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Report No. 23/11-12 of the House Committee on Consideration of Subsidiary Legislation and Other Instruments

Purpose

This report gives the outcome of the consideration of the House Committee on subsidiary legislation the period for amendment of which will expire on 20 June 2012.

Subsidiary legislation considered

2. The House Committee has considered the following items of subsidiary legislation -

| <u>Item</u> <u>Number</u> | <u>Title of</u> Subsidiary Legislation | Date of House Committee meeting |
|------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| (1) | Inland Revenue (Double Taxation Relief and Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income) (State of Kuwait) Order (L.N. 96/2012) | 1 June 2012 |
| (2) | Inland Revenue (Double Taxation Relief with respect to Taxes on Income) (Switzerland) Order (L.N. 97/2012) | 25 May 2012 1 June 2012 |
| (3) | Inland Revenue (Double Taxation Relief and Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income) (Malta) Order (L.N. 98/2012) | 1 June 2012 |

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| (4) | Banking Ordinance (Amendment of Seventh Schedule) Notice 2012 (L.N. 99/2012) | ~ |
| (5) | Public Health and Municipal Services (Fees and Charges) (Leisure Facilities) Regulation (L.N. 100/2012) | - |
| (6) | Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Amendment of First and Third Schedules) Order 2012 (L.N. 101/2012) | • |
| (7) | Road Traffic (Breath Analysing Instruments, Screening Devices and Pre-screening Devices) (Amendment) Notice 2012 (L.N. 102/2012) | 5 |

3. The House Committee formed two subcommittees to study respectively items (4) and (5) at its meeting on 25 May 2012. The former Subcommittee held its first meeting on 12 June 2012. Regarding the latter Subcommittee, since only one Member has signified to join it by the deadline for signification of membership, the Subcommittee has not been formed in accordance with House Rules 21(b) and 26(f).

4. For items (1) to (3), (6) and (7), the House Committee considered it not necessary to form any subcommittee to study these items of subsidiary legislation.

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