

QUESTIONS

1 Mr Fung Hon-chu to ask:

In view of public concern over the continual rise in prices which is spreading to affect an increasing number of consumer goods, foodstuffs and services, what steps are being considered to curb the inflationary trends?

2 Mr Fung Hon-chu to ask:

In the interest of public health, would Government consider conducting a survey to ascertain the extent to which certain poisons are used in the manufacture locally of patent medicines, including Chinese medicines?

3 Mr Fung Hon-chu to ask:

Would Government be prepared to consider making it compulsory for all locally-manufactured and imported patent medicines to be appropriately labelled with details of their ingredients listed on the labels and for some measure of control on their sale to the public?

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GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Companies (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

Bankruptcy (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Attorney General : Companies (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970
(The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

Attorney General : Bankruptcy (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
(The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

Attorney General : Companies (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

Attorney General : Bankruptcy (Amendment) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

Financial Secretary : Census (Amendment) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

Attorney General : Crown Rent and Premium (Apportionment) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

Attorney General : Crown Rights (Re-entry and Vesting Remedies) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

Mr J. J. Robson : Streets (Alteration) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

Mr J. J. Robson : Public Reclamations and Works (Amendment) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

Mr J. J. Robson : Foreshores and Sea Bed (Amendment) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

Mr J. J. Robson : Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

Dr P. H. Teng : Nurses Registration (Amendment) Bill 1970

Attorney General : Resettlement (Amendment) Bill 1970

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QUESTIONS

1 Mr P. C. Woo to ask:

When will Government be able to present to this Council the main legislation mentioned by the Honourable the Colonial Secretary in his speech on the second reading of the Security of Tenure (Domestic Premises) Bill 1970 (now known as the Security of Tenure (Domestic Premises) Ordinance 1970)?

2 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask:

Will Government state what action has been taken on the Industrial Training Advisory Committee recommendation made in August 1969 for the establishment of two Technical Institutes in 1971 and a further two in 1972? Is Government aware that there is a most urgent need for these to be completed by the dates stated and, in view of the importance and pressing needs of this level to technical education, will Government give the utmost priority to these projects?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

- Pawnbrokers (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Legal Aid (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Hong Kong Tourist Association (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Radiation (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Import and Export Bill 1970
- Protection of Non-Government Certificates of Origin (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Pawnbrokers (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Legal Aid (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Hong Kong Tourist Association (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Dr P. H. Teng : Radiation (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr T. D. Sorby : Import and Export Bill 1970 (The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)
- Mr T. D. Sorby : Protection of Non-Government Certificates of Origin (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Companies (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)
- Attorney General : Bankruptcy (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Acting Financial Secretary : Census (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Companies (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Bankruptcy (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Crown Rent and Premium (Apportionment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Crown Rights (Re-entry and Vesting Remedies) Bill 1970
- Mr J. J. Robson : Streets (Alteration) Bill 1970
- Mr J. J. Robson : Public Reclamations and Works (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr J. J. Robson : Foreshores and Sea Bed (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr J. J. Robson : Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill 1970

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QUESTIONS

1 Mr Wilfred Wong to ask:

Will Government give a date for the presentation to this Council of the Multi-storey Buildings (Owners Incorporation) Bill?

2 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask:

Will Government state what progress has been made since September 1968 on the construction of Stage I of the road network in North-east Kowloon and in particular when will the first flyovers at the respective San Po Kong and Kowloon City roundabout be open to traffic?

3 Mr Oswald Chung to ask:

Is Government aware of the Traffic congestion on Clear Water Bay Road between Kwun Tong Road and Fei Ngo Shan Road on Sundays and holidays, and does Government anticipate this will be aggravated when work starts on the roads for the High Island Water Scheme? If so, does Government intend to take immediate steps to alleviate the situation, and if so, what steps?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Rent Increases (Domestic Premises) Control Bill 1970

Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1970

Employment (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill 1970

Public Health and Urban Services (Amendment) Bill 1970

Supreme Court (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Hong Kong Export Credit Insurance Corporation (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Colonial Secretary : Rent Increases (Domestic Premises) Control Bill 1970
(The Attorney General will move the adjournment of the debate)

Acting Financial Secretary : Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1970
(The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

Mr R. M. Hetherington : Employment (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970
(The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

Attorney General : Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill 1970
(The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

Mr D. R. W. Alexander : Public Health and Urban Services (Amendment) Bill 1970

- Attorney General : Supreme Court (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Hong Kong Export Credit Insurance Corporation (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr T. D. Sorby : Import and Export Bill 1970 (resumed debate)
(The Colonial Secretary will move the further adjournment of the debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Companies (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Bankruptcy (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Pawnbrokers (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Legal Aid (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Hong Kong Tourist Association (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr T. D. Sorby : Protection of Non-Government Certificates of Origin (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Dr P. H. Teng : Radiation (Amendment) Bill 1970

UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S BILL

FIRST READING OF BILL

Church of England Trust (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILL

Mr Wilfred S. B. Wong : Church of England Trust (Amendment) Bill 1970

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QUESTIONS

1 Mr Szeto Wai to ask:

Will Government say what progress has been made by the Consultants on their investigation of a modified Rapid Mass Transit Scheme, when their report will be made known to the public, and when Government expects to make a decision on the scheme's implementation?

