

**Subcommittee to Study the Proposed Legislative Amendments Relating  
to the Establishment of a New Innovation and Technology Bureau**

**List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion  
at the meeting on 5 June 2014**

The Administration was requested to:

- (a) explain the rationale for fixing the commencement date of the proposed Resolution on the 14th day after the date on which the Financial Committee approves the financial proposal relating to the establishment of the new Innovation and Technology Bureau ("ITB"), or on the 14th day after the date on which the proposed Resolution is made and passed by the Council, whichever date is later;
- (b) in relation to item (a), consider extending the 14 day deadline to allow more sufficient time for the preparation work relating to the establishment of the ITB, including the appointment of a suitable candidate for the post of Secretary for Innovation and Technology; and
- (c) consider amending paragraphs (3)(d)(ii),(3)(d)(iv) and (3)(e) of the proposed Resolution to spell out clearly that the matters mentioned are confined to the transfer of statutory functions under the Electronics Transaction Ordinance (Cap. 553) pursuant to the establishment of the ITB.