

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES

No. 9

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 2 December 2020 at 11:00 am

Attendance

The attendance of Members, public officers and Clerk is in the Official Record of Proceedings.

Laying of Papers on the Table of the Council

Five items of subsidiary legislation laid on the Table of the Council and six other papers tabled under Rule 21(2) of the Rules of Procedure (“RoP”) were in the **Appendix**.

Questions

Six oral questions (i.e. Questions 1 to 6) were put by the Members, and oral replies given by the public officers to the main and supplementary questions put by Members.

Written replies to Questions 7 to 22 were supplied to Members.

Government Bills

First Reading and Second Reading (debate to be adjourned)

- Mainland Judgments in Matrimonial and Family Cases (Reciprocal Recognition and Enforcement) Bill : Secretary for Justice
- Stamp Duty (Amendment) Bill 2020 : Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury

After the Bills were read the first time and ordered to be set down for Second Reading under RoP 53(3), the public officers moved the Second Reading of the above two Bills respectively. The questions on the Second Reading of the Bills were proposed respectively. In accordance with RoP 54(4), the debates were adjourned and the Bills were referred to the House Committee.

Member's Motion on Subsidiary Legislation

Proposed resolution to extend the period for amending subsidiary legislation (L.N. 221 of 2020)

Dr Hon CHIANG Lai-wan moved the motion. The question on the motion was proposed, put and agreed to.

Next meeting

The President declared that the next Council meeting would be held on 9 December 2020 at 11:00 am.

The Council was adjourned at 1:28 pm.



(Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen)
President
Legislative Council

Chamber
Legislative Council Complex, Hong Kong

16 December 2020

Council meeting of 2 December 2020

Laying of Papers on the Table of the Council

Subsidiary legislation	Legal Notice No.
1. Public Revenue Protection (Stamp Duty) Order 2020 (gazetted on 25 November 2020)	231 of 2020
2. Airport Authority Ordinance (Map of Restricted Area) (Amendment) Order 2020 (gazetted on 27 November 2020)	232 of 2020
3. Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Public Pleasure Grounds) (Amendment of Fourth Schedule) (No. 3) Order 2020 (gazetted on 27 November 2020)	233 of 2020
4. Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Public Swimming Pools) (Amendment of Fourteenth Schedule) Order 2020 (gazetted on 27 November 2020)	234 of 2020
5. Prevention and Control of Disease (Prohibition on Group Gathering) (Amendment) (No. 14) Regulation 2020 (gazetted on 1 December 2020)	235 of 2020

Other papers

6. Prisoners' Education Trust Fund
Report by the Trustee, Financial Statements and Report of the Director of Audit for the period 1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020
(published on 25 November 2020)
7. Emergency Relief Fund
Annual Report by the Trustee for the year ended 31 March 2020 (including Financial Statements and Report of the Director of Audit)
(published on 25 November 2020)
8. Sir Murray MacLehose Trust Fund
Trustee's Report on the administration of the Fund, Financial Statements and Report of the Director of Audit for the year ended 31 March 2020
(published on 26 November 2020)

9. Customs and Excise Service Welfare Fund
Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2020, Report of the Director of Audit and Report by the Commissioner of Customs and Excise Incorporated
(published on 27 November 2020)
10. Customs and Excise Service Children's Education Trust Fund
Report by the Trustee for the year 1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 (including Financial Statements and Report of the Director of Audit)
(published on 27 November 2020)
11. Report No. 4/20-21 of the House Committee on Consideration of Subsidiary Legislation and Other Instruments
(published on 26 November 2020)