

Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene

List of follow-up actions
(position as at 10 October 2011)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
1. Labelling of genetically modified ("GM") food	8 July 2008	The Administration to provide information on countries which have adopted a GM food labelling scheme (either a mandatory or a voluntary scheme).	The relevant information will be provided to the Panel once ready.
2. Enforcement actions under the Places of Public Entertainment Ordinance (Cap. 172)	21 June 2010 (special meeting)	The Administration was requested to provide - (a) the details of the legal advice sought from the Department of Justice regarding the applicability of the Places of Public Entertainment Ordinance (Cap. 172) ("PPEO"), including what the legal advice was, in what way and when the legal advice was provided, as well as the capacity of the public officer who provided the legal advice; (b) a chronology of events relating to	Response from the Home Affairs Bureau awaited.

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		<p>the operations, including the course of actions taken on the date when FEHD learnt about the organisers' intention to display some exhibits at Times Square;</p> <p>(c) a copy of the undertaking that the Police requested the organisers to sign for the returning of the exhibits; and</p> <p>(d) information on applications for Places of Public Entertainment Licence for the display of art items.</p>	
<p>3. Conversion of aqua privies ("APs") into flushing toilets – Phase 7 (the Final Phase)</p>	<p>9 November 2010</p>	<p>The Administration was requested to provide the Panel with an annual progress report on the conversion plan for those 53 APs not included in the conversion programme and the consultation outcome with the relevant DCs, if any.</p>	<p>Return is not due until November 2011.</p>
<p>4. Review of liquor licensing</p>	<p>12 April 2011</p>	<p>The Administration was requested to provide details on the operation of licence check at licensed liquor selling</p>	<p>The information will be provided in due course.</p>

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		premises.	
5. Update on monitoring of radiation contamination of food products imported from Japan and Mainland China	17 May 2011	The Administration was requested to provide concrete information on comparison of measures and criteria of radiation monitoring between Hong Kong and the nearby regions and countries, as well as the criteria and timetable for revocation of the Order.	The Administration's response was issued on 27 June 2011 via LC Paper No. CB(2)2208/10-11(01).
6. Imported Game, Meat, Poultry and Poultry Egg Regulation under the Food Safety Ordinance	17 May 2011	The Administration was requested to advise whether the Department of Health under Executive Yuan in Taiwan has previously been recognized, and whether it will be recognized as competent authority of an economy when the proposed regulation take effect.	The Administration's response was issued on 4 July 2011 via LC Paper No. CB(2)2271/10-11(01).
7. Implementation of the Nutrition Labelling Scheme	12 July 2011	The Administration was requested to clarify whether the food products sold by hawkers, such as peanut candies, were considered prepackaged food and	The Administration's response was issued on 10 October 2011 via LC Paper No. CB(2)2715/10-11(01).

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