# 立法會 Legislative Council

<u>LC Paper No. CB(1)81/14-15</u> (These minutes have been cleared with the Chairman)

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### **Panel on Housing**

### Minutes of meeting held on Thursday, 9 October 2014, at 12:00 noon in Conference Room 3 of the Legislative Council Complex

Members present :	Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen, JP (Chairman) Hon James TO Kun-sun Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, GBS, JP Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, SBS, JP Hon Vincent FANG Kang, SBS, JP Hon WONG Kwok-hing, BBS, MH Hon CHAN Hak-kan, JP Hon IP Kwok-him, GBS, JP Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip Hon WU Chi-wai, MH Hon LEUNG Che-cheung, BBS, MH, JP Hon KWOK Wai-keung Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok, BBS, MH, JP Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun, BBS, MH, JP Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen, BBS
Members attending :	Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP Hon Steven HO Chun-yin

Members absent	:	Hon LEE Cheuk-yan Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, SBS, JP, PhD, RN Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung Hon WONG Yuk-man
Clerk in attendance	•	Ms Miranda HON Chief Council Secretary (1)1
Staff in attendance	:	Mr Andy LAU Assistant Secretary General 1
		Miss Lilian MOK Senior Council Secretary (1)1
		Mr Ken WOO Senior Council Secretary (1)5
		Ms Mandy LI Council Secretary (1)1
		Ms Alice CHEUNG Senior Legislative Assistant (1)1
		Miss Queenie LAM Senior Legislative Assistant (1)2
		Miss Mandy POON Legislative Assistant (1)1
		Ms PANG Yin-shan Clerical Assistant (1)1

#### Action

## I. Election of Chairman and Deputy Chairman

Election of Chairman

<u>Mr WONG Kwok-hing</u>, Chairman in office, invited nominations for the chairmanship.

<u>Action</u>

2. <u>Mr KWOK Wai-keung</u> nominated Miss Alice MAK for the chairmanship. The nomination was seconded by <u>Mr IP Kwok-him</u>. <u>Miss Alice MAK</u> accepted the nomination.

3. <u>Mr Alan LEONG</u> nominated Mr WU Chi-wai and the nomination was seconded by <u>Dr Fernando CHEUNG</u>. <u>Mr WU Chi-wai</u> accepted the nomination. There was no other nomination.

4. <u>Mr Albert CHAN</u> proposed that the two nominees should each speak for one minute to declare interests and explain their views on the Chairman's role and how they would uphold impartiality of the chairmanship. The <u>Chairman</u> put Mr CHAN's proposal to vote. At the request of Mr CHAN, the <u>Chairman</u> ordered that the voting bell be rung for five minutes. <u>Mr CHAN</u> claimed a division. The <u>Chairman</u> announced that seven members voted for the proposal and 10 members voted against it. The <u>Chairman</u> declared that the proposal was negatived. The voting results of individual members were as follows –

For:

Mr James TO Mr Frederick FUNG Mr Albert CHAN Dr Fernando CHEUNG (seven members)

Mr LEUNG Yiu-chung Mr Alan LEONG Mr WU Chi-wai

Against:

Mr Abraham SHEK Mr CHAN Hak-kan Mr LEUNG Che-cheung Mr KWOK Wai-keung Mr Christopher CHUNG (10 members) Mr Vincent FANG Mr IP Kwok-him Miss Alice MAK Ir Dr LO Wai-kwok Mr Tony TSE

5. The <u>Chairman</u> then announced a vote by secret ballot. After all the members present had cast their votes, the <u>Chairman</u> invited Mr KWOK Waikeung and Mr Alan LEONG, who had nominated the two candidates, to oversee the counting of votes.

6. The <u>Chairman</u> announced that Miss Alice MAK had received 11 votes and Mr WU Chi-wai seven votes. The <u>Chairman</u> declared Miss Alice MAK elected as the Chairman of the Panel for the 2014-2015 session.

#### Election of Deputy Chairman

7. <u>Miss Alice MAK</u> then took over the chair and invited nominations for the deputy chairmanship.

8. <u>Mr Alan LEONG</u> nominated Mr WU Chi-wai for the deputy chairmanship. The nomination was seconded by <u>Mr James TO</u>. <u>Mr WU Chi-wai</u> accepted the nomination.

9. <u>Mr CHAN Hak-kan</u> nominated Mr Christopher CHUNG and the nomination was seconded by <u>Mr IP Kwok-him</u>. <u>Mr Christopher CHUNG</u> accepted the nomination. There was no other nomination.

10. <u>Mr Albert CHAN</u> proposed that the two nominees should each speak for one minute to declare interests and explain their views on the Deputy Chairman's role and how they would uphold the impartiality of the deputy chairmanship. The <u>Chairman</u> put Mr CHAN's proposal to vote and <u>Mr CHAN</u> requested that the voting bell be rung for five minutes. The <u>Chairman</u> said that since the election of the Deputy Chairman could not be completed before the appointed ending time of the meeting if the voting bell was rung, the election would be suspended and continued at the next meeting.

### II. Schedule of meetings for the 2014-2015 session

11. <u>Members</u> noted the proposed schedule of regular meetings of the Panel for the 2014-2015 session, which was tabled at the meeting.

12. <u>Members</u> agreed that all meetings of the Panel would be held on the first Monday of each month at 2:30 pm, except the meeting in April 2015 which would be held on Tuesday, 14 April 2015, at 4:30 pm.

(*Post-meeting note*: The meeting schedule for the 2014-2015 session was circulated to members vide LC Paper No. CB(1)28/14-15 on 10 October 2014.)

13. The <u>Chairman</u> said that due to time constraints, the unfinished businesses of the meeting would be carried over to the next regular meeting to be held on Monday, 3 November 2014, at 2:30 pm.

### Action

14. The meeting ended at 12:20 pm.

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