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Position Report on Bills Committees/Subcommittees (as at 3 March 1998)

Summary (a) Number of Subcommittees in action : 8 (see attached list for details)

(b) Number of Bills Committees in action : 9 (see attached list for details)

Subcommittees and Bills Committees in action

Names of Sub- committees	Date formed	Date of first	Number of	Expected date to report to House	
Clerk	Chairman/Deputy Chairman	meeting	meetings held	Committee	Remarks
Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation relating to fee increases Mr LAW Wing-lok CAS(2)5 Tel: 2869 9269	23.1.98 Mr Ronald ARCULLI	4.2.98	2 4.2.98 25.2.98	1st report: 13.2.98 2nd report: 6.3.98	Reporting to the House Committee on 6.3.98 on the Lifts and Escalators (Safety) (Fees) (Amendment) Regulation 1998.
2. Subcommittee on Telecommunication (Amendment) Regulation 1998 and Telephone (Repeal) Regulation 1998 - Ms Estella CHAN CAS(1)4 Tel: 2869 9577	13.2.98 Mr James TIEN	26.2.98	1 26.2.98	verbal report on 6.3.98, followed by written report	Next meeting to be held on 6.3.98 to meet deputations and the Administration.
3. Subcommittee on the nine Orders made under the Port Control (Cargo Working Areas) Ordinance (Cap. 81) - Mr LAW Wing-lok CAS(2)5 Tel: 2869 9269	13.2.98 Mr IP Kwok-him	27.2.98	1 27.2.98	6.3.98	Reporting to the House Committee on 6.3.98.

Names of Sub-				Expected	
committees				date to report	
Committees	Date formed	Date of first	Number of	to House	
Clerk	Chairman/Deputy Chairman	meeting	meetings held	Committee	Remarks
4. Subcommittee on	13.2.98	23.2.98	2	6.3.98	Reporting to the House Committee
Mass Transit Railway	13.2.98	23.2.90	23.2.98	0.3.90	on 6.3.98.
(Transport	Mr CHAN Kam-lam		2.3.98		011 0.3.98.
Interchange)	Wii CHAN Kain-iain		2.3.90		
Regulation and					
Resolution under					
section 25 of the Mass					
Transit Railway					
Corporation					
Ordinance (Cap. 270)					
- Ms LEUNG					
Siu-kum					
CAS(1)2					
Tel: 2869 9213					
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5. Subcommittee on	27.2.98	9.3.98			First meeting to be held on 9.3.98 for
Attachment of Income	27.2.90	3.5.50			election of Chairman and meeting
Order Rules					with the Administration.
- Mrs Justina LAM					
ASG2					
Tel: 2869 9440					
6. Subcommittee on the	27.2.98	9.3.98			First meeting to be held on 9.3.98 for
four items of	27.2.90	3.3.50			election of Chairman and meeting
subsidiary legislation					with the Administration.
made under the					
Mental Health					
Ordinance (Cap. 136)					
- Mr LAW Wing-lok					
CAS(2)5					
Tel: 2869 9269					

Names of Sub- committees Clerk 7. Subcommittee on Public Revenue Protection (Dutiable Commodities) Order 1998 - Ms LEUNG Siu-kum CAS(1)2 Tel: 2869 9213	Date formed Chairman/Deputy Chairman 27.2.98	Date of first meeting 10.3.98	Number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Remarks First meeting to be held on 10.3.98 for election of Chairman and meeting with the Administration.
8. Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation relating to Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes - Miss Polly YEUNG CAS(1)3 Tel: 2869 9246	23.1.98	11.3.98			First meeting to be held on 11.3.98 for election of Chairman and meeting with the Administration.

