

**立法會**  
**Legislative Council**

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**Subcommittee on Five Pieces of Subsidiary Legislation Relating to  
the Extension of Waivers of Government Fees and Charges to  
Support the Maritime and Logistics Sectors**

**Minutes of the second meeting held on  
Tuesday, 10 November 2020, at 8:30 am  
in Conference Room 2B of the Legislative Council Complex**

**Members present** : Hon Jeremy TAM Man-ho (Chairman)  
Hon James TO Kun-sun  
Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung  
Hon Abraham SHEK Lai-him, GBS, JP  
Prof Hon Joseph LEE Kok-long, SBS, JP  
Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming, SBS, JP  
Hon WU Chi-wai, MH  
Dr Hon Helena WONG Pik-wan  
Hon IP Kin-yuen  
Hon Alvin YEUNG  
Hon Andrew WAN Siu-kin

**Members absent** : Hon Dennis KWOK Wing-hang  
Hon KWONG Chun-yu

[According to the announcement made by the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government on 11 November 2020 pursuant to the Decision of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress on Issues Relating to the Qualification of the Members of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Kenneth LEUNG, KWOK Ka-ki, Dennis KWOK Wing-hang and Alvin YEUNG were disqualified from being a member of LegCo on 30 July 2020.]

**Public Officers  
attending**

: Agenda item II

Financial Services and the Treasury Bureau

Mr Louie NG

Principal Assistant Secretary for Financial Services and the  
Treasury (Treasury) (MA)

Marine Department

Mr Raymond SY

Deputy Director of Marine (2)

Mr HO Wing-hong

Assistant Director / Local Vessels and Examination

Mr CHAN Hon-bun

General Manager / Operations

Department of Justice

Miss Annet LAI

Government Counsel

**Clerk in attendance :**

Ms Shirley CHAN

Chief Council Secretary (4)5

**Staff in attendance :**

Miss Rachel DAI

Assistant Legal Adviser 2

Ms Shirley TAM

Senior Council Secretary (4)5

Ms Lauren LI

Council Secretary (4)5

Ms Zoe TONG

Legislative Assistant (4)5

Action

**I. Confirmation of minutes of meeting**  
[LC Paper No. CB(4)104/20-21]

The minutes of the meeting held on 2 November 2020 were confirmed.

**II. Meeting with the Administration**

[L.Ns. 167 to 169, 190 and 191 of 2020, File Ref: TsyB MA 00/625-1/2/0 (C) Pt. 40, LC Paper Nos. LS125/19-20, CB(4)100/20-21(01) to (05)]

Discussion

2. The Subcommittee deliberated (index of proceedings attached at **Annex**).

Legislative timetable and extension of the scrutiny period

3. The Chairman concluded that the Subcommittee had completed the scrutiny of the five pieces of subsidiary legislation.

4. Members noted that the scrutiny period of the five pieces of subsidiary legislation would expire at the Council meeting of 11 November 2020. The Chairman would move a motion at the Council meeting of 11 November 2020 to extend the scrutiny period of the subsidiary legislation to the Council meeting of 2 December 2020. If the scrutiny period was extended, the deadline for giving notices of amendments to the subsidiary legislation would be 25 November 2020.

*(Post-meeting note: As the motion to extend the scrutiny period of the subsidiary legislation was not moved at the Council meeting of 11 November 2020, the period for amending the subsidiary legislation expired at that Council meeting.)*

**III. Any other business**

5. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 9:13 am.

**Proceedings of the second meeting of  
the Subcommittee on Five Pieces of Subsidiary Legislation Relating to  
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Time marker	Speaker	Subject(s)	Action required
<b>Agenda item I – Confirmation of minutes of meeting</b>			
000637 – 000658	Chairman	Confirmation of minutes of the meeting held on 2 November 2020	
<b>Agenda item II – Meeting with the Administration</b>			
000659 – 001036	Chairman Administration	Briefing by the Administration on the five pieces of subsidiary legislation relating to the extension of existing waivers of government fees and charges to support the maritime and logistics sectors [Legislative Council Brief, File Ref.: TsyB MA 00/625-1/2/0 (C) Pt. 40]	
001037 – 001348	Chairman Administration	<u>Examination of the provisions</u>  <u>Shipping and Port Control (Amendment) Regulation 2020 (L.N. 167 of 2020)</u>  <u>Port Control (Cargo Working Areas) (Amendment) Regulation 2020 (L.N. 168 of 2020)</u>	
001349 – 001716	Chairman Mr Frankie YICK Administration	Discussion on introducing administrative measures, instead of making legislative amendments, to effect waivers of government fees and charges	
001717 – 002144	Chairman Mr LEUNG Yiu-chung Administration	Discussion on the benefits brought about by the relevant fee waiving measure under the subsidiary legislation to operators at the Public Cargo Working Areas ("PCWAs")	
002145 – 002408	Chairman Mr Frankie YICK Dr Helena WONG	Discussion on the difficult operating conditions of operators at PCWAs and the effectiveness of the relevant fee waiving measure under the subsidiary legislation in supporting them	
002409 – 003111	Chairman Mr Abraham SHEK Mr Frankie YICK Administration	Discussion on the adequacy of the waivers of government fees and charges under the subsidiary legislation in supporting the relevant trade	
003112 – 003559	Chairman Dr Helena WONG Administration	Discussion on whether the low-skilled workers working in PCWAs could benefit from the waivers of government fees and charges under the subsidiary legislation	

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003600 – 004025	Chairman Administration	<u>Examination of the provisions</u> <u>Port Control (Cargo Working Areas) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019 (Amendment) Regulation 2020 (L.N. 169 of 2020)</u> <u>Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) (Fees) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulation 2020 (L.N. 190 of 2020)</u> <u>Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) (Fees) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019 (Amendment) Regulation 2020 (L.N. 191 of 2020)</u>	
004024 – 004157	Chairman Administration	Discussion on the consequences in the event that the five pieces of subsidiary legislation were repealed	
004158 – 004246	Chairman	Legislative timetable and extension of the scrutiny period	
<b>Agenda item III – Any other business</b>			
004247 – 004628	Chairman Mr Frankie YICK Administration	Discussion on reviewing the tenure of the Berth Licence Agreements	
004629 – 004636	Chairman Administration	Closing remarks	