

ITEM FOR FINANCE COMMITTEE

RECOMMENDATION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT SUBCOMMITTEE

Encl. At the Enclosure is a summary of the recommendation of the Establishment Subcommittee (ESC) made at its meeting on 19 December 2018. Some ESC Members have requested that the recommendation on EC(2018-19)17 should be submitted to Finance Committee (FC) separately to facilitate voting on the subject.

2. The relevant paper considered by the ESC has previously been forwarded to all Members and is therefore not enclosed.

3. Members are invited to approve the ESC recommendation.

4. The up-to-date position of the establishment of directorate posts in the civil service is as follows –

	Permanent	Supernumerary	Total
Position including posts approved by Members as at 7 December 2018	1 642	69	1 711 ^(Note)
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Total	1 644	69	1 713

Note – Exclusive of 17 permanent posts in Independent Commission Against Corruption.

**Summary of the Recommendation of the Establishment Subcommittee
made at its meeting on 19 December 2018**

EC Item No.	Head of Expenditure	Recommendation
EC(2018-19)17	HEAD 92 – DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	<p>To recommend to Finance Committee the creation of the following permanent posts, one each in the Civil Division and the Law Drafting Division of the Department of Justice with effect from the date of approval by the Finance Committee to better cope with the substantial increase in workload arising from the existing and new initiatives in the two Divisions –</p> <p>2 Principal Government Counsel (DL3) (\$199,050 - \$217,300)</p>