2 Mr Szeto Wai to ask:

Would Government inform this Council of the extent of the loss of life and damage to property caused by the recent heavy rainstorms, and whether the resulting flooding in the urban areas was due to the inadequacy of our stormwater sewerage system, and, if so, what measures Government proposes to take to prevent its future recurrence?

3 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask:

Will Government give the number of motorcar driving licence holders and motorcar owner licence holders residing on Hong Kong island as compared to those on Kowloon peninsula, and in the light of these statistics will Government consider the desirability of establishing a licensing office on the Kowloon peninsula?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTIONS

SCHEDULE OF WRITE-OFFS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1969-70

The Acting Financial Secretary :

Resolved that the Write-Offs for the Financial Year 1969-70, as set out in the Schedule, be approved.

IMPORTATION AND EXPORTATION ORDINANCE

Mr T. D. Sorby :

Resolved, pursuant to section 14 of the Importation and Exportation Ordinance, that the Importation and Exportation (Registration of Imports and Exports) (Amendment) Regulations 1970, made by the Governor in Council on the 3rd day of March 1970 under section 14 of that Ordinance, be approved.

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Multi-storey Buildings (Owners Incorporation) Bill 1970

Marriage Reform Bill 1970

Exchange Fund (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

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|----------------------------|--|
| Colonial Secretary | : Rent Increases (Domestic Premises) Control Bill 1970 (resumed debate) |
| Attorney General | : Multi-storey Buildings (Owners Incorporation) Bill 1970 (The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate) |
| Secretary for Home Affairs | : Marriage Reform Bill 1970 (The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate) |
| Acting Financial Secretary | : Exchange Fund (Amendment) Bill 1970 |
| Acting Financial Secretary | : Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1970 (resumed debate) |

- Mr R. M. Hetherington : Employment (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)
- Attorney General : Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)
- Mr T. D. Sorby : Import and Export Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Colonial Secretary : Rent Increases (Domestic Premises) Control Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Exchange Fund (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Hong Kong Export Credit Insurance Corporation (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr D. R. W. Alexander : Public Health and Urban Services (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Supreme Court (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S BILL

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILL

- Mr Wilfred S. B. Wong : Church of England Trust (Amendment) Bill 1970

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QUESTIONS

1 Mr. Q. W. Lee to ask:

In view of the growing demand for office space in the Central District will Government inform this Council what programmes are on hand to release for sale the remaining portion of reclamation land along Connaught Road Central to help ease the situation?

2 Mr. Wilfred Wong to ask:

Would Government be prepared to make a statement on the progress of the public assistance scheme as proposed by His Excellency the Governor in his speech in 1969?

3 Mr G. M. B. Salmon to ask:

Who is responsible for the cleanliness of the beaches on Lamma Island, and why are these left in a disgusting state?

4 Mr G. M. B. Salmon to ask:

How many drivers of both public and private vehicles with excess exhaust discharge have been prosecuted so far this year, and has the Commissioner of Police given instructions to the Traffic Department police officers to take action against all such offenders?

5 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask:

Last year Government established at the two Universities a new scheme of student finance which in essence provides two sorts of financial assistance - grants to cover tuition fees and certain other expenses, and loans for living expenses of students. In view of the success of this scheme of student finance, will Government consider an early introduction of a similar scheme for those needy students at the Hong Kong Technical College?

6 Mr Oswald Cheung to ask:

Is Government in a position to state which, if any, of the recommendations made in a Report of the Provisional Council for the Use and Conservation of the Countryside submitted to His Excellency on 28th June 1968 have been accepted, and which not, and the reasons therefor?

Is Government prepared at an early date to publish, or to release for publication, the said Report, so that its recommendations may be generally considered and discussed?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION

PUBLIC HEALTH AND URBAN SERVICES ORDINANCE

Mr D. R. W. Alexander:

Resolved, pursuant to section 144 of the Public Health and Urban Services Ordinance, that the Public Swimming Pools (Amendment) By-laws 1970, made by the Urban Council on the 2nd day of June 1970 under section 42 of that Ordinance, be approved.

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Evidence (Amendment) Bill 1970

Promissory Oaths (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Factories and Industrial Undertakings (Amendment) Bill 1970

Hong Kong Stadium Bill 1970

Buildings (Amendment) Bill 1970

Sand (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Attorney General : Evidence (Amendment) Bill 1970

Attorney General : Promissory Oaths (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Attorney General : Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Mr R. M. Hetherington : Factories and Industrial Undertakings (Amendment) Bill 1970

Mr D. R. W. Alexander : Hong Kong Stadium Bill 1970

Mr J. J. Robson : Buildings (Amendment) Bill 1970

Acting Financial Secretary : Sand (Amendment) Bill 1970

Acting Colonial Secretary : Marriage Reform Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

Attorney General : Multi-storey Buildings (Owners Incorporation) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Multi-storey Buildings (Owners Incorporation) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Acting Financial Secretary : Sand (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr T. D. Sorby : Import and Export Bill 1970

ADJOURNMENT

Mrs Ellen Li to raise under Standing Order No 9(5) the matter of "Nurses Pay".

