## **Panel on Welfare Services**

## List of follow-up actions

(position as at 5 January 2012)

	Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's
				response
1.	Provision of infirmary care for elders in a non-hospital setting	13 December 2004	The Administration undertook to provide more details of the tender exercise before the next meeting, including the criteria used in selecting operators to run the trial scheme, justification(s) for inviting private home operators to participate in the exercise, and the reason(s) for setting the unit subsidy for each subsidized infirmary bed in a non-hospital setting at around \$11,000.	The Administration is exploring various options, including upgrading some of the places in subvented residential care homes for the elderly to provide infirmary care. The Administration will report progress in due course.
2.	Progress report on the standardized assessment mechanism for residential services for people with disabilities	21 March 2006	The Administration was requested to include representative from the Hong Kong Council of Social Service ("HKCSS") in the Review Working Group on Standardized Assessment Mechanism for Residential Services for People with Disabilities and to increase the number of representatives from parents' groups in the Review Working Group.	The Administration will include representative from HKCSS and invite more representatives from parents' groups to the future Review Working Group meetings.

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3.	Assistance to elderly not receiving Comprehensive Social Security Assistance ("CSSA")	8 June 2006	<ul> <li>(a) provide a paper setting out the relevant figures to substantiate its saying that a pay-as-you-go retirement protection scheme was not feasible; and</li> <li>(b) consult employees in Hong Kong on whether they were willing to allocate part of their MPF contributions, say 50%, to a pool for distribution to the current cohort of elders, on the understanding they too would receive a monthly sum of some \$2,500 in their old age.</li> </ul>	The Administration is conducting a study on retirement protection in Hong Kong.
4.	Regularisation and extension of the Neighbourhood Support Child Care Project ("NSCCP")	10 January 2011	The Administration was requested to provide a paper on the insurance plans for the home-based child carers and service users of NSCCP.	The Administration will provide the required information in due course.

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5.	Development of social enterprises ("SEs")	11 April 2011	<ul> <li>The Administration was requested to provide -</li> <li>(a) information on the operational experience of SEs which were making a profit as well as a loss; and</li> <li>(b) the number of Government service contracts that were awarded to SEs under priority bidding, together with a breakdown by types of business, values of the contracts, and job opportunities created.</li> </ul>	The Administration will provide the requested information in its progress report on the development of SEs in January 2012.
6.	Short-term food assistance service	14 November 2011	The Administration was requested to provide information on the service statistics and the background of service users of the short-term food assistance service.	The Administration has provided the requested information to the Panel vide LC Paper No. CB(2)743/11-12(01) on 5 January 2012.
7.	Review on the Implementation of the Integrated Family Service Centre ("IFSC") Service Mode	12 December 2011	The Administration was requested to provide information on the service statistics related to housing assistance cases handled by IFSCs.	The Administration will provide the required information in due course.

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