

**Bills Committee on Hotel and Guesthouse Accommodation
(Amendment) Bill 2018**

**List of follow-up actions required of the Administration
arising from the discussion at the meeting on 1 April 2019**

The Administration was requested to provide:

- (a) information on the average processing time of applications for licence renewal for hotel/guesthouse licences, and the licence renewal arrangements for hotels and guesthouses;
- (b) justifications for only requiring licence holders whose licence had a validity period exceeded 36 months, but not all licence holders, to submit to the Hotel and Guesthouse Accommodation Authority a certificate from an authorized person certifying the matters specified in the proposed new section 12I(3) on an annual basis; and
- (c) justifications for issuing licences with validity period not exceeding 84 months to hotels but only issuing licences with validity period not exceeding 36 months to guesthouses, and the reasons for not specifying in the Hotel and Guesthouse Accommodation (Amendment) Bill 2018 the different maximum validity periods of licences for hotels and guesthouses respectively.