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ORDER PAPER

OATHS

Mr L. E. A. Holt-Kentwell, MBE and Mr LO Kwee-seong to take the Oath of Allegiance.

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No 55 - Report of the Board of Management of the Hong Kong Tourist Association 1969/70. (Published on 26. 6. 70)	
No 56 - Annual Report by the Chairman, Public Services Commission for the year 1969. (To be published)	
No 57 - Statement of Accounts of the Immigration Service Welfare Fund for the year ended 31. 3. 70. (To be published)	

QUESTIONS

1 Mr Wilson Wang to ask:

Will Government please state a firm completion date for provision of a permanent cattle quarantine depot at Kwai Chung and for the removal of the temporary depot at Ma Tau Kok?

2 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask:

I understand that the committee appointed by the Trade and Industry Advisory Board in 1968 to study the possibility of setting up a loan institution to provide financial assistance to small-scale industries submitted its report to Government some months ago. Is Government in a position to inform this Council which recommendations made in that report of the committee have been accepted and which not, and the reasons therefor? Does Government intend to publish this report, and if so, when?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION (in Committee)

SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED
31ST MARCH 1970

The Financial Secretary :

That this Council approves the supplementary provisions for the quarter ended 31st March 1970, as set out in Paper No 4 of 1969/70.

MOTIONS

BANK NOTES ISSUE ORDINANCE

The Financial Secretary :

It is hereby resolved, by the Legislative Council, that this Council extends the powers of all the note-issuing banks to make, issue or re-issue and circulate notes until and including the 12th day of July 1971.

HONG KONG AND YAUMATI FERRY COMPANY (SERVICES)
ORDINANCE

The Financial Secretary :

It is hereby resolved, by the Legislative Council, with the consent of the Company, that the Schedule to the Ordinance be amended in Appendix II, under the Heading "2. Other services" -

(a) by adding immediately before the column headed "1st Class" a new column headed -

"De Luxe Class"; and

(b) by inserting in the new column, in the appropriate place opposite "(Direct Service)"; where it occurs beneath the words "Silver Mine Bay", the following -

"\$4.00 (adult)

or

"\$2.00 (child under 16)."

RADIATION ORDINANCE

Dr G. H. Choa :

It is hereby resolved, by the Legislative Council, that the following regulations made by the Radiation Board on the 18th day of June 1970 be approved -

- (a) Radiation (Control of Irradiating Apparatus) (Amendment) Regulations 1970; and
- (b) Radiation (Control of Radioactive Substances) (Amendment) Regulations 1970.

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Drug Addicts Treatment and Rehabilitation (Amendment) Bill 1970

Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Dr G. H. Choa : Drug Addicts Treatment and Rehabilitation (Amendment) Bill 1970

Acting Attorney General : Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

Acting Colonial Secretary : Marriage Reform Bill 1970

Acting Attorney General : Evidence (Amendment) Bill 1970

Acting Attorney General : Promissory Oaths (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Mr R. M. Hetherington : Employment (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

Mr R. M. Hetherington : Factories and Industrial Undertakings (Amendment) Bill 1970

Mr J. J. Robson : Buildings (Amendment) Bill 1970

Mr A. T. Clark : Hong Kong Stadium Bill 1970

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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ORDER PAPER

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Workmen's Compensation Ordinance. Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Regulations 1970.	111
Sessional Paper 1969/70 :- No. 58 - Annual Report by the Commissioner of Labour for the year 1968/69. (To be published)	

QUESTIONS

- 1 Mr H. J. C. Browne to ask:
As the City Hall is so popular and so booked up, do Government have any plans for constructing similar facilities in Kowloon?
- 2 Mr H. J. C. Browne to ask:
Now that the U.K. has re-opened negotiations to join the European Common Market, will Government confirm that they have received assurances from H. M. Government that they will make every effort to protect Hong Kong's position?
- 3 Mr Wilfred Wong to ask:
In view of possible damages arising out of typhoons is Government drafting the legislation on Advertisement By-Laws concerning street signs?
- 4 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask:
Is it true that the Hong Kong Technical College due to staff vacancies will not offer in the coming academic year part-time day-release courses for a number of the examinations of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, and if so, is Government aware of the possible grave consequences affecting the RICS's recognition of and exemption from certain categories of its examinations? What steps is Government taking or contemplating to take to remedy the unsatisfactory situation?

STATEMENT

Mr R. M. Hetherington : Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Regulations 1970

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Resettlement (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Pensions (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Acting Attorney General : Resettlement (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Acting Attorney General : Pensions (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

Acting Attorney General : Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

Acting Attorney General : Road Traffic (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

Dr G. H. Choa : Drug Addicts Treatment and Rehabilitation (Amendment) Bill 1970

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Merchant Shipping Ordinance. Merchant Shipping (Control of Ports) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 (Commencement) Notice 1970.	115

QUESTIONS

1 Mr Y.K. Kan to ask:

In the light of recent experience with regard to the dumping of chemicals is the Government considering (a) a more distant dumping ground and (b) a more effective method of disposal?