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Names of Bills	Date Bill						
Committees	introduced					Expected	
	into				Expected	date for	
	Provisional		Date of	Number of	date to report	resumption	
	Legislative	Date formed	first	meetings	to House	of Second	
Clerk	Council	Chairman/Deputy Chairman	meeting	held	Committee	Reading	Remarks
9. Bills Committee on	21.1.98	23.1.98	13.2.98	2	6.3.98	25.3.98	Reporting to the House
Roads (Works, Use				13.2.98			Committee on 6.3.98.
and Compensation)		Mr YUEN Mo/		19.2.98			
(Amendment) Bill		Dr HO Chung-tai					
1998, Foreshore and							
Sea-bed							
(Reclamations)							
(Amendment) Bill							
1998 and Town							
Planning							
(Amendment) Bill							
1998							
- Ms Estella CHAN							
CAS(1)4							
Tel: 2869 9577							
101. 2007 7377							
10. Bills Committee on	21.1.98	23.1.98	10.2.98	3	13.3.98	25.3.98	Reporting to the House
Fire Safety	21.1.,0	23.1.50	10.2.70	10.2.98	13.3.70	23.3.70	Committee on 13.3.98.
(Commercial		Mrs Selina CHOW		17.2.98			
Premises)		Wild Schilla Cito W		2.3.98			
(Amendment) Bill				2.3.70			
1998							
- Mrs Sharon TONG							
CAS(2)1							
Tel: 2869 9254							
101. 2007 7234							
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Clerk 11. Bills Committee on Land (Compulsory Sale for Redevelopment) Bill - Miss Odelia LEUNG CAS(1)1 Tel: 2869 9243	Date Bill introduced into Provisional Legislative Council 21.1.98	Date formed Chairman/Deputy Chairman 23.1.98 Mr Ronald ARCULLI	Date of first meeting 10.2.98	Number of meetings held 8 10.2.98 16.2.98 17.2.98 19.2.98 24.2.98 25.2.98 26.2.98 28.2.98	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading	Remarks Further meetings to be held on 9, 11 and 12.3.98 to continue discussion on Committee stage amendments to the Bill.
12. Bills Committee on Prevention of Copyright Piracy Bill - Mrs Percy MA CAS(2)3 Tel: 2869 9253	21.1.98	23.1.98 Mr MA Fung-kwok/ Dr Charles YEUNG	11.2.98	5 11.2.98 19.2.98 23.2.98 25.2.98 27.2.98	13.3.98	25.3.98	Next meeting to be held on 6.3.98 to continue discussion with the Administration.
13. Bills Committee on Building Management (Amendment) Bill 1998 - Mrs Constance LI CAS(2)2 Tel: 2869 9252	11.2.98	13.2.98 Mr CHAN Kam-lam	20.2.98	1 20.2.98	6.3.98	18.3.98	Meeting held with the Administration. Reporting to the House Committee on 6.3.98.

Names of Bills	Date Bill						
Committees Clerk	introduced into Provisional Legislative Council	Date formed Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date of first meeting	Number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading	Remarks
14. Bills Committee on Legal Practitioners (Amendment) Bill 1998 - Ms Doris CHAN CAS(2)4 Tel: 2869 9255	11.2.98	13.2.98 Mrs Miriam LAU	24.2.98	1 24.2.98			Next meeting to be held on 9.3.98 to meet the Hong Kong Society of Notaries and to continue discussion with the Administration.
15. Bills Committee on Kowloon-Canton Railway Corporation (Amendment) Bill 1998 - Mr LAW Kam-sang DSG Tel: 2869 9463	11.2.98	13.2.98 Mrs Miriam LAU	24.2.98	1 24.2.98	13.3.98	25.3.98	Draft Committee stage amendments were circulated to Bills Committee members on 3.3.98.
16. Bills Committee on Adaptation of Laws (Nationality Related Matters) Bill - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel: 2869 9254	25.2.98	27.2.98	13.3.98				First meeting to be held on 13.3.98 for election of Chairman and meeting with the Administration.

Names of Bills Committees Clerk	Date Bill introduced into Provisional Legislative Council	Date formed Chairman/Deputy Chairman	Date of first meeting	Number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading	Remarks
17. Bills Committee on Adaptation of Laws (Interpretative Provisions) Bill - Ms Doris CHAN CAS(2)4 Tel: 2869 9255	25.2.98	27.2.98	13.3.98				First meeting to be held on 13.3.98 for election of Chairman and meeting with the Administration.