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Meetings of the Legislative Council and its Committees

The Legislative Council and its Committees will hold 19 open meetings and two closed meetings during the week from 28 April 2008 to 3 May 2008 in the Legislative Council Building. Details of the meetings are as follows (Information is subject to change. Please refer to the “LegCo Calendar” on the Legislative Council homepage (www.legco.gov.hk) for the latest details of meetings.):

Date	Time	Meeting
28 April 2008 (Monday)	8:30 am	Meeting of Bills Committee on Fixed Penalty (Smoking Offences) Bill – Conference Room A (to meet with the Administration)
	8:30 am	Special meeting of Panel on Financial Affairs – Chamber (to receive a briefing on the work of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority; and to discuss the appointment and tenure of office of the Monetary Authority)
	10:45 am	Meeting of Panel on Economic Development – Conference Room A (to discuss the proposal to establish a Vessel Height Restricted Area in the vicinity of the Stonecutters Bridge)
	10:45 am	Special meeting of Panel on Education – Chamber (to meet with deputations and the Administration to discuss the academic and professional accreditation of sub-degree courses)
	2:30 pm	Meeting of Panel on Environmental Affairs – Conference Room A (to discuss the progress of implementation of the new nature conservation policy; and progress of measures to mitigate road traffic noise)
	2:30 pm	First meeting of Subcommittee on Human Rights Protection Mechanisms – Conference Room B (to elect the Chairman (if required); to meet with deputations and the Administration to discuss the research report on human rights commissions in Northern Ireland, Australia, South Korea, and India; and to discuss the way forward)

	4:30 pm	Meeting of Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services – Conference Room A (to discuss the applicability of HKSAR laws to offices set up by the Central People's Government in the HKSAR; to meet with the Law Draftsman; and to discuss the transcript fees)
29 April 2008 (Tuesday)	8:30 am	Meeting of Bills Committee on Product Eco-responsibility Bill – Conference Room A (to meet with the Administration)
	10:45 am	Meeting of Subcommittee on Draft Subsidiary Legislation Relating to the Civil Justice Reform – Conference Room B (to meet with the Administration and the Judiciary Administration)
	10:45 am	Meeting of Subcommittee to Study the Subject of Combating Poverty – Conference Room A (closed meeting)
	2:30 pm	Meeting of Bills Committee on Buildings (Amendment) Bill 2007 – Conference Room B (to meet with the Administration)
	2:30 pm	Meeting of Bills Committee on West Kowloon Cultural District Authority Bill – Conference Room A (to meet with the Administration)
	4:30 pm	Meeting of Subcommittee to Study the Transport Needs of and Provision of Concessionary Public Transport Fares for Persons with Disabilities – Chamber (to meet with persons with disabilities groups, the taxi trade, the Equal Opportunities Commission and the Administration to discuss the introduction of a new mode of accessible public transport service for persons with disabilities)
30 April 2008 (Wednesday)	9 am	Meeting of Establishment Subcommittee – Conference Room A
	11 am	Legislative Council meeting – Chamber
1 May 2008 (Thursday)	Public holiday	

2 May 2008 (Friday)	8:30 am	Meeting of Bills Committee on Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2008 – Conference Room B (to meet with the Administration)
	10:30 am	Meeting of Subcommittee on Matters Relating to Railways – Chamber (to discuss the Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link; progress update on South Island Line; East Rail rail crack incidents; and the way forward)
	10:45 am	Meeting of Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development – Conference Room A (closed meeting)
	2:30 pm	House Committee Meeting – Chamber
	3 pm (or immediately after the House Committee meeting, whichever is later)	Meeting of Bills Committee on Road Traffic Legislation (Amendment) Bill 2008 – Conference Room A (to meet with the Administration)
3 May 2008 (Saturday)	9:30 am	Meeting of Bills Committee on Fixed Penalty (Smoking Offences) Bill – Chamber (agenda to be confirmed)

Ends/Friday, April 25, 2008

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