2 Mr Y.K. Kan to ask:

What library facilities are at present available to the young inhabitants of the Sham Shui Po area and what plans has Government for the provision of such facilities in that area in the near future?

3 Mr P.C. Woo to ask:

In view of the increase in traffic accidents in the Colony of Hong Kong -

(a) what effective steps has Government taken to prevent further increases of such accidents, and

(b) does Government contemplate launching a better and more comprehensive campaign for road safety?

4 Mr P. C. Woo to ask:

In view of the many drowning accidents at the beaches in the Colony of Hong Kong does Government consider the existing life saving facilities and swimming safety campaign adequate to meet the needs of present day Hong Kong and, if not, will Government take immediate steps to improve the facilities for life saving at the beaches and to give wide publicity of the campaign to be launched?

5 Mr Szeto Wai to ask:

In view of the present acute shortage of supply of coarse aggregate for concrete work, has Government any plan to encourage production by commercial quarries to cope with the increasing demand of this material by the building industry engaged on non-Government construction projects?

6 Mr Wilson Wang to ask:

Can Government inform this Council whether the provision of aided primary school places in outlying islands may be regarded as adequate both in quantity and in quality? Can Government explain the kind of problem a particular school in Mui Wo had to encounter in order to have a proper surface for its playground?

7 Mr T.K. Ann to ask:

What is Government policy on the encouragement of industrial and commercial arts education?

8 Mr Wilfred Wong to ask:

Would the Director of Education elaborate on Government's plans on post primary expansion in education?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILL

Dogs and Cats (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILL

Financial Secretary : Dogs and Cats (Amendment) Bill 1970

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

Acting Attorney General : Resettlement (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Acting Attorney General : Pensions (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S BILL

FIRST READING OF BILL

Community Chest of Hong Kong (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILL

Mr H. J. C. Browne : Community Chest of Hong Kong (Amendment) Bill 1970

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ORDER PAPER

OATH

Mr R. C. Clarke to make the Affirmation of Allegiance.

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No 60 - Annual Report of the Hong Kong Export Credit Insurance Corporation for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

No 61 - Annual Report of the Police Children's Education Trust and the Police Education and Welfare Trust for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

QUESTIONS

1 Mr Lee Quo-wei to ask :

In view of the recent public discussion on the use of Chinese as an official language, will the Government make a statement

- (a) on the progress in recent years of the wider use of Chinese in communication between the public and Government, and
- (b) what steps have been taken in the training of translation and interpretation for the two languages both in the civil service and Government schools ?

2 Mr Woo Pak-chuen to ask :

Is Government contemplating legislation on hire-purchase ?

3 Mr Kan Yuet-keung to ask :

What plans has the Government for easing the traffic congestion at the roundabout at the junction of Stubbs Road and Wongneichong Gap Road ?

4 Mr Kan Yuet-keung to ask:

Has the Government any immediate or future plans for road and traffic improvements on the upper level of the Hong Kong Island, other than the Cotton Tree Drive, having regard to the increasing traffic congestion resulting from the building developments now taking place?

5 Mr Oswald Cheung to ask:

Is Government considering any improvement to the storm water drainage in Princess Margaret Road in the vicinity of the Pui Ching Road Flyover, which becomes flooded and impassable after heavy rain?

6 Mr Kan Yuet-keung to ask:

Will the Government explain the reason for its decision to let out the World Theatre for yet a further period of four years?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION (in Committee)

SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH 1970 (FINAL)

The Financial Secretary :

That this Council approves the supplementary provisions for the quarter ended 31st March 1970, as set out in Paper No 5 (final) of 1969/70.

MOTIONS

PUBLIC HEALTH AND URBAN SERVICES ORDINANCE

Mr D. R. W. Alexander :

It is hereby resolved, by the Legislative Council, that the Food Business (Amendment) By-laws 1970, made by the Urban Council on the 5th day of May 1970 under section 56 of that Ordinance, be approved.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND URBAN SERVICES ORDINANCE

Mr D. R. W. Alexander :

It is hereby resolved, by the Legislative Council, that the following by-laws, made by the Urban Council on the 4th day of August 1970 under section 56 of that Ordinance, be approved -

- (a) Food Business (Amendment) (No 2) By-laws 1970;
- (b) Frozen Confections (Amendment) By-laws 1970; and
- (c) Milk (Amendment) By-laws 1970.

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Amendment) Bill 1970

Federation of Hong Kong Industries (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Financial Secretary : Public Health (Animals and Birds)
(Amendment) Bill 1970

Financial Secretary : Federation of Hong Kong Industries
(Amendment) Bill 1970

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

Financial Secretary : Dogs and Cats (Amendment) Bill 1970

Financial Secretary : Public Health (Animals and Birds)
(Amendment) Bill 1970

Financial Secretary : Federation of Hong Kong Industries
(Amendment) Bill 1970

UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S BILL

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILL

Mr H. J. C. Browne : Community Chest of Hong Kong (Amendment)
Bill 1970

R. J. Frampton
Deputy Clerk of Councils

O.P. No. 1/3

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG

OPENING SITTING OF THE SESSION 1970/71 TO BE HELD
AT 2.30 PM ON 1ST OCTOBER 1970

PROCLAMATION

The Clerk to the Legislative Council to read the proclamation appointing the time for the opening of the session and the place where it is to be held (Standing Order No. 6)

OATH

Mr J. Cater, MBE, to take the Oath of Allegiance.

