	2008	2009	2010
Tuen Mun	4 300	4 500	4 200
Tsuen Wan	2 600	2 600	2 300
Kwai Tsing	4 400	4 400	A 700
Islands	1 600	1 500	1 500
All Districts	59 200	60 300	58 200

Notes: Figures refer to September of the respective years. They are compiled on the basis of the 2003-based projected population distribution by District Council district released by the interdepartmental Working Group of Population Distribution Projections in October 2004. They include estimates for cross-boundary students but exclude mobile residents.

Table 1B: Projected Number of School-age Children (Aged 12) for Secondary One between 2008 and 2010

	2008	2009	2010
All Districts	81 300	76 500	68 900

Notes: Figures refer to September of the respective years. They are compiled on the basis of the 2003-based territorial population projections released by the Census and Statistics Department in June 2004. They include estimates for cross boundary students but exclude mobile residents.

Retired Directorate Grade Civil Servants

- 13. **MR LEUNG YIU-CHUNG** (in Chinese): *Madam President, will the Government inform this Council:*
 - (a) of the names of the civil servants ranked at Directorate Pay Scale point 4 (D4) or above who retired in the past 10 years, the titles of their posts before retirement and the dates of their retirement; and
 - (b) whether these officials took up employment in private or statutory bodies after retirement; if so, of the respective titles of the posts, the

dates of their appointment to these posts, and whether they took up these posts within the first three years after retirement?

SECRETARY FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE (in Chinese): Madam President, under the pensions legislation, all retired civil servants have to seek prior permission from the Chief Executive before they enter into business on their own account, become partners or company directors, or become employees, if the principal part of the business or employment is carried on in Hong Kong, within two years after their retirement. For officers retiring at the rank of Administrative Officer Staff Grade A1 (AOSGA1) or above, the control period is three years after retirement. Once the relevant control period has lapsed, the retirees concerned are no longer subject to the requirement.

Given that retired directorate civil servants are only subject to a control period of two or three years during which they are required to seek approval prior to taking up outside employment and in view of the limited time available to prepare for a reply to this question, we have focused on providing information relating to directorate civil servants ranked at D4 or above who have retired in the past three years.

My reply to the individual parts of the question is as follows:

- (a) A table showing the names of directorate officers ranked at D4 or above who retired between 1 January 2002 and 31 December 2004, their former ranks and bureaux/departments is at Annex A.
- (b) Of the pool of retirees, a total of 31 applications involving 18 directorate officers for paid post-retirement employment were approved. In addition, there are 13 cases involving honorary appointments or unpaid service. A breakdown of the nature of employment of these approved applications is at Annex B. Under the current mechanism, once approval has been given for a retired civil servant to take up a particular employment, we do not require the officer concerned to notify the Government if he/she for whatever reason does not eventually take up the proposed employment or ceases the employment in due course.

Annex A

List of Directorate Officers at D4 or above who retired between 1 January 2002 to 31 December 2004

(A) Thirteen officers who retired between 1 January 2002 to 31 December 2002

Name	Former Rank	Former Bureau/Department	
TSANG Yam-kuen,	Chief Secretary for	Chief Secretary for	
Donald	Administration	Administration's Office	
CHAN Anson	Chief Secretary for	Chief Secretary for	
	Administration	Administration's Office	
SUEN Ming-yeung	AOSGA1 Constitutional Affairs Bureau		
TONG Kai-hong	Deputy Director of	Education Department	
	Education		
YIP Chi-pang	Consultant	Department of Health	
HUI Ki-on	Commissioner of Police	Hong Kong Police Force	
WONG Tsan-kwong	Deputy Commissioner of	Hong Kong Police Force	
	Police		
LEE Man-kong	Consultant	Hospital Authority	
CHOW Yat-ngok, York	Consultant	Hospital Authority	
SIU Kwing-chue	AOSGA1	Planning and Lands Bureau	
LEE Siu-kwong,	Director of Immigration	Immigration Department	
Ambrose			
LAU Kam-hung	Director of Information	Information Technology	
	Technology Services	Services Department	
PHILLIPSON Hugh	Director of Water Supplies	Water Supplies Department	
Brian			

