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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES

No. 21

Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 1 March 2012 at 3:00 pm

Present:

The Hon Donald TSANG, GBM
The Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

Members present:

President
The Hon Jasper TSANG Yok-sing, GBS, JP

The Hon Albert HO Chun-yan

Ir Dr the Hon Raymond HO Chung-tai, SBS, S.B.St.J., JP

The Hon LEE Cheuk-yan

Dr the Hon David LI Kwok-po, GBM, GBS, JP

The Hon Fred LI Wah-ming, SBS, JP

Dr the Hon Margaret NG

The Hon James TO Kun-sun

The Hon CHEUNG Man-kwong

The Hon CHAN Kam-lam, SBS, JP

The Hon Mrs Sophie LEUNG LAU Yau-fun, GBS, JP

The Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung

Dr the Hon Philip WONG Yu-hong, GBS

The Hon WONG Yung-kan, SBS, JP

The Hon LAU Kong-wah, JP

The Hon LAU Wong-fat, GBM, GBS, JP

The Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee, GBS, JP

The Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP

The Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo

The Hon Timothy FOK Tsun-ting, GBS, JP

The Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP

The Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, SBS, JP

The Hon LI Fung-ying, SBS, JP

The Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, SBS, JP

The Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, SBS, JP

The Hon Audrey EU Yuet-mee, SC, JP

The Hon Vincent FANG Kang, SBS, JP

The Hon WONG Kwok-hing, MH

The Hon LEE Wing-tat

Dr the Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, SBS, JP

The Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung, GBS, JP

The Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, GBS, JP

The Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming, GBS, JP

The Hon WONG Ting-kwong, BBS, JP

The Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah, SC

The Hon CHIM Pui-chung

Prof the Hon Patrick LAU Sau-shing, SBS, JP

The Hon KAM Nai-wai, MH

The Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan

The Hon Starry LEE Wai-king, JP

Dr the Hon LAM Tai-fai, BBS, JP

The Hon CHAN Hak-kan

The Hon Paul CHAN Mo-po, MH, JP

The Hon CHAN Kin-por, JP

Dr the Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun, JP

Dr the Hon LEUNG Ka-lau

The Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che

The Hon WONG Sing-chi

The Hon WONG Kwok-kin, BBS

The Hon IP Wai-ming, MH

The Hon IP Kwok-him, GBS, JP

The Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee, GBS, JP

Dr the Hon PAN Pey-chyou

The Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun, JP

Dr the Hon Samson TAM Wai-ho, JP

The Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC

The Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung

The Hon Tanya CHAN

The Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip

The Hon WONG Yuk-man

Public officers attending:

The Hon Stephen LAM Sui-lung, GBS, JP The Chief Secretary for Administration

The Hon John TSANG Chun-wah, GBM, JP The Financial Secretary

The Hon WONG Yan-lung, SC, JP The Secretary for Justice

The Hon Michael SUEN Ming-yeung, GBS, JP Secretary for Education

Dr the Hon York CHOW Yat-ngok, GBS, JP Secretary for Food and Health

The Hon Denise YUE Chung-yee, GBS, JP Secretary for the Civil Service

The Hon TSANG Tak-sing, GBS, JP Secretary for Home Affairs

The Hon Matthew CHEUNG Kin-chung, GBS, JP Secretary for Labour and Welfare

Ms Julia LEUNG Fung-yee, JP Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury

The Hon Mrs Carrie LAM CHENG Yuet-ngor, GBS, JP Secretary for Development

The Hon Edward YAU Tang-wah, GBS, JP Secretary for the Environment

The Hon Eva CHENG, GBS, JP Secretary for Transport and Housing

The Hon Raymond TAM Chi-yuen, JP Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs

Prof LAU Siu-kai, JP Head, Central Policy Unit

Clerk in attendance:

Ms Pauline NG Man-wah, Secretary General

The Chief Executive's Question and Answer Session

The Chief Executive attended the Council meeting.

When the Chief Executive entered the Chamber, Hon Albert CHAN and Hon WONG Yuk-man spoke aloud. The President reminded the two Members to observe the Rules of Procedure; otherwise he would order them to withdraw from the Council.

The Chief Executive addressed the Council.

While the Chief Executive was addressing the Council, Hon WONG Kwok-kin raised a point of order. He noticed that some Members displayed objects beyond their own seating area, and enquired the President of the rules on the display of objects.

The President replied that if he was of the opinion that any objects displayed during Council meetings would cause obstruction to other Members in their participation of the proceedings of the Council, he would direct the Member causing the obstruction to remove the object(s).

The Chief Executive continued to address the Council.

Fourteen Members asked questions and the Chief Executive replied.

While the Chief Executive was leaving the Chamber, Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung, Hon Albert CHAN and Hon WONG Yuk-man yelled at the Chief Executive. The President asked them to keep quiet. Hon WONG Yuk-man left his seat, stood on an aisle in the Chamber and yelled. The President then ordered Mr WONG to withdraw from the Council immediately. With the assistance of the security staff, Mr WONG left the Chamber.

The Council was adjourned at 4:22 pm.

(Jasper TSANG Yok-sing)
President
Legislative Council

Council Chamber Hong Kong

25 September 2012