SPEECH BY H.E. THE GOVERNOR

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

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O.P. No. 2/3A

2.30 p.m. Wednesday 7th October 1970

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OF HONG KONG

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No 3 - Annual Report by the Commissioner for Housing for the year 1969-70. (To be published)	
No 4 - Report of the School Medical Service Board for the year ended 31st March 1970. (To be published)	
No 5 - Annual Report by the Sir Robert Black Trust Fund Committee for the year 1st April 1969 to 31st March 1970. (To be published)	
No 6 - Report in accordance with Regulation 10(3) of the Hawker Control Force (Welfare Fund) Regulation 1962. (To be published)	
No 7 - Annual Report of the Hong Kong War Memorial Fund Committee for the year 1969. (To be published)	

<u>Subject</u>
No 8 - Statement of the Accounts of the Preventive Service Welfare Fund for the year ended 31st March 1970. (To be published)
No 9 - Annual Report by the Commissioner of Mines for the year 1969-70. (To be published)
No 10 - Annual Report by the Director of Government Supplies and Sand Monopoly for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION (in Committee)

SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE 1970

The Financial Secretary :

That this Council approves the supplementary provisions for the quarter ended 30th June 1970, as set out in Paper No 1 of 1970/71.

MOTIONS

MAGISTRATES ORDINANCE

The Attorney General:

It is hereby resolved that the Magistrates (Forms) (Amendment) Rules 1970, made by the Chief Justice on the 14th day of August 1970, be approved.

PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE

Dr G. H. Choa:

It is hereby resolved that the Poisons (Amendment) Regulations 1970, made by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board on the 4th day of August 1970, be approved.

ADDRESS OF THANKS

The Colonial Secretary:

"That an address be presented to His Excellency the Governor as follows:-

We, the Hong Kong Legislative Council here assembled, beg leave to offer thanks for the speech which has been addressed by you to the Council."

FIRST READING OF BILLS

- Trustee (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Societies (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Companies (Prevention of Evasion of the Societies Ordinance) (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Perjury (Amendment) Bill 1970
- University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Places of Public Entertainment (Amendment)(No 2) Bill 1970
- Supplementary Appropriation (1969-70) Bill 1970
- Exchange Fund (Amendment)(No 2) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Trustee (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Societies (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Companies (Prevention of Evasion of the Societies Ordinance) (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Perjury (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Places of Public Entertainment (Amendment)(No 2) Bill 1970
- Financial Secretary: Supplementary Appropriation (1969-70) Bill 1970
- Financial Secretary: Exchange Fund (Amendment)(No 2) Bill 1970

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILL

- Attorney General : University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Bill 1970

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

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2.30 p.m. Wednesday 21st October 1970

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OF HONG KONG

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- No 12 - Annual Report by the District Commissioner New Territories for the year 1968-69. (To be published)
- No 13 - Annual Report by the Commissioner of Registration of Persons for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

QUESTIONS

1 Mrs Ellen Li to ask:

Will Government make a statement on the policy in relation to succession to cooked food stall licences?

2 Mr T.K. Ann to ask:

Is Government aware that on a large number of major highway projects there would appear to be a very small labour force working at any given time? Are steps taken to ensure that highway projects are completed on time, and if not, are damages sought against the contractors?

3 Mr T.K. Ann to ask:

Would Government in letting out contracts for highway projects in the future stipulate quicker completion periods than have been apparent in current projects?

STATEMENT

The Acting Colonial Secretary: Composition of the Committee to examine the use of the Chinese language in official business

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

- Prevention of Bribery Bill 1970
- Magistrates (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Telecommunication (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Boilers and Pressure Receivers (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Prevention of Bribery Bill 1970
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)
- Attorney General : Magistrates (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Telecommunication (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr R. M. Hetherington : Boilers and Pressure Receivers (Amendment) Bill 1970

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Trustee (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Societies (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Companies (Prevention of Evasion of the Societies Ordinance) (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Perjury (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Places of Public Entertainment (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Financial Secretary : Supplementary Appropriation (1969-70) Bill 1970
- Financial Secretary : Exchange Fund (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

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2.30 p.m. Wednesday 4th November 1970

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG

ORDER PAPER

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No 15 - Annual Report of the Hong Kong Productivity Council for the year 1969-70. (To be published)	
No 16 - Annual Report by the Government Printer for the years 1967-68 and 1968-69. (To be published)	

Subject

No 17 - Annual Report by the Government Printer for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

No 18 - Annual Report by the Community Relief Trust Fund Trustee for the year ending 31st March 1970. (To be published)

No 19 - Annual Report by the Director of Public Works for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

No 20 - Annual Report by the Registrar General for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

QUESTIONS

1 Mr Oswald Cheung to ask :

What contributions to revenue, during the last two financial years, have been made by the owners or users of private cars under the following heads :-

- (a) petrol
- (b) Commonwealth Preference Tax
- (c) first registration tax
- (d) annual car licence fees
- (e) driving licence fees

and if exact figures are not available, on a reasonably close estimate?

