

**Panel on Environmental Affairs****List of follow-up actions**

(position as at 19 March 2019)

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Date of meeting</b>	<b>Follow-up action required</b>	<b>Administration's response</b>
1. Promoting the use of electric vehicles	28.1.2019	<p>The Administration to provide information as follows:</p> <p>(a) examples of the green transport technologies for commercial vehicles that were tested out under the Pilot Green Transport Fund and found to be suitable for adoption locally;</p> <p>(b) of the 4 788 old private cars ("PCs") that met the requirements of the "One-for-One Replacement" Scheme and were de-registered after being scrapped from February to December 2018, how many owners concerned have bought a new petrol/diesel PC to replace the old one;</p> <p>(c) whether the Administration has studied the reasons why the PC owners referred to in (b) above have not chosen electric PCs for replacing their old PCs despite the first registration tax concession offered during the period, and if yes, the findings; and</p> <p>(d) a list of issues considered by the Steering Committee on the Promotion of Electric Vehicles since its establishment, and a summary of its deliberations and conclusions (if any) on those issues.</p>	The Administration's written response awaited.

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2.1 Retrofitting of noise barriers on Long Tin Road	25.2.2019	<p>The Administration to provide the following information before submitting the relevant funding proposal to the Public Works Subcommittee:</p> <p>(a) drawings to illustrate the locations of dwellings that will benefit from the proposed retrofitting of noise barriers on Long Tin Road and the expected levels of reduction in traffic noise; and</p> <p>(b) whether it is feasible to replace the solid panels currently used in the noise barriers on Tolo Highway with clear panels to reduce the visual intrusion caused by the noise barriers; and if yes, the Administration's plan to carry out such improvement works.</p>	The Administration's written response awaited.
2.2 Staffing proposal for taking forward municipal solid waste charging and complementary waste reduction and recycling initiatives	25.2.2019	<p>The Administration to provide the following information before submitting the relevant staffing proposal to the Establishment Subcommittee:</p> <p>(a) the major duties to be undertaken by each of the nine directorate posts proposed to be created/re-created under the Environmental Protection Department ("EPD") and the timetables of those duties, with a view to elaborating the justifications for creating/re-creating the said posts and their proposed durations;</p> <p>(b) the number of non-directorate civil service posts and non-civil service contract posts to be deployed to support each of the nine proposed directorate posts; and</p>	The Administration's written response awaited.

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		(c) examples of cooperation between EPD and other government departments (the Housing Department and Food and Environmental Hygiene Department in particular) on the preparation for or implementation of the proposed municipal solid waste charging and complementary waste reduction and recycling initiatives.	

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