known)	Remarks
1. Carriage by Air (Amendment) Bill 2005	22.6.05	24.6.05 8.7.05 7.10.05	9.11.05	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 9.11.05.
2. Marriage (Introduction of Civil Celebrants of Marriages and General Amendments) Bill	1.6.05	3.6.05 7.10.05 4.11.05	16.11.05	The Administration has given notice to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting on 16.11.05.