

District Councils Ordinance

Resolution

(Under section 8 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547))

Resolved that the District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Order 2013, made by the Chief Executive in Council on 25 June 2013, be approved.

District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Order 2013

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 8 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) subject to the approval of the Legislative Council)

1. Commencement

This Order—

- (a) for all purposes relating to the District Council ordinary election in 2015--comes into operation on the day on which the Resolution of the Legislative Council approving this Order is published in the Gazette; and
- (b) in so far as it has not come into operation under paragraph (a)—comes into operation on 1 January 2016.

2. District Councils Ordinance amended

The District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 3 amended

- (1) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 3—

Repeal

“22”

Substitute

“24”.

- (2) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 4—

Repeal

“35”

Substitute

“37”.

- (3) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 5—

Repeal

“21”

Substitute

“23”.

- (4) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 9—

Repeal

“17”

Substitute

“19”.

- (5) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 12—

Repeal

“17”

Substitute

“18”.

- (6) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 13—

Repeal

“24”

Substitute

“27”.

- (7) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 14—

Repeal

“36”

Substitute

“38”.

- (8) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 16—

Repeal

“17”

Substitute

“18”.

- (9) Schedule 3, Part 1, item 18—

Repeal

“31”

Substitute

“35”.

Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

25th June, 2013

Explanatory Note

The purpose of this Order is to amend Schedule 3 to the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) to change the number of elected members of—

- (a) Kowloon City District Council from 22 to 24;
- (b) Kwun Tong District Council from 35 to 37;
- (c) Sham Shui Po District Council from 21 to 23;
- (d) Yau Tsim Mong District Council from 17 to 19;
- (e) North District Council from 17 to 18;
- (f) Sai Kung District Council from 24 to 27;
- (g) Sha Tin District Council from 36 to 38;
- (h) Tsuen Wan District Council from 17 to 18; and
- (i) Yuen Long District Council from 31 to 35.

- 2. The change in the number of elected members will come into effect on 1 January 2016, but will also take effect for the District Council ordinary election to be held in 2015.