## **Panel on Environmental Affairs**

<u>List of follow-up actions</u> (position as at 22 October 2008)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
1. Proposed legislation for implementation of Producer Responsibility Schemes	24.4.06	The Administration to provide an information paper covering the mechanism, legislative control and effectiveness of producer responsibility schemes in the relevant countries.	Response awaited.
2. Green measures in the Government	20.12.06	<ul> <li>(a) an updated information paper to respond to members' concerns on targets of green measures in the Government; and</li> <li>(b) a written response to the submission from the Green Council on the green measures in the Government which was tabled at the meeting.</li> </ul>	The Administration advised that a consultancy study was commissioned by the EPD to update the existing "green" specifications and develop "green specifications" for more items commonly used by the Government. The study is expected to be completed in the second quarter of 2009. The EA Panel will be informed of the latest information after completion of the Study.

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3.	Update on the progress of the key initiatives in the "Policy Framework for the Management of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) (2005-2014)"	25.2.08	The Administration to provide an information paper on the outcome of the trial study on the waste charging scheme and details of the territory-wide baseline survey on waste generation and collection.	Response awaited.
4.	Progress of implementation of the new nature conservation policy	28.4.08	The Administration to report the progress of implementation of the Sha Lo Tung and Tai Ho projects to the Panel in due course.	Response awaited.
5.	Provision of sewerage in Tolo Harbour, Lam Tsuen, North District, Central and East Kowloon	23.6.08	The Administration to provide a supplementary information paper setting out the extent of land resumption necessitated by the four sewerage projects.	Administration's response was circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(1) 59/08-09(01) on 16 October 2008.
6.	Measures to tackle fly-tipping	30.6.08	<ul> <li>(a) provide a written reply to the proposal to amend the Town Planning Ordinance to extend planning enforcement power to areas covered by Outline Zoning Plan that were not previously designated as Development Permission Area;</li> <li>(b) consider the feasibility of applying the proposed extension of the trip-ticketing system to private works projects;</li> </ul>	Response awaited.

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		(c) provide the progress of the database on depositing activities, a flowchart on the course of actions to be taken following receipt of complaints on depositing activities, and a paper on the measures, including installation of cameras at black spots, to reduce fly-tipped inert construction and demolition materials; and	
		(d) advise the Panel in due course the outcome of consultation on the proposed legislative changes to the Waste Disposal Ordinance (Cap.354) and Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance (Cap .499).	

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