Panel on Commerce and Industry

List of outstanding items for discussion (position as at 11 June 2019)

Timing
for discussion
proposed by the
Administration

1. Hong Kong's participation in the Belt and Road Initiative

The Administration will brief the Panel on the development and work of the Government in promoting Hong Kong's participation in the Belt and Road Initiative.

16 July 2019

2. Latest development of the Hong Kong Science Park and industrial estates

The Administration will brief the Panel on the latest development of the Hong Kong Science Park and industrial estates.

16 July 2019

3. Progress of development of Trade Single Window

The Administration will brief the Panel on the latest progress of the implementation of Trade Single Window. Fourth quarter of 2019

4. Progress report on Research and Development Centres in 2018-2019 and operation of the Centres beyond 2020-2021

The Administration will brief the Panel on the operation of the Research and Development ("R&D") Centres in 2018-2019 and seek the Panel's support to extend the operation of the R&D Centres beyond 2020-2021.

Fourth quarter of 2019

5. Updating of the Rules of the High Court (Cap. 4A) in relation to court proceedings under the Patents Ordinance (Cap. 514), Registered Designs Ordinance (Cap. 522) and Trade Marks Ordinance (Cap. 559)

The Administration will brief the Panel on the proposed legislative exercise to update the Rules of the High Court and three other relevant pieces of subsidiary legislation.

Fourth quarter of 2019

6. Progress of the Professional Services Advancement Support Scheme

The Administration will brief the Panel on the progress of implementation of the Professional Services Advancement Support Scheme and the way forward.

Fourth quarter of 2019

7. Effectiveness of the funding schemes under the Innovation and Technology Fund

At the meeting on 15 January 2019, the Administration was requested to provide supplementary information on the details of each of the funding schemes the Innovation and Technology Fund ("ITF") since their launch. The Administration's reply was circulated to members on 18 March 2019 vide LC Paper No. CB(1)724/18-19(01). At the meeting on 19 March 2019, the Panel considered Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan's request and agreed to further discuss with the Administration the effectiveness of the funding schemes under ITF.

Fourth quarter of 2019 or first quarter of 2020

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