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House Committee of the Legislative Council

Minutes of the 21st meeting held in Conference Room 1 of the Legislative Council Complex at 2:30 pm on Friday, 22 April 2016

Members present:

Hon Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen, GBS, JP (Chairman)

Hon MA Fung-kwok, SBS, JP (Deputy Chairman)

Hon James TO Kun-sun

Hon CHAN Kam-lam, SBS, JP

Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung

Hon Emily LAU Wai-hing, JP

Hon TAM Yiu-chung, GBS, JP

Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, GBS, JP

Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, GBS, JP

Hon Frederick FUNG Kin-kee, SBS, JP

Hon Vincent FANG Kang, SBS, JP

Hon WONG Kwok-hing, BBS, MH

Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, SBS, JP, PhD, RN

Hon WONG Ting-kwong, SBS, JP

Hon Cyd HO Sau-lan, JP

Hon Starry LEE Wai-king, JP

Dr Hon LAM Tai-fai, SBS, JP

Hon CHAN Hak-kan, JP

Hon CHAN Kin-por, BBS, JP

Dr Hon Priscilla LEUNG Mei-fun, SBS, JP

Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che

Hon WONG Kwok-kin, SBS

Hon IP Kwok-him, GBS, JP

Hon Mrs Regina IP LAU Suk-yee, GBS, JP

Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung

Hon Albert CHAN Wai-yip

Hon Claudia MO

Hon James TIEN Pei-chun, GBS, JP

Hon NG Leung-sing, SBS, JP

Hon Steven HO Chun-yin, BBS

Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming, JP

Hon WU Chi-wai, MH

Hon Gary FAN Kwok-wai

Hon Charles Peter MOK, JP

Hon CHAN Chi-chuen

Hon CHAN Han-pan, JP

Dr Hon Kenneth CHAN Ka-lok

Hon CHAN Yuen-han, SBS, JP

Hon LEUNG Che-cheung, BBS, MH, JP

Hon Kenneth LEUNG

Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen, BBS, JP

Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki

Hon KWOK Wai-keung

Hon Dennis KWOK

Hon Christopher CHEUNG Wah-fung, SBS, JP

Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung

Hon SIN Chung-kai, SBS, JP

Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan

Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT, JP

Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong, SBS, JP

Hon POON Siu-ping, BBS, MH

Hon TANG Ka-piu, JP

Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan, JP

Ir Dr Hon LO Wai-kwok, SBS, MH, JP

Hon CHUNG Kwok-pan

Hon Christopher CHUNG Shu-kun, BBS, MH, JP

Members absent:

Hon Albert HO Chun-yan

Hon LEE Cheuk-yan

Dr Hon LAU Wong-fat, GBM, GBS, JP

Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung, GBS, JP

Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau

Hon Paul TSE Wai-chun, JP

Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC

Hon WONG Yuk-man

Hon Michael TIEN Puk-sun, BBS, JP

Hon YIU Si-wing, BBS

Hon IP Kin-yuen

Hon Tony TSE Wai-chuen, BBS

Hon Alvin YEUNG Ngok-kiu

Clerk in attendance:

Miss Flora TAI Clerk to the House Committee

Staff in attendance:

Mr Kenneth CHEN, SBS Secretary General Legal Adviser Ms Connie FUNG

Deputy Secretary General Miss Odelia LEUNG Assistant Secretary General 1 Ms Anita SIT Ms Dora WAI Assistant Secretary General 3 Assistant Secretary General 4 Mr Matthew LOO Senior Assistant Legal Adviser 1 Mr Timothy TSO Mr Stephen LAM Senior Assistant Legal Adviser 2 Mr Kelvin LEE Senior Assistant Legal Adviser 3 Ms Amy YU Principal Council Secretary 1 Head (Public Information) Ms Hallie CHAN Chief Council Secretary (2)6 Ms Alice LEUNG Assistant Legal Adviser 2 Miss Rachel DAI Assistant Legal Adviser 4 Miss Carrie WONG Miss Karen LAI Senior Council Secretary (2)6 Ms Jasmine TAM Senior Council Secretary (2)8 Council Secretary (2)6

Mr Richard WONG

Ms Anna CHEUNG Senior Legislative Assistant (2)3

Legislative Assistant (2)7 Mr Arthur KAN

Action

I. Confirmation of the minutes of the 20th meeting held on 15 April 2016

(LC Paper No. CB(2)1326/15-16)

The minutes were confirmed.