2 Mr Oswald Cheung to ask :

In the light of revenue actually collected under the heads mentioned in the previous question for the half year ended 30th September 1970, what contribution to these heads of revenue are the owners or users of private cars estimated to make during the current year?

3 Mr Oswald Cheung to ask :

What expenditure has been incurred in the past two financial years in respect of all road works and road maintenance?

4 Mr P. C. Woo to ask :

Is Government contemplating introduction of measures in Hong Kong for the protection of the investing public by the adoption of the Prevention of Fraud (Investments) Act 1958 and the Protection of Depositors Act 1963?

5 Mr Wilson Wang to ask :

Is Government aware of the complaint made by students of the Hong Kong Technical College about the acute shortage of teachers, and would Government say how serious the shortage is and what action has been taken to relieve it? Could consideration be given to reducing the length of time currently taken in the processing of applications to fill vacancies?

6 Mr Wilson Wang to ask :

Would Government give assurance that our postal service will be maintained at a reasonable standard and that the public may expect delivery of local mail within 24 hours?

7 Mr Wilson Wang to ask :

Would Government consider the possibility of permitting more shops and stores to sell stamps both for the convenience of the public and in order to relieve pressure on our Post Offices?

8 Mr Y. K. Kan to ask :

Will the Honourable Director of Public Works inform this Council how long the completion of Cotton Tree Drive has been delayed and when is it likely to be open for traffic?

9 Mr Y. K. Kan to ask :

Will the Honourable Director of Public Works give an account of the progress of the work now being carried out in the Botanic Garden and is he aware that many members of the public are being deprived of the use and enjoyment of a substantial part of this Garden while the work is in progress?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

Urban Council (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Hawker Control Force (Amendment) Bill 1970

Medical Registration (Amendment) Bill 1970

Resettlement (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Urban Council (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Mr D. R. W. Alexander : Hawker Control Force (Amendment) Bill 1970
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)
- Dr G. H. Choa : Medical Registration (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr Paul K. C. Tsui : Resettlement (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Magistrates (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Telecommunication (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Mr R. M. Hetherington : Boilers and Pressure Receivers (Amendment) Bill 1970

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

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THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG

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- Workmen's Compensation Ordinance.
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- Workmen's Compensation Ordinance.
Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) (No 3) Regulations 1970. 162
- Evidence Ordinance.
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- District Court (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) Ordinance.
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- Supreme Court Ordinance.
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Sessional Papers 1970-71 :-

- No 21 - Annual Report by the Director of Civil Aviation for the year 1969-70. (To be published)
- No 22 - Annual Summary by the Director of Education for the year 1969-70. (To be published)
- No 23 - Annual Report by the Commissioner of Inland Revenue for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

Subject

No 24 - Annual Report by the Director of Medical and Health Services for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

No 25 - Annual Report by the Director of Broadcasting for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

No 26 - Annual Report by the Accountant General for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

QUESTIONS

1 Mr Wilson Wang to ask :

Are any steps being taken by Government to discourage the practice of begging and to redirect beggars to useful forms of employment and to protect children from being exploited as beggars?

2 Mr Wilson Wang to ask :

Has Government any plan to suspend the issue of new licences to rickshaw carriers with a view to the gradual withdrawal of this obsolete type of transport from this busy city of ours and has any attempt been made to help them to find more productive employment?

3 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

Will the Honourable Director of Public Works give a progress report on the Kowloon City and San Po Kong flyovers since he made the statement in this Council on 20th May this year?

4 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

Will Government inform this Council whether it has considered the introduction of a 20-cent and/or a 25-cent coin into our currency system and, if the answer is in the negative, would Government give its reasons?

5 Mr Wilfred Wong to ask :

Has Government any plan to re-align the dangerous bend of 112 degrees on the main thoroughfare of Queensway near Naval Terrace?

6 Mr G. M. B. Salmon to ask :

Will Government confirm that court proceedings have been taken, and conviction obtained, against all prison warders who have been dismissed by the Commissioner of Prisons during 1970 for being involved in drug peddling offences in the prisons.

7 Mr H. J. C. Browne to ask :

Have Government any plans for obtaining outside views or setting up a Committee to advise on the general content of the Chinese and English programmes on Radio Hong Kong?

8 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

In view of the great demand for cooked food stalls in the industrial districts of Kwun Tong and San Po Kong, has Government any plans for providing land and other facilities such as bazaars for such cooked food stalls in these and other industrial areas; and if so how soon will such plans be implemented?

9 Mr Szeto Wai to ask :

As regards Business Profits Tax, would Government say

(a) what results have been achieved since it intensified its measures against evasions,

and (b) during the last financial year, what amount has been recovered following investigations and how many prosecutions have been pursued?

