

## ITEM FOR FINANCE COMMITTEE

### RECOMMENDATION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT SUBCOMMITTEE

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At the Enclosure is a summary of the recommendation of the Establishment Subcommittee (ESC) made at its meeting on 6 May 2020 to the Finance Committee (FC) for approval. An ESC Member has requested that the recommendation on EC(2019-20)15 should be submitted to 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 –

	<b>Permanent</b>	<b>Supernumerary</b>	<b>Total</b>
Position including posts approved by Members as at 3 July 2020	1 673	50	1 723 (Note)
Item EC(2019-20)15	1	-	1
Total	<u>1 674</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>1 724</u>

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

**Summary of the Recommendation of the Establishment Subcommittee  
made at its meeting on 6 May 2020**

<b>EC Item No.</b>	<b>Head of Expenditure</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
EC(2019-20)15	HEAD 158 – GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT : TRANSPORT AND HOUSING BUREAU (TRANSPORT BRANCH)	<p>To recommend to Finance Committee to make permanent of the following supernumerary post in the Transport Branch of the Transport and Housing Bureau with effect from 1 April 2020 or with immediate effect upon approval of the Finance Committee, whichever is later to formulate, implement and oversee initiatives in fostering the sustainable development of the maritime trade in Hong Kong –</p> <p>1 Administrative Officer Staff Grade C (D2) (\$179,350 - \$196,050)</p>

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