

新聞稿 Press Release

Meetings of the Legislative Council and its Committees

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The Legislative Council and its Committees will hold 21 open meetings and two closed meetings during the week from 19 May 2008 to 24 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](http://www.legco.gov.hk)) for the latest details of meetings.):

| <b>Date</b>             | <b>Time</b> | <b>Meeting</b>  |
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| 19 May 2008<br>(Monday) | 8:30 am     | Meeting of Panel on Health Services – Conference Room A<br>(to discuss the expansion of Tseung Kwan O Hospital; to further discuss the mental health policy; and to discuss the undeclared blood sugar lowering drug in products for male sexual dysfunction) |
|                         | 8:30 am     | First meeting of Subcommittee on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Finland) Order – Conference Room B<br>(to elect a Chairman; and to meet with the Administration)  |
|                         | 10:45 am    | Meeting of Panel on Public Service – Conference Room A<br>(to discuss prevention of double benefits in the civil service; and the medical benefits for serving civil servants, retired civil servants and eligible dependants)                                |
|                         | 1 pm        | Meeting of Bills Committee on Air Pollution Control (Amendment) Bill 2008 – Conference Room A<br>(to meet with the Administration)  |

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|                            | 1 pm     | Meeting of Subcommittee on Food and Drugs (Composition and Labelling) (Amendment: Requirements for Nutrition Labelling and Nutrition Claim) Regulation 2008 – Chamber<br>(to meet with the Administration)      |
|                            | 2:30 pm  | Meeting of Panel on Constitutional Affairs – Chamber<br>(to discuss the Voter Turnout Publicity Campaign for the 2008 Legislative Council Election; and the method for forming the Legislative Council in 2012) |
|                            | 5:30 pm  | Meeting of Bills Committee on Prevention of Bribery (Amendment) Bill 2007 – Chamber<br>(to meet with the Administration to examine the Bill clause by clause)   |
|                            | 5:30 pm  | First meeting of Subcommittee on Fugitive Offenders (Ireland) Order– Conference Room B<br>(to elect a Chairman; and to meet with the Administration)  |
| 20 May 2008<br>(Tuesday)   | 10:45 am | Meeting of Bills Committee on Road Traffic Legislation (Amendment) Bill 2008 – Conference Room A<br>(to meet with the Administration)   |
|                            | 10:45 am | Meeting of Bills Committee on Revenue Bill 2008 – Chamber<br>(to meet with the Administration)  |
|                            | 2:30 pm  | Meeting of Panel on Commerce and Industry – Chamber<br>(to meet with the Administration and deputations/individuals to discuss furthering of trade relations between the Mainland and Hong Kong)                |
| 21 May 2008<br>(Wednesday) | 8:30 am  | Meeting of Public Works Subcommittee – Conference Room A  |
|                            | 11 am    | Legislative Council meeting – Chamber   |

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| 22 May 2008<br>(Thursday) | 8:30 am  | Meeting of Subcommittee to Study the Transport Needs of and Provision of Concessionary Public Transport Fares for Persons with Disabilities – Conference Room A<br>(to meet with the Administration and the MTR Corporation to discuss the provision of concessionary public transport fares for persons with disabilities) |
|                           | 9 am     | Public Accounts Committee Meeting<br>– Conference Room C<br><b>(closed meeting)</b>   |
|                           | 4:30 pm  | Meeting of Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development – Conference Room A<br><b>(closed meeting)</b>  |
|                           | 4:30 pm  | Meeting of Bills Committee on Buildings (Amendment) Bill 2007 – Chamber<br>(to meet with the Administration)  |
| 23 May 2008<br>(Friday)   | 8:30 am  | Meeting of Bills Committee on Race Discrimination Bill – Conference Room A<br>(to meet with the Administration and Equal Opportunities Commission)  |
|                           | 8:30 am  | Meeting of Bills Committee on Fixed Penalty (Smoking Offences) Bill – Conference Room B<br>(to meet with the Administration to examine the Bill clause by clause)   |
|                           | 10:45 am | Meeting of Bills Committee on Domestic Violence (Amendment) Bill 2007 – Chamber<br>(to meet with the Administration)  |
|                           | 2:30 pm  | House Committee Meeting – Chamber   |
|                           | 3 pm     | Finance Committee Meeting – Chamber   |
| 24 May 2008<br>(Saturday) | 9:30 am  | Meeting of Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development – Conference Room A<br>(to meet with the Administration and members of the Museums Advisory Group)<br><b>(Item II will be in a closed session)</b>  |

Ends/Friday, 16 May 2008

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