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Annex 1

Number of complaints received by the Police, FEHD and EPD about  
noise and environmental hygiene problems caused by liquor-licensed premises  
in Central and Western, Wan Chai and Yau Tsim Mong Districts (Note 1)

		2009	2010	2011 (up to end-October)
Central and Western District	HKPF (Complaints on noise and obstruction) (Note 2)	9	54	32
	FEHD (Complaints on environmental hygiene)	31	62	55
	EPD (Complaints on noise)	28	40	49
Wan Chai District	HKPF (Complaints on noise and obstruction) (Note2)	118	50	32
	FEHD (Complaints on environmental hygiene)	69	44	53
	EPD (Complaints on noise)	16	19	35
Yau Tsim Mong District	HKPF (Complaints on noise and obstruction) (Note2)	<i>No available records</i>	152 (Note 3)	73
	FEHD (Complaints on environmental hygiene)	73	82	24
	EPD (Complaints on noise)	37	17	17

Note 1: Since a complainant may lodge his/her case to a number of government departments at the same time, there might be overlaps in the number of cases in the table above.

Note 2: Figures provided by the Police only include complaints against upstairs bars. The Police do not compile complaint statistics on all liquor-licensed premises but especially keep complaint numbers in relation to upstairs bars due to public concern about those premises.

Note 3: This covers the Police's Mong Kok District and Tsim Sha Tsui Division. Data from Yau Ma Tei Division is not available.

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Annex 2

Enforcement and prosecution statistics of the Police in relation to liquor-licensed premises

2009			Wanchai District	Central and Western District	Yau Tsim Mong District	Sub-total			Total
Upstairs bars	Suspected breach / breach of licensing conditions	Summons / Prosecution	11	1	18	30	221	234	907
		Verbal and written warnings	34	46	81	161			
		Advisory letters	29	0	1	30			
	Other offences (noise, smoking, obstruction, fire safety)	Summons / Prosecution	0	0	0	0	13		
		Verbal and written warnings	8	0	2	10			
		Advisory letters	0	0	3	3			
Other liquor-licensed premises	Suspected breach / breach of licensing conditions	Summons / Prosecution	2	16	52	70	434	673	907
		Verbal and written warnings	90	106	101	297			
		Advisory letters	41	0	26	67			
	Other offences (noise, smoking, obstruction, fire safety)	Summons / Prosecution	0	0	171	171	239		
		Verbal and written warnings	0	8	50	58			
		Advisory letters	0	0	10	10			

2010			Wanchai District	Central and Western District	Yau Tsim Mong District		Sub-total		Total
Upstairs bars	Suspected breach / breach of licensing conditions	Summons / Prosecution	4	0	61		65	274	339
		Verbal and written warnings	42	26	93		161		
		Advisory letters	25	0	23		48		
	Other offences (noise, smoking, obstruction, fire safety)	Summons / Prosecution	47	0	3		50	65	
		Verbal and written warnings	0	0	15		15		
		Advisory letters	0	0	0		0		
Other liquor-licensed premises	Suspected breach / breach of licensing conditions	Summons / Prosecution	6	1	14		21	210	289
		Verbal and written warnings	18	56	73		147		
		Advisory letters	22	0	20		42		
	Other offences (noise, smoking, obstruction, fire safety)	Summons / Prosecution	10	0	0		10	79	
		Verbal and written warnings	52	0	17		69		
		Advisory letters	0	0	0		0		
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2011 (up to October)			Wanchai District	Central and Western District	Yau Tsim Mong District	Sub-total			Total
Upstairs bars	Suspected breach / breach of licensing conditions	Summons / Prosecution	4	6	80	90	206	285	758
		Verbal and written warnings	21	13	67	101			
		Advisory letters	13	0	2	15			
	Other offences (noise, smoking, obstruction, fire safety)	Summons / Prosecution	39	0	39	78	79		
		Verbal and written warnings	1	0	0	1			
		Advisory letters	0	0	0	0			
Other liquor-licensed premises	Suspected breach / breach of licensing conditions	Summons / Prosecution	11	68	11	90	357	473	
		Verbal and written warnings	77	67	104	248			
		Advisory letters	19	0	0	19			
	Other offences (noise, smoking, obstruction, fire safety)	Summons / Prosecution	21	0	21	42	116		
		Verbal and written warnings	8	16	50	74			
		Advisory letters	0	0	0	0			

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Annex 3

Number of liquor-licensed premises in  
Central and Western, Wan Chai and Yau Tsim Mong Districts

	End-2009	End-2010	End-October 2011
Central and Western District	654	700	752
Wan Chai District	884	921	936
Yau Tsim Mong District	1 284	1 456	1 529

As at October 31, 2011, the number of liquor licences with licensing conditions restricting liquor selling hours were 182 in Central and Western District, 115 in Wan Chai District and 166 in Yau Tsim Mong District. The restricted hours mainly range from beyond 11 pm to beyond 5 am.