

Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services

List of follow-up actions
(position as at 19 May 2017)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up actions required	Response of the responsible party
1. The administration of the Estate of the late Mrs Nina WANG	20 July 2015	<p>The Department of Justice ("DoJ") was requested to provide:</p> <p>(a) information on the arrangements approved by the Court concerning the interim administration of the Estate of the late Mrs Nina WANG ("the Estate") as well as the background, qualification and remuneration of each Board director of the Chinachem Group; and</p> <p>(b) a breakdown of the properties of the Estate.</p>	DoJ will provide the information insofar as it could be disclosed as soon as possible.
2. Terms and conditions of service of part-time interpreters ("PTIs") in the Judiciary	23 May 2016	The Judiciary Administration ("JA") undertook to revert to members with an information note on the outcome of the Judiciary's overall review of the remuneration arrangements for the PTIs.	JA's response was issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(4)1036/16-17 on 16 May 2017.
3. Biennial review of criminal legal aid fees, prosecution fees and duty lawyer fees	19 December 2016	<p>The Home Affairs Bureau was requested to provide a written response on:</p> <p>(a) conducting a comprehensive review of</p>	The Home Affairs Bureau will provide a written response in due course.

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		<p>the criminal legal aid fees and the duty lawyer fees, including the implementation details such as timeframe and criteria to be adopted; and</p> <p>(b) if the answer to conducting the review in (a) is in the negative, the reasons.</p>	
<p>4. Review of Solicitors' Hourly Rates - An Update</p>	<p>27 February 2017</p>	<p>JA was requested to provide information on the number and frequency of meetings held by the Working Party on Review of Solicitors' Hourly Rates for Party and Party Taxation and by the Advisory Group of the Working Party on Review of Solicitors' Hourly Rates for Party and Party Taxation since their establishment.</p>	<p>Response awaited.</p>
<p>5. Review of the Civil Jurisdictional Limits of the District Court and the Small Claims Tribunal</p>	<p>24 April 2017</p>	<p>JA was requested to provide statistics on the number of claims filed with the Small Claims Tribunal in the past five financial years, with breakdown for the claim amount, including the number of cases for which the claim amount was exactly \$50,000, i.e. the jurisdictional limit.</p>	<p>JA's response was issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(4)1037/16-17 on 16 May 2017.</p>