

# 立法會 *Legislative Council*

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## **Report No. 6/15-16 of the House Committee on Consideration of Subsidiary Legislation and Other Instruments**

### **Purpose**

This report gives the outcome of the consideration of the House Committee on subsidiary legislation the period for amendment of which will expire at the Council meeting of 2 December 2015.

### **Subsidiary legislation considered**

2. The House Committee has considered the following items of subsidiary legislation -

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Title of Subsidiary Legislation</u>	<u>Date of House Committee meeting(s)</u>
(1)	Solicitors' Accounts (Amendment) Rules 2012 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 161/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(2)	Accountant's Report (Amendment) Rules 2012 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 162/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(3)	Solicitors (Professional Indemnity) (Amendment) Rules 2012 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 163/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(4)	Solicitors' Practice (Amendment) Rules 2012 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 164/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015

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(5)	Foreign Lawyers Practice (Amendment) Rules 2012 (Commencement) Notice (L.N. 165/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(6)	Trainee Solicitors (Amendment) Rules 2015 (L.N. 174/2015)	9 October 2015 13 November 2015
(7)	Rules of the High Court (Amendment) (No. 3) Rules 2015 (L.N. 175/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(8)	Rules of the District Court (Amendment) Rules 2015 (L.N. 176/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(9)	Consular Relations (Additional Privileges and Immunities) (Cambodia) Order (L.N. 177/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(10)	Consular Relations (Additional Privileges and Immunities) (Philippines) Order (L.N. 180/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(11)	Inland Revenue (Exchange of Information relating to Taxes) (Kingdom of Denmark) Order (L.N. 183/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(12)	Inland Revenue (Exchange of Information relating to Taxes) (Faroes) Order (L.N. 184/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(13)	Inland Revenue (Exchange of Information relating to Taxes) (Greenland) Order (L.N. 185/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(14)	Inland Revenue (Exchange of Information relating to Taxes) (Iceland) Order (L.N. 186/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(15)	Inland Revenue (Exchange of Information relating to Taxes) (Kingdom of Norway) Order (L.N. 187/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015

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(16)	Inland Revenue (Exchange of Information relating to Taxes) (Kingdom of Sweden) Order (L.N. 188/2015)	9 October 2015 20 November 2015
(17)	Building (Standards of Sanitary Fitments, Plumbing, Drainage Works and Latrines) (Amendment) Regulation 2015 (L.N. 191/2015)	16 October 2015 20 November 2015
(18)	Building (Administration) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulation 2015 (L.N. 192/2015)	16 October 2015 20 November 2015
(19)	Post Office (Amendment) Regulation 2015 (L.N. 214/2015)	6 November 2015

3. The House Committee formed five subcommittees to study items (1) to (5), item (6), items (7) and (8), items (9) and (10), as well as items (11) to (16) in detail at its meeting on 9 October 2015. The first, and third to fifth Subcommittees reported its deliberations at the House Committee meeting on 20 November 2015 vide LC Paper Nos. CB(4)234/15-16, CB(4)201/15-16, CB(4)221/15-16 and CB(1)166/15-16 respectively. The second Subcommittee reported its deliberations at the House Committee meeting on 13 November 2015 vide LC Paper No. CB(4)200/15-16.

4. The House Committee formed a subcommittee to study items (17) and (18) in detail at its meeting on 16 October 2015. The Subcommittee made a verbal report at the House Committee meeting on 20 November 2015, and provided Members with a written report vide LC Paper No. CB(1)185/15-16 on 24 November 2015.

5. In respect of item (19), the House Committee considered it not necessary to form a subcommittee to study this item of subsidiary legislation.