

Panel on Economic Development

List of outstanding items for discussion
(position as at 2 May 2024)

		Proposed timing for discussion
1.	Amendments to the Hong Kong Civil Aviation (Investigation of Accidents) Regulations (Cap. 448B) and report on the work of the Air Accident Investigation Authority	June 2024
	Proposed by TLB. The Administration will seek the Panel's endorsement on the legislative amendments to the Hong Kong Civil Aviation (Investigation of Accidents) Regulations (Cap. 448B) with a view to incorporating the latest requirements for and the manner of conducting investigation of aircraft accidents or incidents promulgated by the International Civil Aviation Organization, and brief the Panel on the work of the Air Accident Investigation Authority.	
2.	Update on Hong Kong Disneyland Resort	July 2024
	Proposed by Culture, Sports and Tourism Bureau ("CSTB"). The Administration will update the Panel on the operations of the Hong Kong Disneyland Resort for the fiscal year 2023.	
3.	Update on Ocean Park	Fourth quarter of 2024
	At the work plan meeting on 2 February 2023, the Chairman conveyed members' views and requested the Administration to update the Panel on the operations of the Ocean Park. At the meeting on 16 January 2024, Hon CHAN Yung suggested early discussion on its operation at an opportune time. At the work plan meeting on 15 February 2024, CSTB recommended that the matter be discussed within 2024.	

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4.	<p data-bbox="261 315 1201 405">The Hong Kong International Aviation Academy and addressing manpower shortage in the aviation industry</p> <p data-bbox="261 439 1201 819">Hon Holden CHOW Ho-ding and Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming proposed at the meeting on 16 January 2024 discussing the operation of the Hong Kong International Airport and the manpower shortage in the aviation industry. At the work plan meeting on 5 February 2024, TLB suggested that the above matters be discussed in conjunction with the briefing by the Airport Authority Hong Kong to the Panel on the developments of the Hong Kong International Aviation Academy.</p>	Fourth quarter of 2024
5.	<p data-bbox="261 887 1201 931">Development Blueprint for Hong Kong’s Tourism Industry</p> <p data-bbox="261 965 1201 1603">At the meeting on 16 January 2024, Hon YIU Pak-leung and Ir Hon CHAN Siu-hung urged the Administration to expeditiously formulate the Development Blueprint for Hong Kong’s Tourism Industry 2.0, including consulting the industry as early as possible on measures and projects for short to medium- and long-term development and submitting the Blueprint 2.0 to the Panel to seek members’ views. In addition, Hon YIU Pak-leung, Ir Hon CHAN Siu-hung and Hon SHIU Ka-fai proposed discussing the continuous development of local signature tourism products and activities, including developing signature cultural tourism products and in-depth tourism products, as well as making good use of Hong Kong’s islands to organize marine activities. At the work plan meeting on 15 February 2024, CSTB recommended a combined discussion of the above matters.</p>	Fourth quarter of 2024
6.	<p data-bbox="261 1671 1201 1715">Initiatives to drive the development of a “Smart Port”</p> <p data-bbox="261 1760 1201 2065">At the work plan meeting on 21 February 2022, the Administration advised that it was exploring initiatives to drive the development of a “Smart Port” and promote wider application of digital technology in maritime and port operations. At the work plan meeting on 5 February 2024, the Administration advised that it expected to report to the Panel on the relevant progress by the end of 2024.</p>	End of 2024

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7. Policies on the development of the logistics industry

Early 2025

Hon Frankie YICK Chi-ming and Hon Sunny TAN proposed at the meeting on 16 January 2024 discussing the development of Hong Kong's logistics industry and its related strategies, including studying the establishment of a logistics park, capitalizing on the opportunities of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area ("GBA") for promotion of economic development, and driving forward cold-chain logistics and transportation.

8. Measures to revitalize the economy

To be confirmed

Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung proposed at the meeting on 16 January 2024 discussing measures to revitalize Hong Kong's economy and the economic benefits to be brought by the relevant measures. Hon Steven HO Chun-yin proposed discussing the implementation and effectiveness of the "Night Vibes Hong Kong" activities, including the way forward, as well as the environmental hygiene issues related to and economic benefits brought by the "Night Vibes Hong Kong" activities. Hon SHIU Ka-fai proposed discussing the promotion of the event economy, such as the concert economy, with a view to attracting more visitors and generating revenue in support of tourism development. Hon SHIU Ka-fai also proposed discussing the support for innovation and technology, the development of local brands and industry chains, and the promotion of local brands and products to other places.

At the Panel meeting on 6 February 2024, the Chairman said that the Administration had been requested to coordinate the efforts of relevant government departments in drawing up measures to revitalize Hong Kong's economy from a macro perspective, including the issues proposed for discussion by the above Members, and to report to the Panel as soon as possible.

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9. Developing the marine economy

To be confirmed

Hon Steven HO Chun-yin proposed at the meeting on 16 January 2024 discussing from a macro perspective the development of the marine economy, including aspects such as agriculture and fisheries, shipping and trade, as well as the relevant responsible bureaux and departments.

10. Developing the silver economy

To be confirmed

Hon YUNG Hoi-yan proposed at the meeting on 16 January 2024 discussing the development of the silver economy as a driver for the entire industry chain and economic development.

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