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Position Report on Bills Committees/Subcommittees (as at 17 March 1998)

Summary (a) Number of Subcommittees in action : 5 (see <u>List A</u> for details)

(b) Number of Bills Committees in action : 7 (see <u>List B</u> for details)

List A: Subcommittees in action								
Names of Sub- committees Clerk 1. Subcommittee on Attachment of Income Order Rules - Mrs Justina LAM ASG2 Tel: 2869 9440	Date formed Chairman/Deputy Chairman 27.2.98 Mr CHAN Kam-lam	Date of first meeting 9.3.98	Number of meetings held 3 9.3.98 16.3.97 17.3.98	Expected date to report to House Committee 13.3.98 (verbal report) 20.3.98	Remarks Reporting to the House Committee on 20.3.98.			
2. Subcommittee on the four items of subsidiary legislation made under the Mental Health Ordinance (Cap. 136) - Mr LAW Wing-lok CAS(2)5 Tel: 2869 9269	27.2.98 Dr TANG Siu-tong	9.3.98	1 9.3.98	13.3.98 (verbal report) 20.3.98	Reporting to the House Committee on 20.3.98.			
3. Subcommittee on subsidiary legislation relating to Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes - Miss Polly YEUNG CAS(1)3 Tel: 2869 9246	23.1.98 Mr Ronald ARCULLI/ Dr LAW Cheung-kwok	11.3.98	1 11.3.98	20.3.98 (verbal report)	Next meeting to be held on 18.3.98 to continue discussion with the Administration.			

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
4. Subcommittee on the Specification of Arrangements (Arrangements with the Mainland of China for the Avoidance of Double Taxation of Income) Order - Mr LAW Wing-lok CAS(2)5 Tel: 2869 9269	6.3.98 Mr Eric LI	16.3.98	1 16.3.98		Next meeting to be held on 24.3.98 to meet deputations.
5. Subcommittee on Food Business (Urban Council)(Amendment) Bylaw 1998 and Food Business (Regional Council)(Amendment) Bylaw 1998 - Mrs Sharon TONG CAS(2)1 Tel: 2869 9254	13.3.98	23.3.98			First meeting to be held on 23.3.98 for election of Chairman and meeting with the Administration.

List B: Bills Committees in action Date Bill Names of Bills Committees introduced Expected into date for Expected Provisional Number of date to report resumption Date of of Second Legislative Date formed first meetings to House Clerk Council Chairman/Deputy Chairman Committee Reading Remarks meeting held Awaiting revised Bills Committee on 21.1.98 23.1.98 10.2.98 11 Land (Compulsory 10.2.98 Committee stage Mr Ronald ARCULLI 16.2.98 amendments from the Sale for Redevelopment) Bill 17.2.98 Administration. - Miss Odelia LEUNG 19.2.98 24.2.98 CAS(1)1 Tel: 2869 9243 25.2.98 26.2.98 28.2.98 9.3.98 11.3.98 12.3.98 2. Bills Committee on 11.2.98 13.2.98 27.3.98 8.4.98 The Administration to 24.2.98 2 24.2.98 **Legal Practitioners** respond to a further point Mrs Miriam LAU raised by members and to (Amendment) Bill 9.3.98 1998 provide draft Committee - Ms Doris CHAN stage amendments for the Bills Committee's CAS(2)4 Tel: 2869 9255 consideration.

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		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
3.	Bills Committee on	25.2.98	27.2.98	16.3.98	1	27.3.98	8.4.98	Next meeting to be held
	Adaptation of Laws				16.3.98			on 20.3.98 to continue
	(Nationality Related		Mr Ambrose LAU					discussion with the
	Matters) Bill							Administration.
	- Mrs Sharon TONG							
	CAS(2)1							
	Tel: 2869 9254							
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4.	Bills Committee on	25.2.98	27.2.98	13.3.98	1	27.3.98	8.4.98	Next meeting to be held
	Adaptation of Laws	23.2.30	27.2.50	13.3.5	13.3.98	27.5.70	0.1130	on 21.3.98 to continue
	(Interpretative		Mr Kennedy WONG		13.3.70			discussion with the
	Provisions) Bill		Will Reinledy Works					Administration.
	- Ms Doris CHAN							7 tallillistration.
	CAS(2)4							
	Tel: 2869 9255							
	161. 2009 9233							
5	Bills Committee on	4.3.98	6.3.98	16.3.98	1	27.3.98	8.4.98	Next meeting to be held
٥.	Inland Revenue	7.5.70	0.3.70	10.5.70	16.3.98	27.3.70	0.4.70	on 23.3.98 to continue
	(Amendment) Bill		Mr IP Kwok-him		10.5.76			discussion with the
	1998		WII II KWOK-IIIII					Administration.
	- Ms LEUNG							Administration.
	Siu-kum							
	CAS(1)2							
	Tel: 2869 9213							

Names of Bills Committees Clerk 6. Bills Committee on Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No.2) Bill 1998 - Ms Estella CHAN CAS(1)4 Tel: 2869 9577	Date Bill introduced into Provisional Legislative Council 4.3.98	Date formed Chairman/Deputy Chairman 6.3.98	Date of first meeting 18.3.98	Number of meetings held	Expected date to report to House Committee	Expected date for resumption of Second Reading	Remarks First meeting to be held on 18.3.98 for election of Chairman and meeting with the Administration.
7. Bills Committee on Stamp Duty (Amendment) (No.2) Bill 1998 - Ms Percy MA CAS(2)3 Tel: 2869 9253	4.3.98	6.3.98 Mr Eric LI	13.3.98	1 13.3.98	27.3.98	8.4.98	Next meeting to be held on 23.3.98 to meet with the Administration.