

**Panel on Manpower  
List of follow-up actions**

**Government's response**

**Item 9: Hong Kong's occupational safety performance in 2020**

In respect of the Labour Department's five special enforcement operations targeting at various high-risk processes of the construction industry in 2020, information on the outcomes of the 443 prosecutions initiated

The Labour Department (LD) conducted special enforcement operations (SEOs) targeting at different high-risk processes of the construction industry, such as work-at-height, lifting operations and electrical work, etc. In 2020, LD launched five SEOs and considered initiating 443 prosecutions. Having thoroughly considered the evidences collected, LD eventually laid 416 summonses in total against the relevant duty holders. As at 31 December 2021, the judicial proceedings of 412 summonses had been completed, with the defendants of 350 summonses convicted and a total fine of HK\$1,560,198 imposed, while the proceedings of 4 summonses are still in progress.