Bills Committee on Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2014

List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 23 June 2014

The Administration was requested to –

Part 6

(a) advise on the prevailing arrangements, if any, for mutual legal assistance in criminal matters between Hong Kong and the Mainland (such as by way of any memorandum of understanding);

Clause 48

- (b) make reference to other Ordinances and advise whether the expressions of "宗教式誓章" and "非宗教式誓詞" are standardized expressions in the Chinese text for "affidavit" and "affirmation" respectively;
- (c) explain, with reference to cases (if any), what constitutes "unfairness" under the proposed section 77F(2)(c)(iii) of the Evidence Ordinance (Cap. 8);
- (d) provide the proposed Committee Stage Amendment to substitute "該書面供詞或該文件" by "該書面供詞及該文件" in the Chinese text of the proposed section 77F(2)(c)(iii);

Part 10

(e) provide the proposed Committee Stage Amendment to delete Part 10 of the Bill;

Part 12

Clause 63

(f) provide the proposed Committee Stage Amendment to the proposed Schedule to the Specification of Public Offices (Cap. 1 sub. leg. C) with regard to the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) which has commenced operation on 3 March 2014; and

Part 15

Clause 165

make reference to other Ordinances and advise whether it was in order to use "信號", instead of "訊號", as the Chinese rendition of the term "signals" in Regulation 2(1) of the Road Traffic (Registration and Licensing of Vehicles) Regulations (Cap. 374 sub. leg. E).

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