Matters arising II.

Report by the Chairman on his meeting with the Chief Secretary for Administration

2. The Chairman said that there was nothing special to report.

III. Business arising from previous Council meetings

Legal Service Division report on subsidiary legislation gazetted on 15 April 2016 and tabled in Council on 20 April 2016

(LC Paper No. LS49/15-16)

- 3. At the invitation of the Chairman, <u>Legal Adviser</u> briefed Members on the report prepared by the Legal Service Division on the five items of subsidiary legislation (i.e. L.N. 42 to L.N. 46) which were gazetted on 15 April 2016 and tabled in Council on 20 April 2016.
- 4. <u>Members</u> did not raise any question on the five items of subsidiary legislation.
- 5. <u>The Chairman</u> reminded Members that the deadline for amending these items of subsidiary legislation would be the Council meeting of 18 May 2016.

IV. Further business for the Council meeting of 27 April 2016

Arrangements for Council meetings dealing with the Appropriation Bill 2016

6. The Chairman said that the Secretariat had issued earlier a circular informing Members of the arrangements for Council meetings dealing with the Appropriation Bill 2016 ("the Appropriation Bill"). Members noted that during the period when the Council was dealing with the proceedings on the Appropriation Bill, the Council meetings would start at 11:00 am and be suspended at around 8:00 pm on Wednesdays. The meetings would resume at 9:00 am and be suspended at around 8:00 pm on Thursdays. The meetings would resume at 9:00 am and be adjourned at around 1:00 pm on Fridays.

Bill - resumption of debate on Second Reading, Committee Stage and Third Reading

7. <u>The Chairman</u> informed Members that at the last House Committee ("HC") meeting, Members did not raise objection to the resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Kai Tak Cruise Terminal Bill.

V. Business for the Council meeting of 4 May 2016

(a) <u>Questions</u> (LC Paper No. CB(3)531/15-16)

8. <u>Members</u> noted that only written questions were scheduled for the Council meetings for debate on the Appropriation Bill.

(b) <u>Bill - First Reading and moving of Second Reading</u>

9. <u>The Chairman</u> said that no notice had been received yet.

(c) Government motion

10. The Chairman said that no notice had been received yet.

(d) Members' motions

(i) Motion on "Expeditiously formulating measures to combat the problem of 'bogus refugees'" to be moved by Hon IP Kwok-him
(LC Paper No. CB(3)209/15-16)

(ii) Motion on "Expeditiously studying the enactment of legislation on tree maintenance and management" to be moved by Hon WONG Kwok-hing
(LC Paper No. CB(3)210/15-16)

11. <u>The Chairman</u> said that Members' motions which had been scheduled for debate at previous Council meetings would stand over to the following Council meetings, with each Council meeting dealing with two such motions without legislative effect.

VI. Reports of Bills Committees and subcommittees

Report of the Subcommittee on Securities and Futures (Short Position Reporting) (Amendment) Rules 2016

(LC Paper No. CB(4)897/15-16)

12. <u>Mr CHAN Kam-lam</u>, Chairman of the Subcommittee, briefed Members on the deliberations of the Subcommittee as detailed in its report. <u>Members</u> noted that the Subcommittee did not object to the Amendment Rules.

VII. Position on Bills Committees and subcommittees

(LC Paper No. CB(2)1327/15-16)

13. <u>The Chairman</u> said that as at 21 April 2016, there were nine Bills Committees, eight subcommittees under HC and seven subcommittees on policy issues under Panels in action. Two subcommittees on policy issues under Panels were on the waiting list.

VIII. Any other business

14. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 2:36 pm.

Council Business Division 2 <u>Legislative Council Secretariat</u> 27 April 2016