Panel on Home Affairs

List of follow-up actions

(as at 12 November 2015)

Subject	Date of	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
	meeting		
1. Concerted efforts to assist street sleepers	22.7.2013 (Joint Meeting with the Panel on Welfare Services)	The Labour and Welfare Bureau was requested to provide - (a) more detailed information about the status of the 648 registered street sleepers on the computerized Street Sleepers Registry maintained by the Social Welfare Department and their reasons for street sleeping; and (b) the utilization rates of hostels for street sleepers operated by non-governmental organizations on a self-financing basis.	Response awaited.
2. Issues arising from the scrutiny of the Hong Kong Arts Development Council (Amendment) Bill 2013	11.4.2014	The Administration undertook to provide the Panel with the following information - (a) the total number of individual arts workers who were qualified for participating in the exercise to nominate arts interests representatives for the Hong Kong Arts Development Council ("the nomination exercise") conducted in 2013; and (b) regarding the past five nomination	Response awaited.

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		meeting	exercises (from 2001 to 2013), whether the Nomination Agent (i.e. PR Concepts) had made records as to which particular ballot paper was issued to a voter.	
3.	Review of the Chinese Temples Ordinance	5.5.2015 (Special meeting)	The Administration undertook to provide, in consultation with the Food and Health Bureau as necessary, a written response on the relationship between the proposed voluntary registration scheme and the Private Columbaria Bill so as to address possible public concerns about private columbaria operated in the names of temples.	Response awaited.
4.	Government's sports policy	12.6.2015	The Home Affairs Bureau and the Education Bureau were requested to provide the following information - (a) the number of schools that had opened up their venues and sports facilities for community use in the past two years, together with a brief account of the types and the duration of the facilities made available by the schools; (b) a more detailed account of the Government's policy and concerted efforts in encouraging/facilitating schools to open	Response awaited.

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		up their sports facilities; and	
		(c) whether and how schools had adopted change to the marking scheme for evaluation of students' performance in physical education, with a view to providing a better incentive for students to participate in physical activities.	

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