(B) Fifteen officers who retired between 1 January 2003 to 31 December 2003

Name	Former Rank	Former Bureau/Departmen	
WEI CHUI Kit-yee	AOSGA	Agriculture, Fisheries and	
		Conservation Department	
PAU Shiu-hung	Director of Architectural	Architectural Services	
	Services	Department	
LAU Ching-kwong	Director of Civil Engineering	Civil Engineering	
		Department	

Name	Former Rank	Former Bureau/Department	
COLLIER John	Director of Drainage	Drainage Services	
	Services	Department	
LEE Shing-see	AOSGA1	Environment, Transport and	
		Works Bureau	
HSU King-ping	Director of Fire Services	Fire Services Department	
LAU Yuk-kuen	Deputy Commissioner of	Hong Kong Police Force	
	Police		
WONG Shing-wah,	AOSGA1	Housing Bureau	
Dominic			
NG Wing-fui, Nicholas	AOSGA1	Transport Bureau	
WONG Wing-ping,	AOSGA1	Civil Service Bureau	
Joseph			
CHAU Tak-hay	AOSGA1	Commerce and Industry	
		Bureau	
CHEUNG Man-yee	Director of Broadcasting	Hong Kong Economic and	
		Trade Office	
HARBINSON Stuart	AOSGA	Hong Kong Economic and	
Wreford		Trade Office	
HWANG Shu-tak,	Consultant	Hospital Authority	
James			
LEUNG Sai-wah, Paul	AOSGA	Leisure and Cultural Services	
		Department	

(C) Nine officers who retired between 1 January 2004 to 31 December 2004

Name	Former Rank	Former Bureau/Department	
CHAN Yin-tat	Director of Audit	Audit Commission	
NG Ching-kwok	Commissioner of	Correctional Services	
	Correctional Services	Department	
YAN Sik-wing	Consultant	Department of Health	
CHAN FUNG Fu-chun	Director of Health	Department of Health	
LAM Hung-kwan	Director of the Hong Kong	Hong Kong Observatory	
	Observatory		
CHUNG Lai-kwok	AOSGB1	Housing Department	
LUK Ping-chuen	Postmaster General	Post Office	
WONG Hung-kin	Director of Territory	Territory Development	
	Development	Department	
SHUM Man-to	Director of Accounting	Treasury	
	Services		

Annex B

Post-retirement Employment approved in respect of Directorate Officers at D4 or above who retired between 1 January 2002 and 31 December 2004

Nature of Approved Employment		Co	Casas	
Broad Category of Trade	Position	Cases		
Paid Full-time Commercial Appointments		No.	Sub-total	
Commerce	Corporate Management	4		
Construction/Engineering	Corporate Management	1		
Property Management	Corporate Management	1	6	
Paid Part-time Commercial Ap	pointments			
Commerce/Finance	Advisory/Non-executive	10		
Management Consultancy	Advisory/Non-executive	2		
Construction/Engineering	Corporate Management	1		
	Advisory/Non-executive	1	14	
Paid Full-time Non-commercia	l Appointments			
Medical	Hospital Management	3		
	Clinical Service	1		
Education	School Management	1		
Others	Executive Management	2	7	
Paid Part-time Non-commercia	al Appointments			
Medical	Clinical Service	1		
Education	Teaching	1		
	Advisory	1		
Religious	Clergy	1	4	
		Total	31	

Honorary Appointments or Unpaid Service ¹		Cases	
Education	School Management		4
	Advisory		1
Medical	Construction Consultancy		1
Charity	Advisory		2
Others	Advisory		5
		Total	13

¹ These appointments are advisory and voluntary in nature and do not constitute employment with monetary remuneration.