STATEMENT

Mr R. M. Hetherington : Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) (No 2) Regulations 1970

Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) (No 3) Regulations 1970

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION

Mr D. R. W. Alexander :

It is hereby resolved that the Pleasure Grounds (Amendment) By-laws 1970, made by the Urban Council on the 3rd day of November 1970, be approved.

FIRST READING OF BILL

District Court (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Attorney General : District Court (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 1970

Attorney General : Prevention of Bribery Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

Mr D. R. W. Alexander : Hawker Control Force (Amendment) Bill 1970 (resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

Attorney General : Urban Council (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 1970

Dr G. H. Choa : Medical Registration (Amendment) Bill 1970

Mr Paul K. C. Tsui : Resettlement (Amendment) (No 3) Bill 1970

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

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2.30 p. m. Wednesday 2nd December 1970

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG

ORDER PAPER

OATH

Mr E. I. Lee to take the Oath of Allegiance.

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Sessional Papers 1970-71 :-

- No 27 - Annual Report by the Director of Information Services for the year 1969-70. (To be published)
- No 28 - Annual Report by the Director, Royal Observatory for the year 1969-70. (To be published)
- No 29 - Hong Kong Narcotics Progress Report for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

QUESTIONS

1 Mr K.S. Lo to ask :

Will Government reveal whether any investigation has been instituted at the Yaumatei Typhoon Shelter fire last month involving a cargo junk which was set adrift causing devastating fire and panic to other fishing junks anchored inside the Shelter, and what measures does Government propose to take to prevent a repetition of similar occurrence?

2 Mr Wilson Wang to ask :

Has Government any plan to provide evening institutes in the New Territories and is Government aware that in the Sheungshui rural district it has been claimed that there are large numbers of young workers eager to improve themselves by evening studies but who as yet have no evening institute to attend?

3 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

As summer time is fast losing its popularity in the world, will Government inform this Council whether it has considered the discontinuation of summer time in Hong Kong, and, if it has not, what are the reasons?

4 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

It is understood that the Industrial Training Advisory Committee early this year submitted to Government the proposal of its Printing Industrial Committee for the recruitment of an organizer and the establishment of a printing department at the Morrison Hill Technical Institute. Will Government inform this Council of the present position in this matter and the reasons for the delay in making its decision?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

FIRST READING OF BILLS

- Royal Hong Kong Regiment Bill 1970
- Royal Hong Kong Auxiliary Air Force Bill 1970
- Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Bill 1971
- Magistrates (Amendment) Bill 1971
- Law Reform (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 1970
- Law Revision (Miscellaneous Repeals) Bill 1970
- Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1971
- Public Transport Services (Hong Kong Island) (Amendment) Bill 1970

SECOND READING OF BILLS

- Acting Colonial Secretary : Royal Hong Kong Regiment Bill 1970
- Acting Colonial Secretary : Royal Hong Kong Auxiliary Air Force Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Bill 1971
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)
- Attorney General : Magistrates (Amendment) Bill 1971
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)
- Attorney General : Law Reform (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 1970
- Attorney General : Law Revision (Miscellaneous Repeals) Bill 1970
- Acting Secretary for Home Affairs : Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund (Amendment) Bill 1970
- Financial Secretary : Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1971
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

- Financial Secretary : Public Transport Services (Hong Kong Island) (Amendment) Bill 1970
(The Acting Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)
- Attorney General : District Court (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 1970
(resumed debate)

COMMITTEE STAGE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS

- Attorney General : Prevention of Bribery Bill 1970
- Mr D. R. W. Alexander : Hawker Control Force (Amendment) Bill 1970

ADJOURNMENT

Dr S. Y. Chung to raise under Standing Order No 9(5) the matter of "Public Holidays".

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

O.P. No. 7/3A

2.30 p.m. Wednesday 16th December 1970

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG

ORDER PAPER

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Sessional Paper 1970-71 :-	
No 30 - Accounts and Statements of the Grantham Scholarships Fund for the year ended 31st August 1970. (To be published)	

QUESTIONS

- 1 Mr Q. W. Lee to ask :
Is the Government aware of the traffic congestion during peak hours in the area around the Central Market and especially in front of the Central Fire Station, and is the Government taking any steps to improve the situation in particular to avoid delay or obstruction to fire engines coming in and out of the Fire Station?
- 2 Mr Szeto Wai to ask :
Will Government introduce security measures in Government-operated multi-storey car-parks against robbery with violence, several cases of which occurred recently?
- 3 Mr Szeto Wai to ask :
What is the progress in the construction of the Siu Lam Hospital, and when will it be opened for use by the public?

4 Mr Oswald Cheung to ask :

Which of the Resettlement Estates do not at present have a police station? In view of the many crimes of violence being committed in Resettlement Estates, will Government establish substantial police posts in each of the Resettlement Estates, pending the construction of police stations?

5 Mr Wilfred Wong to ask :

In view of the demand for industrial land in Tsuen Wan and in the light of the fact that many holders of letter "B" are not exercising their right to exchange land, has Government any plan to limit the period during which holders of these letters must apply for conversion?

