Bills Committee on Electronic Health Record Sharing System Bill

List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 18 May 2015

The Administration was requested to -

- (a) consider stating expressly in clause 51 the admissibility of the code of practice issued by the Commissioner for the Electronic Health Record ("eHRC") as evidence in legal proceedings, as in section 63C of the Construction Workers Registration Ordinance (Cap. 583) and section 41 of the Buildings Energy Efficiency Ordinance (Cap. 610);
- (b) in respect of clause 55 which provided for an appeal against a decision of eHRC specified in the clause to be made to the Administrative Appeals Board, provide information on the Board's appeal handling procedures, performance pledge for processing an appeal (if any) and caseload; and
- (c) in respect of clause 58 which provided for protection of public officers etc. (including a person appointed by eHRC in writing) from civil liability where a person is performing a function or exercising a power under the Ordinance (if enacted) in good faith, provide information on other ordinances which accorded similar protection to public officers etc.

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