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**Bills Committee on
Human Organ Transplant (Amendment) Bill 2018**

**Minutes of the second meeting
held on Tuesday, 12 June 2018, at 4:30 pm
in Conference Room 2 of the Legislative Council Complex**

Members present : Dr Hon Pierre CHAN (Chairman)
Hon CHAN Chi-chuen
Dr Hon KWOK Ka-ki
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan
Dr Hon CHENG Chung-tai

Members absent : Hon Tommy CHEUNG Yu-yan, GBS, JP
Hon CHAN Han-pan, JP
Dr Hon Elizabeth QUAT, BBS, JP

Public Officers attending : Item I

Miss Amy YUEN
Deputy Secretary for Food and Health
(Health) 2
Food and Health Bureau

Dr Sammy NG
Principal Medical and Health Officer (3)
Department of Health

Dr Ian CHEUNG
Chief Manager (Cluster Performance)
Hospital Authority

Dr Frank CHAN
Senior Manager (Transformation Projects)
Hospital Authority

Mr Jonathan LUK
Senior Government Counsel (Acting)
Department of Justice

Mr Salvador TSANG
Government Counsel
Department of Justice

Clerk in attendance : Mr Colin CHUI
Chief Council Secretary (2) 4

Staff in attendance : Ms Wendy KAN
Assistant Legal Adviser 6

Ms Catherina YU
Senior Council Secretary (2) 4

Mr Roger CHUNG
Council Secretary (2) 4

Miss Meisy KWOK
Legislative Assistant (2) 6

Action

I. Meeting with the Administration

[File Ref.: FH CR 1/3231/98; LC Paper Nos. CB(3)540/17-18, LS56/17-18, CB(2)1462/17-18(01) to (02) and CB(2)1548/17-18(01) to (02)]

The Bills Committee deliberated (index of proceedings attached at **Annex**).

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2. The Bills Committee requested the Administration to provide a breakdown of the donors and recipients of the organ transplant cases approved by the Human Organ Transplant Board between 2013 and 2017 by Hong Kong residents and non-Hong Kong residents.

II. Any other business

3. Members noted that:

- (a) the Bills Committee would make a verbal report on its deliberations to the House Committee on 22 June 2018;
- (b) the Administration intended to resume the Second Reading debate on the Bill at the Council meeting of 11 July 2018;
- (c) the deadline for giving notice to move amendments to the Bill, if any, was 30 June 2018; and
- (d) the deadline for the Public Officers concerned to give notice for the resumption of Second Reading debate was 25 June 2018.

4. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 5:00 pm.

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Legislative Council Secretariat
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**Proceedings of the second meeting of the
Bills Committee on Human Organ Transplant (Amendment) Bill 2018
on Tuesday, 12 June 2018, at 4:30 pm
in Conference Room 2 of the Legislative Council Complex**

Time marker	Speaker(s)	Subject(s)	Action required
<i>Agenda item I – Meeting with the Administration</i>			
000720-000839	Chairman	Opening remarks	
000840-001511	Chairman Dr KWOK Ka-ki Hospital Authority ("HA")	<p>Follow-up to issues arising from the previous meeting (LC Paper No. CB(2)1548/17-18(02))</p> <p>Dr KWOK Ka-ki's enquiry and HA's response regarding:</p> <p>(a) how many of the participants joining the training courses mentioned in paragraph 6 of the Administration's paper (LC Paper No. CB(2)1548/17-18(02)) had participated in organ transplant services; and</p> <p>(b) the number of doctors who were interested in attending the above-mentioned training courses but were not provided with such training.</p> <p>Dr KWOK's view that the Administration/HA had the responsibility to plan for the provision of the manpower required and provide sufficient manpower for organ transplants.</p> <p>Dr KWOK's enquiry and the Administration's response regarding the number of doctors required for organ transplants, the manpower provision target and manpower training and development plans for organ transplants.</p>	
001512-002051	Chairman Administration HA	<p>The Chairman's enquiry and HA's response regarding the manpower required for carrying out liver transplants which were around 50 cases in a year (i.e. one case in a week on average). HA advised that while there was adequate manpower for liver transplants, there was an overall manpower shortage in surgery. It therefore had a chain effect on the manpower provision for liver transplants.</p> <p>The Chairman's view that HA should improve its management and deployment of manpower for liver transplants.</p> <p>The Chairman's enquiry and the Administration's response regarding the breakdown of the donors</p>	

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		and recipients of the organ transplant cases approved by the Human Organ Transplant Board between 2013 and 2017 by Hong Kong residents and non-Hong Kong residents. The Administration advised that most of the living organ transplants in the aforesaid period were carried out by HA. While the organ recipients concerned were Hong Kong residents, there were no restrictions on the nationalities of organ donors. At the Chairman's request, the Administration undertook to provide the required information, if available.	Admin (paragraph 2 of the minutes.)
002052-002759	Chairman Dr KWOK Ka-ki HA	Dr KWOK Ka-ki's enquiry and HA's response regarding the administrative arrangements that the Administration/HA had made to prevent the Queen Mary Hospital ("QMH") incident (i.e. a doctor involved in a liver transplant operation left the operation room and the hospital concerned in the middle of the operation) from happening again and the roles of the Administration/HA in monitoring the manpower arrangements of QMH. Dr KWOK Ka-ki's enquiry and HA's response regarding whether HA would deploy manpower to those hospitals which had encountered manpower shortage problems.	
Clause-by-clause examination			
002800-002850	Chairman Administration	Commencement of clause-by-clause examination (LC Paper Nos. CB(3)540/17-18 and CB(2)1462/17-18(01)) <u>Clause 1</u> Members raised no question.	
002851-002904	Chairman Administration	<u>Clause 2</u> Members raised no question.	
002905-003327	Chairman Administration	<u>Clause 3</u> The Administration's response to the Chairman's enquiry that donation arrangements involving multiple dyads were pooled donation arrangements. Completion of clause-by-clause examination of the Bill.	

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<i>Agenda item II – Any other business</i>			
003328-003436	Chairman Administration	Dates for the Bills Committee to make a verbal report on its deliberations to the House Committee, resumption of the Second Reading debate on the Bill, giving notice to move amendments, if any, to the Bill, and for the Public Officers concerned to give notice for the resumption of debate.	

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