

Panel on Environmental Affairs

CB(1)1292/13-14(01)

List of follow-up actions

(position as at 22 April 2014)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
<p>1. Environmental infrastructure projects -</p> <p>(a) 5163DR: Northeast New Territories landfill extension</p> <p>(b) 5164DR: Southeast New Territories landfill extension</p> <p>(c) 5165DR: West New Territories landfill extension</p> <p>(d) 5177DR: Integrated Waste Management Facilities Phase 1</p>	<p>24.2.2014</p>	<p>The Administration to provide information on the respective numbers of fishermen and inshore fishing vessels that would possibly be affected by the reclamation works in connection with the Integrated Waste Management Facilities (Phase I).</p>	<p>The Administration's response was circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1134/13-14(01) on 21 March 2014.</p>
<p>2. 5172DR – Organic Waste Treatment Facilities ("OWTF") Phase 1</p>	<p>13.3.2014</p>	<p>The Administration to provide the following information prior to submitting the proposal to the Public Works Subcommittee for consideration –</p> <p>(a) a breakdown of the estimated capital costs of \$489 million for OWTF Phase 1 when the funding proposal was submitted to the Panel on 22 November 2010 to facilitate a cost comparison with the updated estimated capital cost of \$1,532.8 million;</p>	<p>The Administration's response was circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1140/13-14(01) on 21 March 2014.</p>

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		<p>(b) the estimated amount of electricity to be generated by OWTF Phase 1 and the corresponding tariffs if the Administration was to sell the electricity generated to power companies; and</p> <p>(c) the estimated recurrent expenditure of OWTF Phase 1 and how the fees and charges in accordance with the "polluter pays" principle would be determined.</p>	
<p>3. Matters on Hong Kong's municipal solid waste recovery rate and handling of imported waste</p>	<p>24.3.2014</p>	<p>The Administration to consider adding a new classification category of "waste plastics" in Hong Kong's import and export trade statistics.</p>	<p>Response awaited</p>
<p>4. Proposed amendments to the Schedules to the Hazardous Chemicals Control Ordinance (Cap. 595)</p>	<p>24.3.2014</p>	<p>The Administration to provide the following –</p> <p>(a) the text of the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants and the Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade; and</p> <p>(b) a marked-up copy of the Schedules to the Hazardous Chemicals Control Ordinance (Cap. 595) showing the proposed amendments to the Schedules.</p>	<p>The Administration's response was circulated vide LC Paper No. CB(1)1223/13-14(01) on 9 April 2014.</p>

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5. Environmental infrastructure projects - (a) 5163DR: Northeast New Territories landfill extension (b) 5164DR: Southeast New Territories landfill extension (c) 5165DR: West New Territories landfill extension (d) 5177DR: Integrated Waste Management Facilities Phase 1	28.3.2014	The Administration to provide – (a) a written response to the views and concerns expressed by the deputations/individuals at the special meetings of the Panel held on 22 and 28 March 2014; (b) a progress report on the work of the Steering Committee to Promote the Sustainable Development of the Recycling Industry chaired by the Chief Secretary for Administration; and (c) the report of the consultancy study conducted by the Hong Kong Productivity Council on the operation and situation of different types of recyclables in Hong Kong.	Response awaited