6 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

Will Government give the following statistics relating to new industrial establishments in Hong Kong involving foreign participation:

- (a) the number and size (in terms of investment and number of employees) in 1969 and in 1970;
- (b) the number of enquiries and investigations dealt with by the Commerce and Industry Department, and the number of successful cases during the past five years?

7 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

Has Government adequate plans and facilities for the training of technical teachers and instructors in order to promptly meet the increasing and urgent demands in the 1970's for technical education at the lower levels such as that in technical institutes and vocational schools?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTIONS

DEFENCE REGULATIONS (CONTINUATION) ORDINANCE

The Attorney General (Acting):

It is hereby resolved, pursuant to section 6 of the Defence Regulations (Continuation) Ordinance, that the duration of the said Ordinance be extended for the term of one year with effect from 1st January 1971.

ILLEGAL STRIKES AND LOCK-OUTS ORDINANCE

Mr R. M. Hetherington:

It is hereby resolved, pursuant to section 8 of the Illegal Strikes and Lock-outs Ordinance, that the duration of the said Ordinance be extended for the term of one year with effect from 1st January 1971.

FIRST READING OF BILL

Intestates' Estates Bill 1971

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Attorney General (Acting) : Intestates' Estates Bill 1971
(The Colonial Secretary will move the adjournment of the debate)

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Attorney General (Acting) : Prevention of Bribery Bill 1970

Attorney General (Acting) : District Court (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 1970

Secretary for Home Affairs (Acting) : Li Po Chun Charitable Trust Fund (Amendment) Bill 1970

Financial Secretary (Acting) : Public Transport Services (Hong Kong Island) (Amendment) Bill 1970

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

O.P. No. 8/3A

2.30 p.m. Wednesday 6th January 1971

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- No 35 - Report of the University Grants Committee of Hong Kong from July 1968 to June 1970. (To be published)
- No 36 - Annual Report and Accounts of the Hong Kong Trade Development Council for the year 1969/70 (To be published)

QUESTIONS

- 1 Mr T.K. Ann to ask :
Is Government aware of the need to provide more accommodation and staff for the Chinese section of the Immigration Department? If so, what steps are being taken to cope with this need?
- 2 Mr Y.K. Kan to ask :
Will the Government table the full report of the investigation into the complaints by a resident of the "Hermitage" flats?
- 3 Mr Y.K. Kan to ask :
Will the Government inform this Council what is the policy of the Police in-regard to the towing away of cars?
- 4 Mr K.S. Lo to ask :
What legislative and other practical measures does Government propose to take in order to save the New Territories from :-
(a) industrial and other general wastes being dumped into its streams and fields indiscriminately;
(b) week-end tourists littering the roads and hills with empty cans, plastic wrappers and other wastes etc.; and
(c) the general desolation of the entire country side?
- 5 Mr G.M.B. Salmon to ask :
Will Government state what new car parks will be available on both sides of the harbour prior to the tunnel being opened in 1972?

6 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

Will Government provide figures for

- (a) the number of initial applications received for the setting up of industrial undertakings in 1969 and 1970 (given separately for each year);
- (b) the number of those applications which have since resulted in a factory licence being issued;
- (c) in respect of the successful applications, the average number of days which elapsed between the initial application being received and the issue of a factory licence;

and in the light of the figures will Government explain the reasons where there have been undue delays in the issue of licences?

7 Dr S. Y. Chung to ask :

In view of the fact that only 12 out of the 228 firm enquiries dealt by the Department of Commerce and Industry during the past five years eventually resulted in the setting up of manufacturing operations in Hong Kong, will Government explain the reasons for such a low percentage of success and take steps to improve the rate of success in the future?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION (in Committee)

SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 1970

The Financial Secretary:

That this Council approves the supplementary provisions for the quarter ended 30th September 1970, as set out in Paper No 2 of 1970/71.

FIRST READING OF BILL

Jury (Amendment) Bill 1971

SECOND READING OF BILLS

Attorney General (Acting) : Jury (Amendment) Bill 1971

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(resumed debate)

Financial Secretary : Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill 1971
(resumed debate)

ADJOURNMENT

Mr Oswald Cheung to raise under Standing Order No 9(5) the matter of "Crime Statistics".

R. J. Frampton
Clerk to the Legislative Council

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No 37 - Annual Report by the Postmaster General for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

No 38 - Annual Report by the Secretary for Home Affairs for the year 1969-70. (To be published)

QUESTIONS

1 Mr P.C. Woo to ask:

How does Government assess the profits tax of operators of public light buses, as no tickets are issued for fares by these operators?

2 Mr P.C. Woo to ask:

The Divorce Reform Act 1969 came into operation in England on the 1st of this month. Is it the intention of Government to adopt the provisions of this Act in Hong Kong?

3 Dr S.Y. Chung to ask:

In view of increasing control over cigarette advertising and smoking in other countries, particularly in the U.K. and U.S.A., has Government considered in the interests of public health (a) any control over or a total ban on cigarette advertising and (b) any restriction on smoking in public places?