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# Debate and voting arrangements for Road Traffic Legislation (Parking Spaces) (Amendment) Bill 2019

Further to LC Paper No. CB(3) 101/20-21 issued on 6 November 2020, I attach a table on the debate and voting arrangements for the captioned Bill for Members' information.

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## Road Traffic Legislation (Parking Spaces) (Amendment) Bill 2019 Debate and voting arrangements

#### Object of the Bill:

To amend the Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374) and the Road Traffic (Parking) Regulations (Cap. 374C) to:

- (a) provide for the use of electronic means to pay for using parking spaces;
- (b) provide for the installation of sensors to detect the occupancy of parking spaces;
- (c) repeal references to certain outdated terms; and
- (d) impose a limitation period for making refund applications for the residue value contained in parking cards, which have ceased to be in use since 2004.

#### Joint debate

Clauses with no amendment, and clauses with amendments proposed by Secretary for Transport and Housing ("STH")

Clauses 1 to 25

Joint debate on the original clauses and the amendments.

#### STH's amendments

#### Clause 1

- To amend clause 1(2) to change the commencement date of the Bill from 1 May 2020 to 12 December 2020 so as to tie in with the Administration's latest programme for starting the installation and operation of the new parking meters by batches from December 2020 onwards.

#### **Clauses 1(3) and 10**

- As the Administration intends to allow sufficient and reasonable time for holders of parking cards to seek refund, the amendments seek to:
  - (i) amend clause 1(3) to change the effective date of the provisions relating to removal of reference to parking cards from 1 January 2022 to 1 July 2022; and
  - (ii) amend the proposed section 12AA of Cap. 374C in clause 10 to change the deadline for returning/surrendering parking cards for refund from 31 December 2021 to 30 June 2022.

### **Voting order**

- : 1. Clauses with no amendment (i.e. clauses 2 to 9 and 11 to 25) standing part of the Bill
  - 2. STH's amendments
  - 3. Clauses 1 and 10 with amendments or without amendment standing part of the Bill

#### STH's amendments

(set out in LC Paper No. <u>CB(3) 101/20-21</u> issued on 6 November 2020)

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